



# PICKHILL CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



...ACHIEVING MORE TOGETHER

Spring Term 4<sup>th</sup> March 2016

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A reminder that the Mothering Sunday service will be held this Sunday at 9.30am at All Saints Church. During the service all the children will be given a gift to give to their mums.

Please could you ensure that your Parents Evening slips are returned to school by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March.

On Wednesday next week, Class 2 will be visiting the Yorkshire Showground in a 'Grow Your Own Potatoes' challenge. The sessions are run by the Potato Council in conjunction with the Yorkshire Agricultural Society. The children will need a packed lunch on the day and warm outdoor clothing.

The Easter Eggstravaganza will be held on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March from 11.30am to 3pm. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

A message from Miss Leech

Could anybody donate some compost to school as we are wanting to start planting in the raised vegetable beds? We would also be very grateful for any donations of garden equipment, especially trowels.

## Class 1

**Literacy:** We will be learning to use description within our writing, how to use commas to separate words in lists and within expanded noun phrases. We will also be revising our work on different sentence types, identifying exclamations, questions, statements and commands.

**Numeracy:** We will be learning how to find fractions of shapes, quantities and lengths using the vocabulary halves, quarters and thirds.

**Topic:** We will be using Purple Mash to present our Cottingley Fairy information.

## Class 2

**RE** - We are continuing to study the Easter story.

**Computing** - We are continuing to build our web pages.

**Literacy** - We are continuing our work on Beowulf

**DT** - We are continuing designing Viking shields.

**Maths** - We will be learning about time and angles.



## Pupils of the Week

Class 1: Darcey Potter

Class 2: Thomas Alexander



## **After School Clubs from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Baking Club</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Art Club/Year 6 Booster</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Sports Club</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Is it Magic?</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>No cricket</b>

<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Class 2 to Yorkshire Showground - Grow your own potatoes</b>
<b>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Music for Life</b>
<b>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Parents' Evening</b>
<b>Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>11.30am - 3.30pm Easter Eggstravaganza</b>
<b>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	<b>Whole School to Carlton Lodge Activity Centre</b>
<b>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>School Closes for Easter</b>
<b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>School Opens</b>
<b>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Whole School to Gangsta Granny @ Darlington Theatre</b>
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>School Opens</b>
<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>School Closes for Summer</b>