



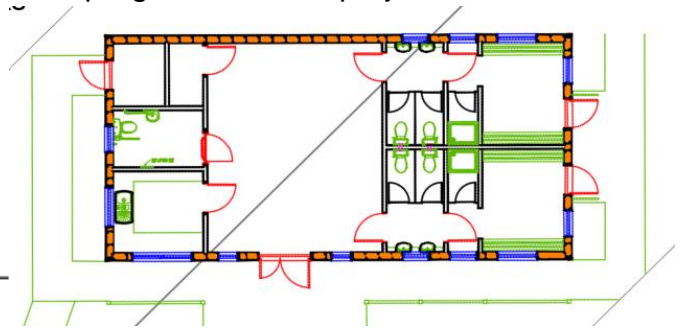
Dear parents and carers,

### Sports Pavilion Update

I had the pleasure of being able to meet with the architect today to review the final proposal of the building before we submit the design for planning at the end of the month. This is a really exciting time for the school and it is hoped we will be able to make progress with this project after the Easter holiday. Below is how we think the pavilion will look.



Front Elevation



### Playground equipment

I am pleased to inform parents and children that the playground equipment will be replaced after the Easter break and work will commence in late April. Naturally we are excited about this news and we are grateful to the support of The PTA through our families to be able to purchase this equipment. With out your support our fundraising for projects such as these would not be able to take place.

### Community Breakfast

Our next PTA fundraising event is the **Community Breakfast on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March from 8:30am to 11:30am.**

Why not buy a ticket and come along to support YOUR child's school in being able to add to the super projects we have already raised funds for. We would also be grateful for those who will be able to support on the day.

### Bring a Bottle – Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March

As part of our fundraising for the Community Breakfast bottle tombola, we would be most grateful if parents would send in a bottle on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March. Thank you in advance.

### Teachers Industrial Action

Next week the NEU have two days of industrial action planned – 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> March 2023. I will of course continue to review the situation as we approach each individual date of planned action and keep parents informed as far as I am able on this matter.

Thank you

**Christopher Dale**  
Headteacher

**ST NICHOLAS CE PRIMARY ACADEMY PTA**



# COMMUNITY BREAKFAST

**SATURDAY 25<sup>th</sup> MARCH**  
**8.30AM 'TIL 11.30am**

Most diets  
(gluten, lactose etc)  
can be  
catered for!



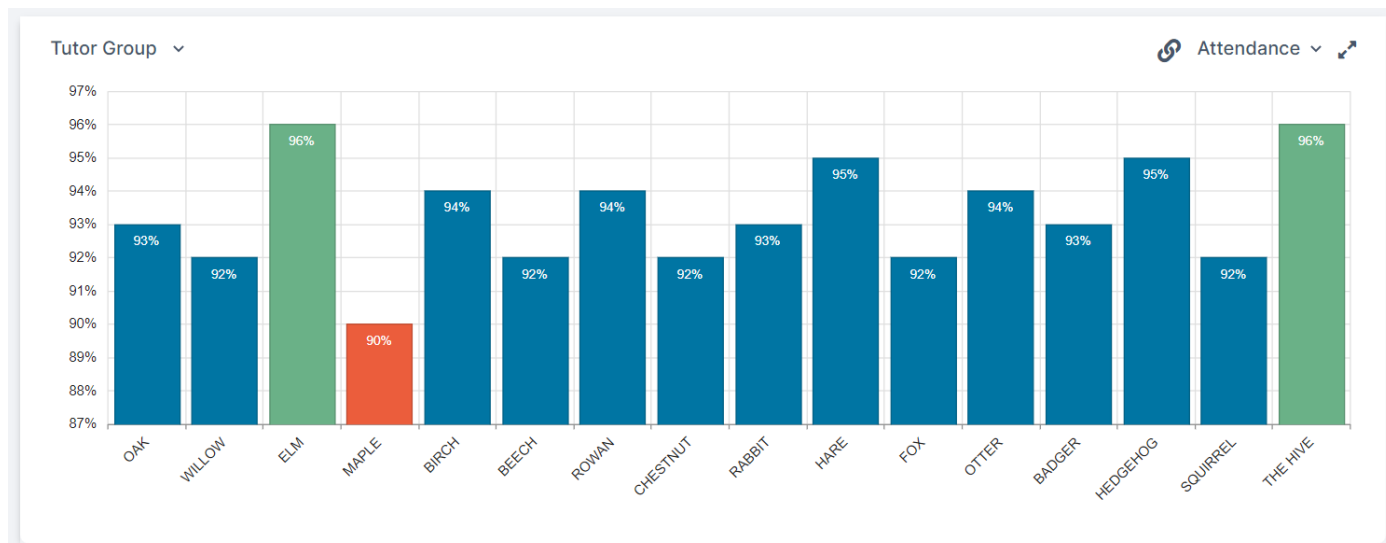
**Full English £6,**  
**Children 11 & under ½ price -**  
**Unlimited tea and coffee**  
**CASH ONLY on the day, or tickets bought in**  
**advance from 27/01/23 at school.**

**Everyone welcome!**

## Attendance – Every Day Counts

Thank you to everyone who has been sending their children to school every day. We are aiming for **96%** attendance. Our whole school attendance has gone up this week to: **93.2%**.

**Thank you to all those families who see the importance of sending their children to school every day and on time.**



**Well done to all the classes who have attendance of 94% or above - Elm, Birch, Rowan, Hare, Otter, Hedgehog and The Hive**

## Red Nose Day

The School Council are proposing a biscuit sale **after school on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March** to raise funds for Red Nose Day. Please bring along your donations for the biscuit sale - which will take place after school on this date. Many thanks in advance for your support.



## Awards



**Star of the Week Awards went to:**

**Hedgehog:** Maggie P, **Otter:** Clara A **Hare:** Theo S, **Fox:** Nellie R, **Rowan:** Vinnie T, **Beech:** Rocco F, **Maple:** Riley J, **Oak:** Maddie H



**Reader of the Week Awards went to:**

**Squirrel:** Jessa B, **Badger:** Samuel E, **Rabbit:** Neive R, **Chestnut:** Sophie M, **Birch:** Ernest P, **Elm:** George G



**This week's birthdays:** Albert E, Leia T, Jaxon C, Ella I, Felicity P, Tyler M, Aila M – many happy returns to you all!

**Nicholas Bear was awarded to Beech Class! Congratulations for excellent manners all week!**

**Advanced notice – please put this date in your diary!**

## Open Classes and Parent Teacher Consultations



**Parents**



Open classes will take place on **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March from 3:15pm**. This will give parents an opportunity to review their child's work prior to the Parent Teacher Consultations, which are scheduled to take place on **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2023**. Bookings will open on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March.



**Evening**



## PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Could offer time to help at PTA events? If so we would love to hear from you. Please pass on your details to the school office. It would be great to have more parents who would be willing to support us at events and functions. We look forward to hearing from you.



### Future events from the PTA include:

- **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Community Breakfast from 8.30am onwards** – Tickets can be bought in advance from the school office.
- **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April – Spring Bingo – Eyes down at 7pm** (this is a parent only event) People are welcome to book tables and bring their own food and drink for this event. More details to follow.
- **Summer Car Boot – June 2023** watch out for more details soon.
- **School Summer Fair – Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July 11.00am onwards** - If you would like to help support us with these events we would love to hear from you.

## EASYFUNDRAISING – SUPPORT ST NICHOLAS ONLINE

### GET STARTED

### How to support St Nicholas CE Primary Academy

- 1 Sign up**  
Provide us with a few details to set up your profile with easyfundraising.
- 2 Download our browser extension**  
Our Donation Reminder plug-in pops up automatically when you shop to let you know when a donation is available.
- 3 Track your donations**  
You'll be able to see how much you've raised in your account and we'll send updates on when St Nicholas CE Primary Academy gets paid.

You can raise FREE donations for St Nicholas CE Primary Academy EVERY time you shop online. Just use #easyfundraising!

This month we raised over £170

Please support us:

Visit the link below or scan the QR code [www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause)

When you log on just look for our school



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