## Middleforth Church of England Primary School

*Our Christian Value this half term is Forgiveness*

Friday 1st April 2022

**Journey to Easter**   
This week, each class has taken part in the Journey to Easter. You will have seen on Seesaw some of our activities including a re-enactment of The Last Supper. Year 2 have been painting feelings and making their own Easter gardens.

**Messy Church**

All are welcome at Messy Church at St Leonard’s on Sunday 9th April, 10am-12pm, for crafts, mess, play, worship and a drink and snack.

**Headteachers Message**

It has been a lovely end to the Spring term to see everyone wearing their different coloured clothes to celebrate our differences for autism awareness.

Thank you to everyone who brought in their amazing and beautiful Easter Gardens. Well done to the prize winners and to everyone who took part.

Year 1 have had lots of fun with their phonics egg hunt, and nursery have also been enjoying an egg hunt today.

Thank you all so much for supporting the Easter Egg Raffle. We have raised **£230.00** which is fantastic!

As we approach the end of term, I would like to thank all the children and parents for your warm welcome. Your support has been much appreciated, and I am looking forward to the summer term.

Wishing you all a lovely Easter.

Mrs Pilkington

**FMS PTFA Book Fair**

It was discussed at this week’s PTFA meeting this week that we will hold a book fair after the May Day celebrations. Please can you bring in any donations of appropriate books before 3rd May, so we can sort them into categories for sale.

Perfect timing if you are having a spring clear out over the break!

**May Day Celebrations 4th & 5th May**

Children from Nursery up to Year 2 are busy practicing their dances and skipping around the May Pole.

Further information regarding bringing their May Day clothes into school, will follow nearer the time.

**Key Dates**

**Tuesday 19th April** – School re-opens

**Wednesday 4th & Thursday 5th May –** May Day

**Monday 16th May -** Y3 & Y4 Trip to Anderton Centre

**Wednesday 25th May** – Young Voices Concert, Manchester Y5 and Y6 *(only for those attending the Young Voices Club)*

**Thursday 26th May** – Y5 Trip to Anderton Centre

**Mon 11th to Weds 13th July** – Y6 Trip to Robinwood

**Stars of the week**Minis: Akhil  
Reception: Jasper & Sam  
Year 1: Alex & Chloe  
Year 2: Jaiden & Andrew  
Year 3: Charlotte & Andreas  
Year 4: George & Raya

Year 5: Helena & Ruben  
Year 6: Oscar & Ryan

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**School term and holiday patterns**

**2021/2022**

**SUMMER TERM 2022**

Re-open on Tuesday 19th April 2022

May Day Closure Monday 2nd May 2022

School closes on Friday 27th May 2022 at 3.15pm

Mid Term Closure Monday 30th May–Thursday 9th June 2022 (Inc. Jubilee bank holiday)

School re-opens on Friday 10th June 2022

School closes on Friday 22nd July 2022 at 2.00pm

**School term and holiday patterns**

**2022/2023**

### Autumn Term 2022

**Re-open on** Monday 5th September 2022

**School closes on** Friday 21st October 2022 **Mid-term closure** Monday 24th October - Friday 28 October 2022

**School re-opens on Monday 31st October 2022  
School closes on**  Friday 16th December 2022

### Spring Term 2023

**Re-open on** Tuesday 3rd January 2023

**School closes on** Friday 10th February 2023  
**Mid-term closure** Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023

**School re-opens on Monday 20th February 2023**  
**School closes on** Friday 31st March 2023

### Summer Term 2023

**Starts** Monday 17th April 2023  
**May Day** Monday 1st May 2023

**School closes on** Friday 26th May 2023  
**Mid-term closure** Monday 29th May – Wednesday 7th June 2023

**School re-opens on Thursday 8th June 2023**  
**School closes on** Friday 21st July 2023