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The cadets have just returned from an action-packed and unforgettable week at camp! From tackling adrenaline-fueled obstacle courses and testing their aim on the range, to storming buildings and facing off in intense close-quarter battles — with zombies, no less — every day was a new adventure. Their energy, teamwork, and determination paid off in a big way, as the week ended with a huge triumph: they've done it again bringing home the Altcar Champions Cup for the best contingent! What an incredible achievement and a week to remember! Thank you to all the staff who have supported the cadets.



We couldn't have asked for better weather for this year's Primary Sports Day – the sun was shining and the energy was



high! The children had a brilliant time taking part in all the usual events, from races and relays to the always-popular sack race and egg and spoon.

There was loads of cheering as everyone got behind their house teams, showing great team spirit and support. A big well done to all the pupils for giving it their all, and thanks to everyone who came along to cheer them on – it really made the day extra special!

Next week, our Year 6 pupils will be putting on their enterprise hats and running their very own fundraising stalls on Tuesday 8th July! Get ready for an afternoon of fun with activities including:

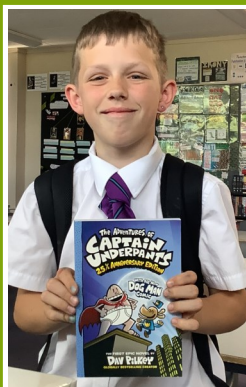
☑ Penalty shoot-out, ☑ Face painting & tattoos, ☑ Bracelets, ☑ Guess how many sweets in the jar, ☑ Guess the name of the bear, ☑ Tin can alley, ☑ Lucky dip. Prices will range from just 20p to £1, so bring along some change and join in the fun! All money raised will go towards a well-deserved end-of-year treat for our amazing Year 6s. Thank you for your support!

Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy

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What a busy year it has been! Since September, we have given out over 45 books to 15 different students. Every student was extremely grateful and we can't wait to continue this scheme in the 25/26 academic year. Our final Matilda of the Month is Cian from year 7, who requested the adventures of 'Captain Underpants' – enjoy Cian!

Lets look back at some of other "Matilda's" of the year ! All of them loving their books and enjoying a good read! Remember to keep reading over the summer everyone. Local libraries are running competitions with prizes!



Some of the children in Key Stage 1 competed in a football tournament at Gobowen Primary School.

They played well and supported each other and finished in 4th place! Well done everyone for representing the school!

Dates for the diary

July—Geography Field Trip

8 July—Sports day secondary (9-10 July—Quinta year 6

14-16 July—yr 5 trip

17 July—Summer Showcase and head teacher awards—letters will be sent to award winners on Monday! / last day for nursery

18 July—last day before summer holidays—non uniform

SECONDARY SPORTS DAY TAKES PLACE ON TUESDAY 8 JULY— PARENTS CAN COME AND WATCH FROM 1:15pm PLEASE SIGN IN AT THE CAR PARK GATE TO THE FIELD.WE WILL BE HAVING AN ICE CREAM VAN—STUDENTS CAN BRING MONEY IF THEY WISH





**Student Support Services Assistant
Term Time only (32.5hrs per wk)
Grade 7**



(£21,030 term time only plus 1 week) Permanent

We are seeking a compassionate, dedicated, and highly organised individual to join our pastoral team in this key role. As Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL), you will work closely under the guidance of the Student Support Services Manager to support safeguarding practices across the school. You will also coordinate support for Looked-After and Previously Looked-After Children, ensuring they receive the pastoral and educational care needed to thrive.

Full details of the vacancy can be found in the Applicant Information Pack available on the school website www.stmartins3-16.org/school-information/job-vacancies/ along with our Application Form.

Please contact clare.ellis@stm.318education.co.uk with any queries or if you would like this Information emailed to you.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 3 p.m. Thursday 17 July but interviews will be scheduled upon receipt and review of a sufficient number of applications.

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