



Dalton St Mary's CE Primary School  
Spring Term  
**Newsletter 25**  
28<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Dear Parents/Carers and Children,

Last week at the South Cumbria Music Festival we had a very successful week ending with our choir being awarded second place in their class and the school were awarded the Forge Europa Bursary for outstanding performance overall. Isla Smith also came 1<sup>st</sup> place in her class along with being awarded a bursary. This week at the Easter Service our choir will be performing in Church giving everyone the opportunity to hear them sing.

### Bingo

Thank you to everyone who joined us on Friday evening for the Family Bingo event. It was a super night and the parent Voice group are happy to report that the grand total of £564.81 was raised on the evening. This money will be used to enhance the learning outdoors opportunities for the children.

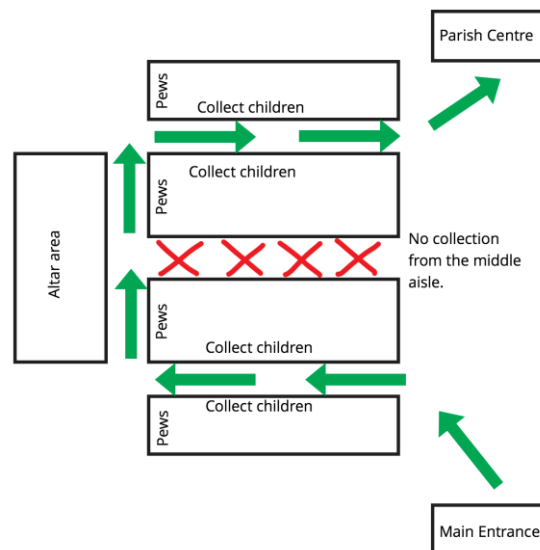
### Easter Service

Can I please ask that children do not bring any bags to school with them on tomorrow? 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 that can be disposed of after they have finished their lunch? This really helps our end of term arrangements.

**Walkers: If you are able to walk to Church with us on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March at 12:30 could you please inform Mrs Hodgson in the school office. Thank you.**

After the Easter service this year, we will be operating a one-way system for collecting children, exiting through the Parish Centre adjacent to the church. Any parent who has not attended the service will need to come in through the main church door when collecting their child and then follow the one-way system. The Parent Voice group are hoping that this will help parents to collect their children in a calm, controlled and safe manner. Can we take this opportunity to thank you in advance for trying this system and remind you that parents should not be parking in the church car park, especially as now families will be exiting this way with children.

If you wish your child to walk home by themselves, they must bring a note with permission or parents must ring the school office. 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.



## Dates for Diaries

Easter	Church Service 1.00 to 2.00	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Back to School		Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2018
YN/YR/Y6 Class Photographs		Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April 2018
Y3 parent Evening		Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2018
The Big Pedal		30 <sup>th</sup> April 2018 to 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
KS1 Disco	3.30 to 4.15	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2018
Bank Holiday		Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Y6 SATs Week	Week Beginning:	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Sports Day		Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Reserve Sports Day		Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Library Bus Visit		Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2018
Swimming Gala		Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Finish for half term		Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Dad's Dinner	Save the date . . .	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2018

## Extra-Curricular Activities

### Morning / Lunchtime Clubs

Club	Leader	Day	Time	Comments
Singing for Fun	Mrs Wright	Wednesday	12.30	Reception/Y1/Y2 (Y3 classroom)
Scrabble	Mrs Rowe	Tuesday	12.25	Y4/Y5/Y6 (Library)
Phonics Club	Mrs Cain	Tuesday	12.30	YR/Y1/Y2 (Reception classroom)
Gardening	Mrs Croskery	Wednesday/Friday	12.30	Y4/Y5/Y6 Children
Craft Club	Mrs Rowe	Friday	12.25	Y6 (Library)

### After School Clubs

Club	Leader	Day	Time	Comments
Multi Sports	Onside Sports	Monday	3.30 to 4.30	Reception and KS1 (Full)
Y5 & Y6 Art Club	Mrs Pickering	Monday	3.30 to 4.30	Y5 Classroom (After Half Term)
Gymnastics	Mrs Dixon/Mrs Spence/Mr Akred	Tuesday	3.30 to 4.30	KS2 (letter to go to home to those children selected)
Story Club	Mrs Ryder	Tuesday	3.30 to 4.00	Nursery, Reception and a grown-up!
Multi Sports	Onside Sports	Wednesday	3.30 to 4.30	KS2 (Booking forms from the Office)
Y2 Art Club	Mrs Ryder	Wednesday	3.30 to 4.15	Year 2 (in Nursery) (WEF 24 <sup>th</sup> January)
Guitar Club	James (Cumbria Music Service)	Wednesday	3.30 to 4.00	Booking through the school office
Performing Arts	Mrs Croskery	Thursday	3.30 to 4.30	KS2 Children (in Hall)