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## Dear parents,

Another great week in school and lots to share with you all. So many events and activities to share and celebrate.

Our super star football team attended the small school football tournament on Friday and after a tough set of rounds they made it to the semifinal! The sportsmanship these children displayed both during and in between matches was incredible! They cheered each other and every other team



on, shook hands with opponents and ensured they not only played the best but also brought joy to everyone around them. We are immensely proud!





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This week the whole school went to the museum of science and industry in Manchester. This trip was planned by our science lead Miss Millington and it was certainly one to remember! The children were treated to workshops about the Industrial Revolution, textiles, the digestive system and a whole floor of exciting experiments. As always, the children

were a credit to us and they really immersed themselves in the day. As a special treat the PTA bought a bolt on workshop for all the children around poop and how it is created. This was a journey of discovery from the mouth right through the digestive system. As you can imagine the children loved this part of the day! A very special thank you to PTA for providing yet another exciting experience for our children.





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On Wednesday we will be accepting entries to our dress the egg competition. This is open to all children and is a chance to get creative with families at home and create eggcellent, crafty and interesting eggs. Examples may be Eggy Potter, the egg force or eggs in fancy dress. The children can be as creative as they like, the wackier the better! Please ensure all entries are brought to school on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> so we have time to judge the best entry from each class.

Next week is our last week in school before the Easter holidays and we have lots of exciting things planned for the children. On Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March we would like to invite you to a celebration assembly at 9.15am. This is a chance for the children to share their amazing work with you. This term the focus will be RE in line with our recent SIAMS inspection - please do come and join us.

Also on Thursday we will hold our annual egg rolling competition. All children are invited to bring a hard-boiled egg to school that morning and the child who rolls their egg the furthest wins the prize. Last year the competition was tough and we are expecting great competition again this year!

On Thursday we close for the Easter holidays. There will be no Lego club on this day so all staff can have a well-earned rest and spend time with families after a busy half term. I would like to take the chance to thank the staff for the incredible work they do for our little school. So much progress and development has taken place since I took up post as your headteacher in January 2023 and this wouldn't have been possible without the amazing team we have at Pott Shrigley Church School. Eternally grateful for their hard work, loyalty, drive for high standards and ability to make the school such a great place to be!

Many of you will know that Arlo & Meadow's Mum, Lauren, is running a total of four races this spring – she has completed one already. All funds raised will be split between Pott Shrigley PTA & Bollington preschool – if you'd like to sponsor Lauren please do via this link: <a href="https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/lauren-snelson?utm">https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/lauren-snelson?utm</a> term=6dxJwXGyJ

Finally, out merit winners this week

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Hugo	Clark	Eden

Have a wonderful Easter break with your children and families and enjoy making memories. I am very much looking forward to hearing all about the children's Easter fun when we return to school on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April.

Kind Regards

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## **Diary Dates:**

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March – After School SATS Club Year 6

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March - Class 2 Geography Field Trip - bring wellies / boots &

waterproof jacket

- After School Sports Club

Wednesday 27th March - After School Cheerleading Club

- Dress the Egg entries to be in school.

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March - Celebration Assembly - 9.15am

- Egg rolling competition - please bring in a hard-boiled egg

- NO AFTER SCHOOL LEGO CLUB

- Last day of term

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April - School reopens for Summer Term 1