

Park Street Press



Dates for your diary

7/4—21/4: Easter Holidays (school closed)

22/4: Children return to school

24/4: Forest School: Reception

25/4: Y3 & Y4 swimming lessons begin

1/5: Forest School: Year 3

5/5: Bank Holiday: School closed

7/5: 'The Railway Children' production for the whole school

8/5: Forest School: Year 4

12/5: KS2 SATs Week

15/5: Forest School: Year 5

20/5-23/5: Year 5 & Year 6 Residential

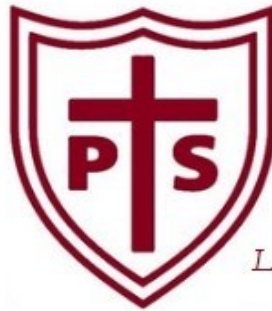
22/5: Forest School: Year 1 & 2

26/5-30/5: HALF TERM

2/6: INSET DAY: School closed

3/6: K'Nex Challenge Day Y5 & Y6

Love
Joy
Courage
Truth



Flourish

LET YOUR
LIGHT SHINE!

Friday 4th April 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are at the end of another busy and eventful term. What a wonderful way to end the term with our lovely Easter service at Holy Trinity Church. Thank you to those of you who were able to join us.

The talented singers of Park Street made us proud once again with the choir's spectacular performance at the Royal Albert Hall last week and with Year 3 performing at the Alban Arena on Monday. They were all fantastic! Well done! A huge thank you to Mrs Duxbury, Mrs Leto, Mrs Noble and Mrs Tominey for all their hard work and to our parents for helping us with rehearsal drop offs and collections! It was all worth it in the end!

We finished today with the 'Easter Adventures' fun organised by our wonderful PTA. A huge thank you to them for their hard work!

One of the highlights for next term will be a special production of the classic, 'The Railway Children' for the whole school to enjoy! I hope you all have a wonderful Easter break, and I look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 22nd April for an exciting summer term ahead.

Monique Gregory
Headteacher

Happy
Easter

Incredible Team Spirit at the Netball Tournament (8th March 2025)

Our netball team showcased exceptional skill, determination and teamwork at this year's tournament! Each player brought their best to the court, demonstrating not only their athleticism but their unwavering commitment to supporting one another. We couldn't be prouder of how the team represented our school. This tournament was an unforgettable experience and achievement.



Hertfordshire Schools' Gala at the Royal Albert Hall

On the 23rd March, our school choir had the incredible honour of performing at the prestigious Royal Albert Hall as part of the Hertfordshire Schools' Gala. This one-in-a-lifetime opportunity allowed our talented singers to showcase their hard work, dedication and passion on one of world's most iconic stages. A massed choir of primary and secondary singers and the Hertfordshire County Youth Choir performed alongside the Hertfordshire Schools' Symphony Orchestra and the HMS Steel Orchestra.

It was an amazing experience and a proud moment for our school community!



Exciting wedding news!

Over the Easter holidays, Miss Barta (Y6 teacher) will be getting married! She will be Mrs Keeble when we return after the break! We are sure you will join us in wishing her and Mr Keeble all the best as they head into the next exciting chapter of their lives!



Our Curriculum in Action

Nursery

What a fantastic final week of the term we have had! We enjoyed listening to 'We're going on an Egg hunt' and counting how many eggs the bunnies found. We went for our very own Easter egg hunt after making Easter hats. We took part in egg rolling races too! We joined in practising and performing our hot cross buns song and had a real hot cross bun as part of our snack time this week. Have a lovely restful Easter holiday!



Reception

Super Saplings have been finding out about why some people might eat hot cross buns on Good Friday. We have discovered that the cross on top of the bun reminds Christians of the cross that Jesus died on, the shape of the bun is similar to the tomb that Jesus' body was placed in and the sweet spices encourage Christians to remember the spices placed on the body of Christ. We also found out a very interesting historical fact, that some of the first hot cross buns were made in St Albans Cathedral! Saplings especially enjoyed finding out how hot cross buns tasted at snack time! Yummy!



Year 1

Willow class had an exciting week creating their fruit salad designs in DT. Some children got creative with their designs and arranged their fruit into a smiley face! In forest school, Willows had an amazing time creating their Easter bonnet hats, doing an Easter egg hunt and walking in the Easter bonnet parade.



Year 2

Maple class have had a fantastic past 2 weeks right before the Easter holiday. They started off their fun filled activities with a tree planting day over by the recreation ground, which they will hopefully be able to see grow into the loveliest trees as they complete their journey through Park Street School. We then carried on over to our 'Skip2BeFit' day where we all practised our skipping skills, in hopes of getting better and better at skipping as the weeks go by. Finally, to round up the last week of school right before the summer term we had a lovely afternoon out in Forest School taking part in lots of Easter Activities.



Year 3



On Monday we had the privilege of singing with over 200 children from 6 other primary schools in St. Albans at the 'Under the Sea' SAPSMA concert at the Alban Arena. We thoroughly enjoyed singing songs based around all things nautical including 'Under the Sea' from 'The Little Mermaid' and the 60s classic 'Surfin' USA.' The children were impeccably behaved and did Park Street proud!



Year 4

Last Thursday, our Year 4 pupils had an absolute blast taking part in an awesome skipping workshop! It was full of energy, laughter, and a proper workout. The children learned new techniques, challenged themselves, and left with big smiles and tired legs! We'd also like to give a special mention to our beautiful Easter service this morning. The poems read by our students were heartfelt and thoughtful—what a lovely way to celebrate the season.



Year 5



In Forest School, Year 5 had to 'crack' the tree code to solve a riddle. They also used the forest as inspiration for designing their Easter Egg cards. They also got to enjoy spending time together exploring and relaxing!



Year 6

Year 6 have had a busy end of term and have been working very hard in making sure that they are achieving their own goals and making progress! They also enjoyed their lawyer visit, where they had the opportunity to have all their questions answered. The final Easter Service was also incredible where the children confidently showcased their talent. Year 6 also wanted to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy Easter and a fantastic restful holiday.



MONDAY
TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
FRIDAY
WEEK 1
22 APRIL, 12 MAY, 9 JUNE, 30 JUNE, 21 JULY, 3 SEPT, 22 SEPT, 13 OCT

MAIN MEAL 1	Chicken Curry	Quorn Burger in a Bun 🍌	Roast Chicken with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Pork Sausages with Gravy	Battered Fish Fillet
MAIN MEAL 2	All Day Breakfast (Omelette, Grilled Tomato, Beans) 🍌	Beany Seashell Pasta 🍌	Cheesy Spring Vegetable & Potato Bake 🍌	Sweet & Sour Quorn 🍌	Cheese & Tomato Pizza 🍌
SIDE DISH	Brown & White Rice or Hash Brown	Potato Wedges or Herby Garlic Bread	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Diced Potatoes or Brown & White Rice	Potato Wedges or Tricolour Pasta
COLD OPTION	Tuna	Cheese Spread	Ham	Cheese	Egg
EXTRA OPTION	Jacket Potato with choice of: cheese, beans, cheese & beans or tuna	Jacket Potato with choice of: cheese, beans or cheese & beans	Jacket Potato with choice of: cheese, beans, cheese & beans or tuna	Jacket Potato with choice of: cheese, beans, cheese & beans or tuna	Jacket Potato with choice of: cheese, beans, cheese & beans or tuna
DESSERT	Tropical Crumble with Ice Cream 50% Fruit 🍌	Fresh Fruit Wedges 🍌	Fresh Fruit Jelly 50% Fruit 🍌	Chocolate Pastry Whirl 🍌 🍌	Lemon Shortbread 🍌

WEEK 2
28 APRIL, 19 MAY, 16 JUNE, 7 JULY, 8 SEPT, 29 SEPT, 20 OCT

MAIN MEAL 1	Bean & Cheese Slice 🍌	Chicken Pie with Gravy	Roast Beef with Gravy	Beef Burger in a Bun	Salmon & Sweet Potato Fishcake
MAIN MEAL 2	Macaroni Cheese 🍌	Mild Mexican Bean Chilli 🍌	Plant Sausages with Gravy 🍌	Roasted Summer Veg Pasta 🍌	Cheese & Tomato Pizza 🍌
SIDE DISH	Diced Potatoes or Herby Garlic Bread	Potato Wedges or Brown & White Rice	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Wholemeal Pasta or Diced Potatoes	Chips or Tricolour Pasta
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DESSERT	Apple Cornflake Crunch 50% Fruit 🍌 🍌	Fresh Fruit Wedges 🍌	Fresh Fruit Jelly 50% Fruit 🍌	Jammy Cookie 🍌	Chocolate Muffin 🍌

WEEK 3
6 MAY, 2 JUNE, 23 JUNE, 14 JULY, 15 SEPT, 6 OCT

MAIN MEAL 1	Chicken & Sweetcorn Meatballs with a Tomato Sauce	Beef Bolognese	Roast Pork with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Quorn Hot Dog 🍌	Fish Fillet Fingers
MAIN MEAL 2	Breaded Bean & Vegetable Grill 🍌	Mild Sweet Potato & Chickpea Curry 🍌	Creamy Quorn & Sweetcorn Pasta Bake 🍌 🍌	Roasted Veg Lasagne 🍌	Cheese & Tomato Pizza 🍌
SIDE DISH	Spaghetti or Diced Potatoes	Pasta or Brown & White Rice	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Potato Wedges or Herby Garlic Bread	Chips or Tricolour Pasta
COLD OPTION	Cheese	Ham	Tuna	Cheese Spread	Egg
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DESSERT	Strawberry Mousse 🍌	Fresh Fruit Wedges 🍌	Fresh Fruit Jelly 50% Fruit 🍌	Ice Cream with Chocolate Cookie "Wafer" 🍌	Pineapple Pastry Squares 50% Fruit 🍌 🍌



Vegetables and a variety of salads are served daily.
 🍌 = Vegetarian 🍌 = Vegan.


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