## Dalton St Mary's CE Primary School

Summer Term

# **Newsletter 37**

19th July 2017

Dear Parents/Carers and Children,

Another wonderful year at Dalton St Mary's; I feel our school goes from strength to strength with our amazing children, each and every dedicated member of staff and our wonderful community. I would like to sincerely thank you all for your tremendous, continued support. I know I often say it but I really do have the best job in the world! I am grateful for the summer break in many ways but mostly for the time it gives me to reflect upon the past year and make plans for the year ahead, I am so proud of our school. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a wonderful summer and already I am looking forward to welcoming you back in the Autumn Term which begins for the children on **Wednesday 6TH SEPTEMBER 2016**. September 5<sup>th</sup> is an INSET day for staff.

#### **Year 6 Leavers**

T shirts for signing (if desired) should be brought to school in a bag on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July and not worn. Please can we remind children in all other year groups that they **must not** have their t-shirts signed. This is a privilege for the Year 6 children only.

#### **End of Year Service**

We welcome everyone to the end of term service held in St Mary's Church at **1:00pm** on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017**. We still require support to walk down to Church, if you could help with this please ring the office, or call in and let us know. Nursery will be sent a separate letter to outline their arrangements for the end of term. Thank you. Can I please ask that children do not bring any bags to school with them on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July? This will really help with our walk down to Church. If your child has a packed lunch could I please ask that they bring their lunch in a bag on Thursday that can be disposed of after they have finished their lunch? This really helps our end of term arrangements.

We will be dismissing the children a class at a time following the service, class teachers will be seated at the end of the pew with a class list and parents will be invited to collect their children from the class teacher. If you wish your child to walk home by themselves they must bring a note with permission or parents must ring the school office or if you know someone else will be collecting your child could you please send a note or call the office before 12 o'clock with details please.

# All children should be collected from St Mary's Church on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July at 2:00pm

### **Outstanding Money**

Please could all money which is outstanding, for breakfast club and after school club money, be paid in full by tomorrow as it needs to be banked before the end of term.

#### **Year 2 School Dinners**

A reminder to all Year 2 parents that as your children move up to Year 3 they will no longer be entitled to a free school lunch. If you would like your child to continue with their hot lunches they will be charged  $\pounds 2.20$  per meal. This totals  $\pounds 11.00$  each week. Lunches need to be ordered via Dolce Live Kitchen, if you require a log in or have forgotten your password please contact Mrs Irving in the office who will be able to help give you the correct information. Please also contact Mrs Irving if you feel your child may be entitled to a free lunch, she will be happy to help you with this.

### **Nursery Applications**

Applications for places in our Nursery are now being accepted for the next academic year; September 2017, January 2018 and April 2018. Application forms are available from the school office and we are able to provide the **30 Hour Offer for those parents who qualify.** A letter has been issued to all of our current Nursery children and to all our new Nursery children who will join us from September 2017 onwards. If anyone else would like this information please ask Mrs Irving in the office or email her at <a href="mailto:hirving@dsmprimary.com">hirving@dsmprimary.com</a>.

Mrs L Woodburn

# Dear God,

We thank you for our school and all the people who make Dalton St Mary's a wonderful place to be. We ask that you guide our Year 6 pupils as they leave us and begin the next stage of their learning. Amen

#### **Dates for Diaries**

Y6 Leavers' Service Finish for Summer Children return to school 1.00pm (St Mary's Church) Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017 2.00pm (St Mary's Church) Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2017 **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017**