



15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

### **KS2 Dinner Accounts**

Please can you ensure that your child's dinner account has enough credit in it in order for them to have a school meal. We are noticing an increase of outstanding dinner money owing to the school. A reminder can be set up on your telephone. In order to do this please refer to easy guide on the Scopay parent information page: How to set up parental Alerts..

### **St Barnabas Easter Kids Craft Morning**

**\*\* Treasure Hunt, Crafts, Games & Hot Cross Buns \*\*** Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> March 10-11.30am at the Paterson Centre. This is a free event for children 3-10yrs, parents to stay with children for the session.

An all-age family Service will be held on Easter Sunday at 10am with Easter Egg Hunt after, do join us!



### **Easter Uncracked Holiday Club at Shirrell Heath Methodist Church**

**Easter Uncracked Holiday Club** at Shirrell Heath Methodist Church 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> between 9.30am and 12.30pm. Years R to 6 all welcome. Not long now to register.

<https://shyouthchildren.wixsite.com/website>

Stories, drama, cooking, craft, games, action songs. Look forward to seeing you.

### **Staff Vacancies**

We currently have two Key Stage 2 Class Teacher positions, two Teaching Assistant positions and Lunchtime Supervisory Assistant positions available which we have further details on our website [www.swanmoreprimary.org.uk](http://www.swanmoreprimary.org.uk)- vacancies can be found under, Our School – Staff – Staff Vacancies.

### **Edwards & Ward**

Edwards & Ward have a vacancy for a catering assistant role in the school kitchen. If you would like more information or to apply for the role, please follow the link to indeed.

<https://uk.indeed.com/jobs?q=edwards+and+ward&l=Swanmore%2C+Hampshire&vjk=974464b5d365bf6c>

### **Y1C Enterprise Activity**

Each year every year group across the school takes part in an enterprise activity to raise some money for a chosen charity. Y1 will be making and selling fruit kebabs for £1 each on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March, and inviting the parents to buy them from the year 1 area outside classrooms from 3:20pm.

### **Church Café at St. Barnabas**

March Café Church - Sunday 17th March, 10am Paterson Centre, Swanmore. Join us for pastries, fruit, tea & coffee with craft activities for the children.

### **Dates for your Calendar 23/24**

Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day

Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> June Back up Sports Day

Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July Y6 Leavers Service at St. Barnabas

Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July Y6 Bell Ringing

### **Inset Days for the Academic Year 23/24**

Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May

### **School Closures for the Academic Year 23/24**

Friday, 29th March Good Friday

Monday, 6th May Early May bank holiday



Did you know Spanish is in the TOP 3 most spoken languages?

## **Spanish Lunchtime Club – Thursday's – Summer Term 2024**

We have spaces at our Spanish lunchtime club at Swanmore Primary School on Thursday's from 12.15pm to 12.45pm (Yr 2 and up) and from 12.45pm to 1.15pm (Yr R and Yr 1)

If you are interested in signing up your child, please click on my booking link <https://spanish-4-kids.classforkids.io> selecting the relevant school club to secure your child's place.

**Alternatively, if you wish to book a TRIAL lesson to give your child a chance to try a Spanish club, please feel free to using the above link!**

If you have any questions, please do feel free to get in touch with me direct.

Many thanks,  
Pippa Chia

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# 1 2 3 4 FOSPS DECLARE A **COIN WAR!**

## 11TH - 22ND MARCH

HOW IT WORKS:

EACH CLASS HAS A JAR

THE CHILDREN BRING COPPER COINS IN TO FILL THEIR JAR TO COMPETE TO BE THE CLASS WITH THE HIGHEST VALUE OF COINS IN THEIR JAR BY THE 22ND MARCH.

THERE IS OPPORTUNITY TO SABOTAGE OTHER CLASSES JARS WITH SILVER COINS.  
JAR TOTALS WILL BE COUNTED AND ANNOUNCED IN THE LAST WEEK OF TERM WITH A PRIZE FOR CHILDREN IN THE WINNING CLASS!

ALL COINS WILL BE KEPT AND ADDED TO FOSPS FUNDS

**A PRIZE FOR EACH  
CHILD IN THE  
WINNING CLASS**





# Spring Concert

Featuring:

**Swanmore Wind Band**

and Emily Sandoval on vocals



£7.50  
adults

FREE  
U16's

**St Barnabas Church,  
Swanmore**

**Saturday 18th May | 7.30pm start**

**Tickets** available from

John Sharpe 01489 892750

Sarah Woodman 07771 801579

Ed Wright 07765 406336

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/st-barnabas-church-swanmore](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/st-barnabas-church-swanmore)



Charity No. 1125899

## Diary Dates for the Spring Term

<b>Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> March - Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	FOSPS Coin Wars
<b>Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	Y1 Enterprise Fruit Kebabs – 3.20pm
<b>Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Parent’s Evening YR, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6
<b>Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Rocksteady Concert
<b>Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Listen to Me Brass Concert Y3
<b>Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Y4 Production 2pm
<b>Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Y4 Production 6.30pm
<b>Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Y2 Planetarium Workshop
<b>Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	YR Planetarium Mini Show
<b>Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Charity Day
<b>Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> – Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Easter Holidays
<b>Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	First Day Back From Break
<b>Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Y2 Digging for Dinosaurs Workshop
<b>Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b>	Careers Fair
<b>Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Y4S Worship St. Barnabas – 9.15am
<b>Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Y1JG Class Assembly – 2.55pm
<b>Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	FOSPS Colour Run
<b>Wednesday, 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Y4M Worship St. Barnabas – 9.15am
<b>Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> – Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Y5 Swanage Residential