# Dates for the diary

1<sup>st</sup> March – Bake Off day!

7<sup>th</sup> March – Bling your bike (a free service to bling up your bike by Active Barnsley.)

World book day – we are NOT dressing up this year. You have received a letter with this information on.

11<sup>th</sup> of March – 15<sup>th</sup> of March Big Wheel walk to school week.

15<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Disco.

19<sup>th</sup> March Easter Play for Y3/Y4 at 9:30.

## Tankersley St Peter's

### **Head Teacher Newsletter 29.2.24**

**Dear Families** 

Thank you to all those parents who joined us at the Steelers game, we had a great time, and I would like to thank David Crossley for organising it. The atmosphere was brilliant and the orange foam fingers were out in force!



#### Bling Your Bike and Scooter Day: Thursday 7th March

On Thursday 7th March, Tankersley St Peters are holding a Bling Your Bike and Scooter Day!

Who can take part? Every child who brings a bike or scooter to school will be able to take part, so choose an active way to travel on Thursday 7th March!

There will be more active travel activities later in the term for those who are unable to bring a scooter or bike to this event.

We look forward to seeing you there.

#### **Easter Disco**

19<sup>th</sup> of March p.m. the Easter church visit (Y1-Y6)

20<sup>th</sup> March Easter Play for Y3/Y4 at 9:30.

On the 15<sup>th</sup> of March, we are hosting an Easter disco after school, this is going to be run slightly differently. We are having a DJ and a set price, this will be £4 per child and includes a hot dog, a drink and a sweet cone. Please get your tickets before the event from the school office.

I am desperate for volunteers to help me, if you can spare even an hour on that evening, please do let me know! I have a form https://forms.office.com/e/5iYWMAuFHY



I would also like to remind you that parents' evening appointments are now open for booking. Please do not book on, if you have had a SEND review recently.



We will be selling tickets in the playground from Monday, for our lovely Eggstravagant Easter Hamper. Tickets are priced at £1 per strip. We will visit the Foundation Yard on a Friday.

On World Book Day, Thursday  $7^{th}$  March, we will be holding a Book Fayre in the school hall. Children will have the opportunity during the school day to visit the fayre and purchase a book. We have lots of fantastic books available all priced between £2 & £3.

Due to a clash of dates, I have had to move our Tankersley London Marathon to the 25<sup>th</sup> of April. We are all looking forward to getting active and racing around the village! If you can help with marshalling on the Thursday afternoon, would you be able to fill this form in for me? I would love to run this event, but I want to keep the children safe.

https://forms.office.com/e/VC0B1Q9FZQ

#### Measels

Barnsley has good levels of MMR vaccine uptake, however there are pockets of low uptake which means an outbreak could be possible in the borough. We are therefore encouraging all parents and carers to ensure their children are vaccinated. I have been asked by the local authority to send you a letter regarding Measels, which is accompanying this letter.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

The national attendance figure is 97%.

Weekly attendance	Sessions lost this week	Authorised absences	Unauthorised Absences
figure			
97.2%	49	43 sessions	6 sessions

Mrs. Harrison