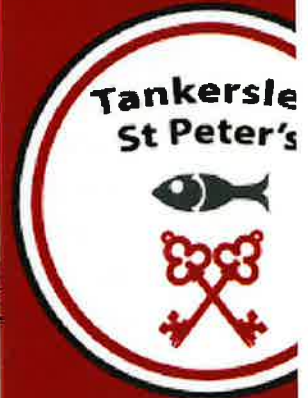


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# Tankersley St. Peter's Primary School

## Dear Tankersley Community



*Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God, myaviour and my hope in you all day long.*



What a remarkable week we have had here at Tankersley. The energy, enthusiasm, and sense of community spirit have been truly outstanding, and I wanted to take a moment to reflect on all that has unfolded.

Our week began with a visit from the maths hub on Monday, and I was delighted to see how impressed they were with our pupils' times tables knowledge. This recognition of their hard work and progress is something we can all celebrate together. Also on Monday, our Y5 attended a trip to Barnsley College catering department to inspire aspirations. They were fabulous in the college and made Miss J proud. The following day brought our KS1 sports day, and what a success it was. The weather blessed us with perfect conditions, and more importantly, the children demonstrated exceptional team spirit and sportsmanship. I was genuinely proud of every single pupil who participated. I must extend my heartfelt thanks to all the parents who attended and supported the event, and to Mr and Mrs Crossley, along with Teddy, whose generous help in setting up made such a difference. We were also fortunate to welcome our Y9 pupils from Kirk Balk, including our own Scarlett, who provided invaluable support throughout the morning.

These young people were a real credit to their school, and their contribution did not go unnoticed. As a fitting end to the morning, we all gathered in the sunshine to enjoy ice pops together—a simple but joyful moment that captured the spirit of the day. My thanks also go to all staff members who gave their time and energy to make the event run smoothly.

Wednesday saw our nursery and foundation children take centre stage at their own sports day. I was genuinely impressed by their enthusiasm, determination, and joy as they ran, jumped, and competed with such vigour. They should be very proud of themselves. Once again, our Y9 pupils and dedicated staff ensured the day was a success. Alongside this celebration of physical achievement, we were delighted to welcome the Hand to Mouth Charity into school. Their visit provided our pupils with a valuable insight into their incredible work supporting vulnerable communities, and their message about kindness, compassion, and helping others resonated deeply. We are grateful for their time and look forward to continuing our support of their fantastic cause.

Thursday proved to be equally eventful. Our governors joined us for a morning immersion in school life, and we were thrilled to showcase our TT Rockstars day—a fabulous celebration of our multiplication learning.

The governors and I witnessed some impressive battles, and I must give a special mention to Ralph, who earned the title of most valuable player across the entire school.

The day brought some delightful surprises, not least a Y5 victory over Y6, which has set up an intriguing challenge with our Y3 and Y4 pupils.



**Dates for your  
diary**

**JUNE**

9<sup>th</sup> July Transition day

10<sup>th</sup> July Science day

10<sup>th</sup> July School summer disco

13th July Y2 trip

16<sup>th</sup> Y3 trip and FS1 trip

16th July SATS results

17<sup>th</sup> KS2 sports day

20th July Y6 panto p.m

21<sup>st</sup> FS2 trip

21<sup>st</sup> Y6 panto p.m

22nd Y6 leavers service 9:30 a.m.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE  
GOING TO BE PLAYING THE  
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE  
ENGLAND MATCH ON  
MONDAY MORNING (SHOULD  
WE WIN!!) AT 9 O'CLOCK, IN  
THE HALL, FOR THE  
CHILDREN.**



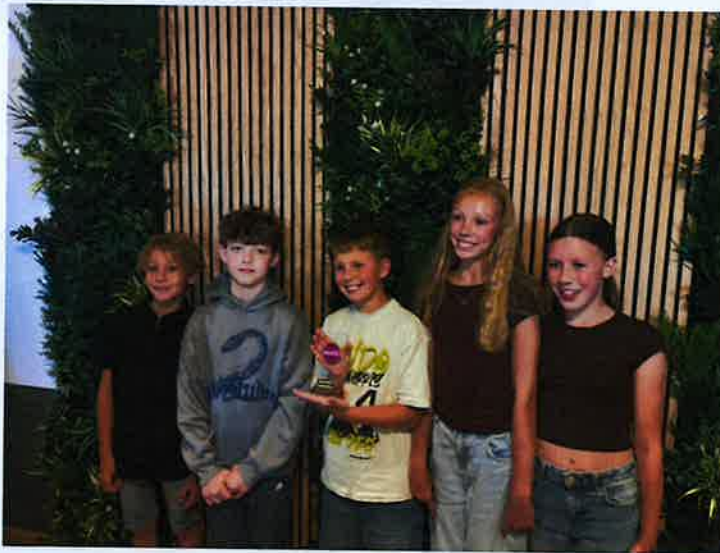
Finally, our Y1 children enjoyed a wonderful school trip to Wigfield Farm, where they met a variety of animals and created lasting memories. The adults were impressed by their excellent behaviour and their role as ambassadors for our school.



We have also had some visitors in from Good News For Everyone, who came to present our Y6 pupils some bibles. This has come from the Sheffield Diocese and I know that they are always impressed with the manners and kindness our children show them.



I have some wonderful news to share. Our sports leaders were nominated for an award at the Barnsley Active Schools event—and they won! We are so proud of all the good work that they do, supported by Mrs Crossley. To add to the excitement, Eleanor and Izzy were nominated as play leader of the year, and they both won too! Amazing work, all.



This weekend, I am hoping to just chill in my garden - last weekend, I tried to plant some flowers, I dug the hole turned around and couldn't find the plant... Callie had eaten it!

COME ON ENGLAND

