

JUNE 2015

Dear Parents and Carers

It is June already and the children have had a busy May at Nursery both in their indoor and outdoor learning. Highlights include the installation of the mud kitchen, symbolic sand boxes and team hockey.

The transition visits of our pre-schoolers to P1 are going smoothly and our ante-preschoolers have enjoyed showing their parents and carers their nursery and their learning on their playdate.

Nursery Summer Outing - Monday 22nd June

Thank you for starting to return your attendance and payment for our exciting outing to East Links Family Park. We would be grateful if you could let us know as soon as possible if you are able to attend this fun day out together.

Dates for your diary for run up to end of term

Tuesday 2 nd June	Dental nurse chat in Nursery with pre- schoolers about healthy snacks for break time in P1
Thursday 4 th June	Transition visit for pre-schoolers to P1
Friday 12 th June	Lunch for preschoolers and parents and carers in school 11.00am
Monday 15 th June	Bike to school week
Thursday 18 th June	Nursery Sports Day Morning class 10.45- 11.30am. Afternoon class 2.15- 3.00pm
Monday 22 nd June	Nursery Summer outing to East Links Family Park, Dunbar
Thursday 25 th June	Pre-schoolers Nursery graduation Morning class 11.00- 11.30 am. Afternoon class 3.00- 3.30pm
Friday 3 rd July	End of term
Wednesday 19 th August	Nursery re-starts

FAQ - The Answers

Transition Lunch - Friday 12th June

Pre-schoolers have lunch with their parents/carers in the school dining hall for their last transition visit to P1. Parents/carers are invited for 11am arrival at main school entrance where they will meet their child in the school music room, after which they will make their way to the school dining hall.

Nursery Sports day - Thursday 18th June

Separate Sports days for the Morning and Afternoon classes take place on the main school playground astroturf, weather permitting. Alternatively sports day will take place in the school gym hall. Seating will be available for parents/carers beside the marked sports area. At the end of sports day you are welcome to take your child home (there will be a container with children's coats and bags). Please let a member of the Nursery team know you are taking your child home. Nursery staff will take your child back to Nursery until the end of their Nursery session.

Nursery Graduation - Thursday 25th June

The pre-schoolers graduation day is an event which all the children enjoy in the Nursery. Parents/carers are welcome to arrive at 11am (morning class) and 3.00 (afternoon class) and join us in the Nursery garden for the celebration. In the event of poor weather the graduation will take place in the Nursery room. Don't forget the hankies! (and the camera).

And finally, on behalf of Mrs Wheater, Miss Kibble and Mrs Bringmans thank you to all the children and their parents and carers for making St Mary's Nursery such a productive and happy Nursery this year. Enjoy the summer and we look forward to seeing you all back in August - in the Nursery and in P1.
