



# Halam Church of England Primary School

*Life in all its fullness*

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Friday, 25 April 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the Easter Holiday, I hope that you all had a lovely break.



## **Terrific Assembly Awards**

Well done this week to:

**Cherry Class:** Gregory for Maths (using a number line to help him recognise and form his numbers correctly)

Ronnie for doing great independent writing

**Maple Class:** Clara for writing a beautiful setting description

Ben for focussing so well during lessons

**Oak Class:** Dora for making positive friendship choices and being a good role model

Aston for enjoying his Science and researching about Isaac Newton

**Head Team Award:** Mia for her "amazing" SATs practise

**Lunchtime "Good Manners" Awards:** Felix and Mia

**Best attendance this week:** Oak Class – 98%

**Housepoints:** First – **Sapphire** (34)

Second – **Ruby** (31)

Third – **Emerald** (21)



## **Certificates from Home:**

Phoenix for being man of the match at football

Megan for playing squash

Thomas for a trophy from his Easter Football Camp

Sophia for a certificate from her Easter Football Camp



## **PTFA Sponsored 5k Walk/Run/Scoot/Skip**

Please may we have all sponsor forms for the PTFA Easter Holiday Sponsored Event handed in by the end of next week. There is a small prize for everyone who enters, and they will earn a house point too!

The next PTFA meeting is on Wednesday, 30 April at 7.30pm in the school hall – all welcome!



## **Tennis Sessions**

The children really enjoyed their tennis session from Caunton Tennis Club earlier this week. On Tuesday, 29 April the coach is coming back for the second session with each class. Please send your child to school in their PE kit on Tuesday, thank you.



## **Nuts in school**

Please can parents and carers be aware that due to allergies, we ask that children do not bring any nuts, or foods containing nuts, in their packed lunches or for their snack.

Could we also ask that they do not bring packs of sweets for their snack, and instead bring something like a piece of fruit, a cereal bar, or a biscuit, thank you.



## Football Match

On Monday, 28 April our Y4/5/6 boys have a friendly football match at Farnsfield School. The match starts at 3.45pm and everyone is welcome to go along and support the team.



## PINS Survey for Parents and Carers

As you are aware, this year we have been taking part in the "PINS" project, (Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools), and the next step is to complete a second Parent/Carer survey. The team hope to get input from as many parents and carers as possible, so your response would be appreciated.

Please either click on the link below, or use the QR code to complete the survey.

Please note, the survey does not open until Monday, 28 April and closes on Monday, 12 May.

Thank you in advance for your participation.

- **Survey link:** <https://forms.office.com/e/45292aX18D>
- **QR code:** Alternatively, parents can scan the QR code included below to access the survey directly.



Thank you for your continued support,

*AE Speed*

Aly Speed  
Executive Headteacher



## Dates for the diary

<b>Friday, 25 April</b>	No Choir session today
<b>Monday, 28 April</b>	3.45pm Football match at Farnsfield School
<b>Tuesday, 29 April</b>	Tennis taster sessions with Cauntton Tennis Club
<b>Wednesday, 30 April</b>	7.30pm PTFA Meeting
<b>Thursday, 8 May</b>	Last Y6 Booster session
<b>Monday, 12 May</b>	Y6 SATS week
<b>Tuesday, 20 May</b>	Open Coffee morning for parents & carers
<b>Friday, 23 May</b>	break up for half term