

## **St Martin's CE Primary School**

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Headteacher: Mrs B McManus

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a wonderful first week back at St Martin's.

We have enjoyed welcoming Mr McBride and Toffee to our team and are delighted to say that both have settled in well.



We have a busy summer term planned, so I have put some reminders for you of events and dates for the diary below.

Thank you to all who downloaded Scopay and have been registering your child's meals. Please remember that you must register your child's lunch choices by midnight Friday for the week ahead, after that time you cannot make changes. Any problems, please do pop in to the office to see us.

Finally, we are keen for you to get to know our fantastic staff team a little better, so will be writing a short staff bio for each newsletter, please see below for our first entry, the wonderful Mrs Budgell!

Have a super weekend. Best wishes,

Mrs McManus



The King's Coronation

We will be celebrating the Coronation in school on Friday 5th May.

Please send your child with a packed lunch on this day (any pupils who eat school meals will be given one to take out). All children will enjoy a longer lunchtime, with a picnic, games and music on the field.

## **Dates for the diary**

Date	What	Where and When
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Bank holiday – School Closed	
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Coronation picnic – packed	Pupils only – school field
	lunch day	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank holiday – School Closed	
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Term ends	3.20pm – usual end of day
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Term begins	8.40am (usual start time)
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Class photos	During the school day
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> and Friday	Year 6 Bikeability	In school – morning only (More
9 <sup>th</sup> June		information coming at parent
		meeting 1 <sup>st</sup> March)
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Whole School Sports Day – All	Afternoon, details to follow
	parents/family welcome	
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> –	Year 6 Residential –	(More information coming at
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Brenscombe	parent meeting 1st March)
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	"Bump-up" day	Y6 to new schools for the day
		EYFS – Y5 – session in their new
		class
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term	School as usual, usual drop
	Eco Day – Details TBC	off/collection time
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	INSET day – School closed to	
	pupils	

## **Farewell to Mrs King**

We are very sad to say that Mrs King, who has dedicated almost a decade of service to the school, will be leaving us on Friday 28th April. We would like to invite any parents that are free to join us to come and wish her well, this will be at the end of Celebration Worship on Friday 28<sup>th</sup>. For this reason, our celebration (only on this day) will begin at 2.50pm, rather than the usual 3pm.

## **Staff Bio**



Name: Mrs Budgell

When did you start at St Martin's:

I started in 2021 as a LSA, I now work in the office

What do you like most at about being at St Martin's:

Seeing children's smiles

Favourite food: Chinese

Hobbies: Being with my family and kick boxing