



# ST MARGARET'S

## PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Summer 2: Week 6

*Proverbs 22:6 'Train up a child in the way he should go:  
and when he is old, he will not depart from it.'*

Dear Parents and Carers, ,

### **World Vision Celebration – A Huge Success!**

What a fantastic event our World Vision celebration was! It was truly heart-warming to see so many families coming together to support their children. The energy, creativity, and community spirit on display made the day incredibly special. From cultural displays to fantastic performances and beautiful artwork, our pupils shone brightly. A huge thank you to everyone who contributed – it was, as always, a tremendous success! Our artwork will be on sale during the Festival of Hope/Cultural Festival on the 14th July - we look forward to seeing you there.

### **Message from the Mayor – Borough-Wide Art Competition**

We are delighted to share an exciting opportunity for our pupils, from the Mayor of Barking & Dagenham, Cllr Princess Bright:

*"As part of my charitable initiatives for the mayoral year, I am delighted to launch a borough-wide art competition for primary school pupils, under the theme: "Why I Love Barking & Dagenham."*

*This initiative aims to raise funds for my chosen charities, Crohn's & Colitis UK and AbPhab Youth Club, through the creation and sale of the 2026 Mayor's Charity Calendar. Twelve outstanding pieces of artwork will be selected—each representing a month of the year—and featured in the calendar.*

*All participants will be invited to a celebratory reception in the Mayor's Parlour for the unveiling of the winning entries."*

**love... joy... patience... kindness... self-control**

## Key Information:

- **Theme:** *"Why I Love Barking & Dagenham"*
- **Eligibility:** *Primary school pupils*
- **Deadline:** *Monday, 14 July 2025*
- **Submission Email:** [Mayor@lbdd.gov.uk](mailto:Mayor@lbdd.gov.uk)

Let's get creative! We encourage all pupils to take part in this exciting and meaningful project, showcasing their love for our borough while supporting two wonderful charities.

## **Keeping Cool During the Heatwave**

As the weather remains incredibly warm, we kindly ask parents and carers to ensure the following:

- Children should come to school in summer uniform
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- Please provide a refillable water bottle each day
- 
- Apply suncream before school
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- Hats are encouraged during outdoor play

On particularly hot days, the school may implement adjusted arrangements to ensure everyone's safety and comfort. We will communicate these changes as needed.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping our children stay safe and well.

## **A Word of Faith – Community and Support**

*"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."*  
— Galatians 6:2

At St Margaret's, we are proud of the supportive and compassionate community we've built together. Let us continue to walk in kindness, lifting one another up as we grow and learn together.

Thank you for your ongoing support and for being part of the St Margaret's family.

Warm wishes,

Mrs Bannon  
Headteacher

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# STARS OF THE WEEK!

## Reception

Week ending:

4th July 2025



## Year 1



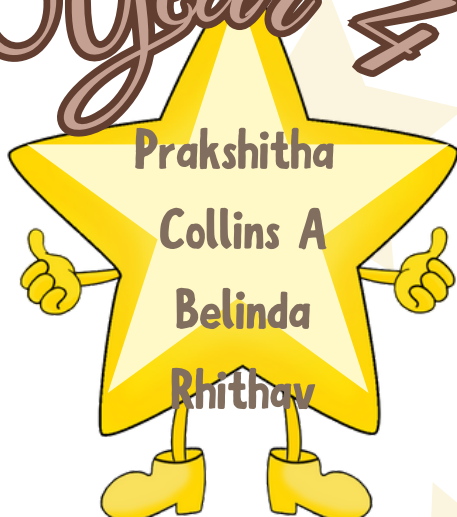
## Year 2



## Year 3



## Year 4



## Year 5



## Year 6



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# PRESENTATION AWARDS

*David*  
*year 1*

*Nikhilesh*  
*year 4*

## PROGRESS CUP AWARD

KS1

KS2

Manuella



# Attendance of the week:

Well done to

Year 3J  
100%



*For Winning 'Attendance of the Week'  
with the best attendance of:  
96.2%*

## Attendance

Many of you may have seen media coverage regarding the importance of school attendance and the increase in penalty notice tariff.

Our school is working with the services of Education Welfare Advisory & Support Service Ltd who will be supporting us in monitoring attendance.

As a school, we want to support you but we will challenge and enforce irregular attendance without justifiable cause.

Please note, we will require medical evidence for absences of 5 days or more or where patterns of absences emerge. In addition, persistent lateness will be closely monitored and leaves of absence during term time will not be granted in accordance with government guidelines. If taken, a penalty notice will be served.

Please contact the school office if you would like any support with your child's attendance.

# School Book Bag

Reception to Year 5 only

Please ensure your child has a book bag with the St Margaret's logo. Please see image below.

Order online from Price and Buckland.



Thank you

## Change of Emergency details

If you have changed any personal details, address, mobile number, emergency contacts.

Please let the office know asap.



Thank you



# Term Dates

2024 - 2025



## St Margaret's C of E Primary School

### 2024 - 2025 School Calendar

#### September 2024

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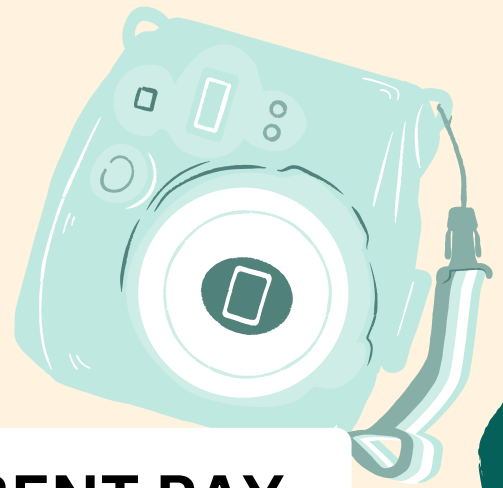
# SCHOOL TRIP

YEAR 4

EPHING FOREST  
10<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025

YEAR 6

LION KING  
9<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025



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2025**

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Dear Parent/Carer,

This year, we are happy to welcome parents back to the excitement of sports day!  
Sports day will be held on:

**EYFS (Reception): Wednesday 16th July 2025 at 9:30am - 11:30am** in the back playground  
(further information will come from the class teacher closer to the event)

**KS1: 9.30 - 11:30am, Tuesday 8th July 2025** - These events will be held at **St Joseph's school, Barking**. The park side gate will be open from 9:20 - 9:40 am to allow St Margaret's parents to come and watch the children, please ensure you arrive between these times as the gate will be locked and no late comers will be able to get in. **Please do not go to the main gate or St Joseph's office**. Toilets will not be available on site.

**KS2: 9.30 – 11.30am, Tuesday 15th July 2025** - The above will apply for this day too.

On the day, we ask that children come to school in full PE kit, plimsolls or trainers and a T-shirt of their team's colours. Your class teacher will let you know which colour team your child is on closer to the date. As always, we remind our children that sports day is a fun-filled day and while it is competitive, we want to see St Margaret's children cheering each other on – even in defeat!.

**Please ensure your child has plenty of water, a sun hat and is wearing sun cream for the day.**

Please arrive promptly, should you wish to attend sports day to cheer on your child.

Yours sincerely,



Miss Foster  
PE Lead

*St Margaret's*

**GREEN**

*St Edward's*

**YELLOW**

*Houses*

*St George's*

**RED**

*St Mary's*

**BLUE**



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**WEDNESDAY 30TH JULY**



## **ULTIMATE DODGEBALL**

**TUESDAY 5TH AUGUST**

## **QUIDDITCH**

**WEDNESDAY 6TH AUGUST**



## **INFLATABLES**

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# ***Essex Fire Museum***

## ***Open Day***



***Sunday 29th  
June  
2025***

***10:30AM  
To  
4:00PM***

***Fire Sta tion, Hogg Lane, Grays  
RM17 5QS***

***Book Now***





# HARMONY HOUSE SUMMER FETE

THE WHOLE COMMUNITY IS  
WELCOME!

**SATURDAY,  
JULY 26TH**

at Harmony House  
Dagenham, RM9 6XN  
From 10:00am - 05:00pm

**FREE TO ATTEND!**

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## ACTIVITIES:

- Bouncy Castle
- Face painting and hair braiding
- Nursery Open House
- Sensory Room
- Food stalls
- Craft stalls
- Nursery performance
- Games
- Raffles
- Beat the goalie
- Photo booth
- Musical performances
- And much more!



## SCHEDULE:



**NURSERY PERFORMANCES AND CEO WELCOME  
11AM**



**STORYTELLING SESSIONS:  
10:30AM, 12PM, 1PM, 2PM, 3PM**



**LIVE MUSICAL PERFORMANCES  
11:30AM AND 2:30PM**



# Omega Sportz Summer Activity Camp

**Barking &  
Dagenham**

@ John Perry Primary School  
Charles Road, Dagenham  
Essex, RM10 8UR



Arts & Crafts

Team Games

**4 Weeks of Fun for  
Children Aged 5-12**

Ball Sports

Hot lunch Included

**Week 1: 28<sup>th</sup> July – 31<sup>st</sup> July**  
**Week 2: 4<sup>th</sup> Aug – 7<sup>th</sup> Aug**  
**Week 3: 11<sup>th</sup> Aug – 14<sup>th</sup> Aug**  
**Week 4: 18<sup>th</sup> Aug – 21<sup>st</sup> Aug**

Bouncy Castle



Dance

**10am - 2pm**

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Eligibility check required

Science Experiments

Animal Workshops

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# Hello Summer

We break up at 1.30pm  
on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 25  
Please arrive on time  
Thank you



**Back to School**  
**Thursday**  
**4<sup>th</sup> September 25**

