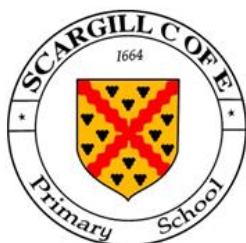


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Newsletter – May 2025  
Head of School – Mrs S Hallsworth

Love of learning,  
Love of community,  
Love of people,  
Love of God and  
Love of life itself.

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### Edale

At the start of the term, lots of the Year 4 children attended our annual residential to Edale. They were all superstars and we are so proud of how they worked so well as a team and support each other. Lots of the children had to overcome challenges on the climbing wall and they all showed great resilience when taking part in the hike. The loved the bush craft, pond dipping and archery. Not to mention the disco with karaoke!



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## Easter Competitions

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Easter Bonnet Parade and Easter Bake off – such fabulous creativity on show! A huge well done to the winners! Thanks to FOS for the wonderful prizes.





## Spring Term Fundraising for FOS

Disco = £1256

Golden Ticket – World Book Day = £361

Refreshments = £73.10

Y3/4 Play Collection = £89.28

Bake Off = £396.71

Easter Bonnet Collection = £50.53

Thanks to everyone for their support and involvement in this. We are making great steps towards the repair/replacement of the wooded play equipment on the school field for all the children to use. Keep an eye on our target tracker on display in the windows of the Wellbeing Hub to see how we are doing.

## Summer Term Fundraising for FOS

Scargill's Challenge 2025

Friends of Scargill School (PTA) are excited to introduce 'Challenge 2025'.

During May, we are encouraging pupils to each raise £20.25, or as much as they can, through their own sponsored Challenge.

Use 2025, or the number 25, as your inspiration for your challenge..... you could walk 2025m, cycle 25km over the month, help your family with 25 jobs, score 25 goals, sell 25 cup cakes, swim 25 lengths, perform a 25-minute dance or show, hold a sponsored silence, read 25 books..... the possibilities are endless!

We can't wait to see what you come up, please share your challenges with us on Facebook/FriendsofScargill or on 'X' @scargillfriends

You can do your challenge individually, as a family or as a group. How you do it, it's up to you.

£20.25 is your target, but there is no minimum or maximum amount needed to join in the fun.

We ask that pupils to return their sponsor forms and money after the May half-term holiday, the week commencing the 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2025.

**All of the money raised will go directly to the benefit of our pupils in school.** Friends of Scargill School (PTA) are currently raising money to improve the play equipment on the school field, and also fund the class parties, provide 'dip in the box' prizes and to supply much needed equipment to the school including art supplies and reading books.

We can claim Gift Aid on your sponsorship money, which will boost the money raised by 25%. If you are a UK taxpayer, please tick the box and provide your name and address on the sponsor form. Thank you.

Over the half-term break we are hoping lots of children will take part in 'Challenge 2025'. This year we are raising funds for the repair/replacement of the wooded play equipment on the school field.

Children who take part will receive a certificate and they can win a prize on the popular spin wheel prize (similar to the ones the children won on World Book Day). Look out for a sponsor form coming home soon.

**Exciting News!**

**We now have an Amazon Wishlist!**

**We are eternally grateful for all those that are able to support us by attending and helping at events and any other support**

**We now have a wishlist of items that will be of use to the school, at events or as prizes that can be purchased to send straight to the school to help us continue to support the school and give the children the best educational and social experience we can**

**From all at Friends of Scargill**

**Thankyou!!**

*wishlist*

Please use this link, if you would like to help with the Amazon wishlist.

<https://tinyurl.com/38jztyr>





Plans are well underway for the fayre on **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July 10am-1pm.**

There will be lots of exciting stalls and events including face painting, a bouncy castle, welly wanging, games, penalty shoot-out, sponge the teacher, performances from Pigeon Pie as well as our School of Rock band, dance and gymnastic performances and much, much more!

Raffle tickets are coming home soon each ticket costs £1 (£5 per booklet) Please return raffle ticket stubs along with cash in an envelope please. There are more tickets available. If you would like any more please contact the school office.

There will be a non-uniform day on **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June** in exchange for a donated item for our Fayre.

Please could the different Year Groups bring in the following with them on this day.

**EYFS & Y1– Hook-a-bag items eg bubbles, books, sweets, pencils etc in a small gift bag**

**Y2 – Tombola items eg toiletries, small toys, stationery etc**

**Y3/4 – Chocolate – for the Chocolate Tombola**

**Y5/6 – Bottles of any kind (full ones!) for The Bottle Pull**

Thank you!



If you have popped into the school office over the last couple of weeks, you will have spotted the DDAT quilt on display. This has been created by all the schools in our Trust for the 10<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebration. Alongside the patches from 33 schools, pieces featuring Bible quotes were also included, reflecting the schools' Christian values. These were created by the DDAT central team, meaning the entire Trust contributed to the project. The quilt will travel to all 33 schools in the Trust, spending a couple of weeks at each before reaching its final destination at Derby Cathedral, where it will be blessed and displayed for all to enjoy.

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### Parking

Please can we ask that parents show respect and consideration to our neighbours when parking near school and not block drives and leave engines running unnecessarily.

There are cars parking/pulling in on the zigzags on Hallam Way. I have asked our PCSO to monitor this. The markings are there to help keep all our children safe. It is extremely dangerous when people park illegally.



PLEASE FOLLOW THE RULES!

<https://www.think.gov.uk/road-safety-laws/>

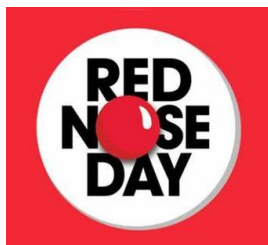
**Please also note that parents should not park in the staff carparks. This includes parents using the before/after school club.**

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Thank you!

We raised £443.00



### KS1 (Y2) and KS2 (Y6) SATS

Y6 children will complete these tests w/c 12<sup>th</sup> May

KS1 SATS tests are non statutory again this academic year. However, our Trust have asked that our children complete them as usual. The Government are yet to release the KS1 parent guide so we will share this with you as soon as it is available.

Y2 children will complete these tests w/c 19<sup>th</sup> May

### Staffing News



Miss West is leaving to pursue a different career at the end of the summer term. We thank her for the 7 years she has taught here and wish her the best of luck in her new career. We will miss you Miss West!

Vacancy – We have a premises team vacancy.

Please click here for details:

<https://ddat.org.uk/current-job-vacancies/>

### Medicines in School

Polite reminder that children should not have medication with them in school eg in pockets, bags or trays. ALL medications should be brought to the school office by an adult and any necessary paperwork completed.



## PUPIL PREMIUM PARENT INFORMATION

### WHAT IS IT?

'Pupil premium' is **additional funding** for our school to ensure we can support all pupils to **achieve their best**.

### WHO'S ELIGIBLE?

Your child may be eligible if you receive: income support, jobseeker's allowance, employment and support allowance, asylum seeker support, universal credit, child tax credit, working tax credit, or state pension.

### Remember:

Our school can only receive pupil premium for your child if you claim it.



It's not a personal budget for individual pupils, but we will aim to prioritise the academic support of eligible pupils with it.

### HOW DO I APPLY?

Get in touch with your **local council as soon as possible** to see if you're eligible.

## Pupil Premium

As a school, we offer funding for afterschool sports clubs run by AM sports for all of our children who are eligible for Pupil Premium funding.

In Derbyshire 7,000 children a day do not take advantage of their **FREE** school meal, which has already been paid for!

**You could get a free school meal if:**


Your child is in reception, year 1 and year 2  
or  
You are in receipt of Universal Credit & you have a household income of less than £616 a month

Have you checked your eligibility for Free School Meals Yes / No

Are you aware of Universal Infant Free School Meals  
All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to free school meals. Yes / No

Are you aware of Free School Meal Protection?  
If you have previously been eligible your child(ren) should still be entitled to Free School Meals Yes / No

If you think you are eligible for a free school meal or have answered "no" to any of the questions above please contact  
The Free School Meals - 01629 536481  
www.schoolmeals.derbyshire.gov.uk



## Sensory Garden

A message from Mrs Bull...

I've attached baskets to each playground entrance. I thought it would be nice to leave produce we have grown in the garden for people to take. Then they can share ideas what they have used the produce for. Via X or PTA Facebook.

We planted, we grow and now we share!



## Scargill can...

From Mr Askew (PE Lead)....

As part of trying to promote active and healthy lifestyles within school, I am setting every child in school a challenge.

I would like to have as many children as possible send in a picture of themselves doing something active. These pictures will be collected together to create a 'Scargill can...' collage display, showing off all of the incredible things that the children do to be active outside of school.

These pictures can be of any physical activity including, walking, cycling, team sports, dance, horse riding and even adventurous activities done with cubs, beavers, rainbows etc. Pictures can be emailed in to [info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk) or printed and brought to me in school.

It would be fantastic if every child was able to have their picture on display to help create a buzz around being active. As soon as I have enough pictures the display will go up, with new pictures being added as they are brought in.

Thank you for your support.



### **Polite Request 1** **Water Bottles**

Please can parents only send a small reusable bottle into school. These should be filled up before coming to school and taken home to be washed every day. Inexpensive bottles with a sports cap like the ones below are ideal because if they are accidentally knocked over they are less likely to spill everywhere!



Recently we have noticed an increase in very expensive bottles and even bucket sized ones that there is simply not the room for! If your child drinks all their water, they can refill their bottle in school.

### **Polite Request 2** **Scooters & Bikes**

It is wonderful to see that so many families are walking and scooting/biking to school rather than using the car.

For safety reasons, can you please remind your child to always push and walk with their scooter/bike when they are on the school playground to prevent any accidents.

Thank you.



Please ensure your child has sun cream on and is wearing a named sun hat and has a named filled water bottle every day during this term.

In mentioning named items....please ensure all uniform is labelled please. This significantly helps with returning items.

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### **NUT ALLERGIES**

We have children in school who could have an anaphylactic reaction if exposed to nuts or nut traces. Please only send your children to school with packed lunches that do not contain nuts or products containing nut traces. This includes Nutella and other chocolate spreads/products that contain nut traces or MAY contain nut traces.

Thank you




Our uniform drop/swap shop is available located in the bike shed at the front of school. If you can donate any uniform (including PE kit items or coats) that are in good condition, please bag them up in clear plastic bags and clearly label what is inside and the size. All parents can drop off, swap or take any of the clothing. This is completely free and simply a way for parents to support each other as well as help the environment.

## Communication

The chart below gives you key information regarding who to contact about the different aspects of school and how you can contact them should you need to:

### Where to go?

School Website	School Office	Class Teachers	SENDCOs	Head of School
<p>Information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Term dates</li> <li>Key dates</li> <li>School policies</li> <li>Newsletters</li> <li>Key people in school</li> <li>Early Help</li> <li>Safeguarding</li> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Statutory school information</li> <li>PTA information</li> <li>Governor information</li> </ul> <p><a href="http://www.scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">www.scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p>	<p>Information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Admissions</li> <li>Pupil illness/absence</li> <li>Medicines in school</li> <li>Medical conditions</li> <li>Changes to contact details</li> <li>School meals</li> <li>Payments</li> <li>Afterschool clubs information</li> </ul> <p><a href="mailto:info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p>	<p>For questions or concerns about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Homework</li> <li>Achievement</li> <li>Friendships</li> <li>Behaviour</li> <li>Lessons</li> <li>Family matters which be affecting your child</li> <li>Bullying concerns</li> <li>Trips/residentials</li> </ul> <p>Teachers are available on the playground at the end of the school day or you can email the department email addresses below.</p>	<p>For questions or concerns about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Special Educational Needs or Disabilities</li> <li>Issues or advice regarding SEND</li> </ul> <p>Miss Clutterbuck is SENDCO for EYFS &amp; KS1 Mrs Hallsworth is SENDCO for KS2</p> <p>You can speak to them on the playground at the start/end of the day, phone or email <a href="mailto:SENCO@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">SENCO@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p>	<p>Information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Safeguarding</li> <li>Sustained issues which the class teacher has been unable to resolve</li> <li>If the Head of School is unavailable, the Deputy Head will respond to any concerns.</li> </ul> <p>You can speak to the Senior Leadership Team on the playground at the start/end of the day, phone or email <a href="mailto:info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p>
<p><a href="http://www.scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">www.scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p> <p>email: <a href="mailto:info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk">info@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</a></p> <p>Telephone: 0115 9320005</p>	<p>EYFS@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk Y1-2Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk Y3-4Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk Y5-6Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk</p>			<p> Twitter</p> <p>@scargill_school</p>

## Contacting Teachers

If you would like to talk to us about your child and any concerns you have, please get in touch. In the first instance, please contact your child's class teacher. You can do this by phoning the school office or using the email addresses below for each department.

EYFS@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk

Y1-2Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk

Y3-4Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk

Y5-6Department@scargill.derbyshire.sch.uk

## Where can I find more information?

Please keep using our website for additional support and information.

A half-termly newsletter for each department detailing specific aspects of the curriculum that your child will be learning can be found in the Year Groups tab on our website.

Also, follow us on X (Twitter) @scargill\_school as we often share helpful information and it gives you an up-to-date view of what is happening in school.

## Other things that have been happening in school

Badger Class – Red Nose Day, Easter Cards and church visit.

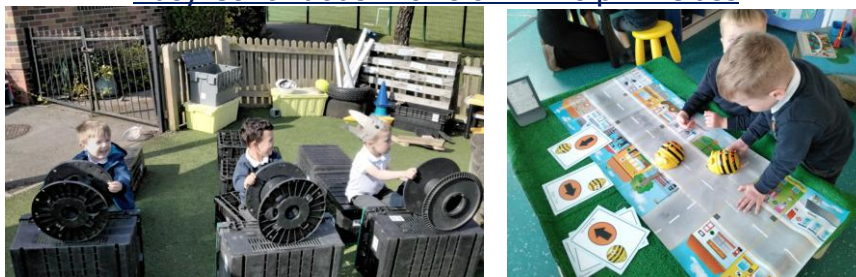


Gymnastics in Lion Class.





### Busy Continuous Provision in Dolphin Class



### Eagle Class



 **ST WILFRID'S CHURCH**   
invites you to our  
**GARDEN PARTY**  
Saturday 21st June  
2 pm to 5 pm  
in the Rectory Garden  
(in Church if wet)  
Entertainment  
Games  
Tombola  
Refreshments  
  
Celebrating 750 years of St Wilfrid's Church

  
**West Hallam Well Dressing**  
**2025 Festival Day**  
**12 - 4 pm**  
**The Village, West Hallam, DE7 6GR**

### **TERM DATES - 2024/25**

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2025

### **INSET Days**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> & Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024  
~~Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024~~  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2025  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2025

### **BANK HOLIDAYS - school closed**

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2025  
Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2025

### **TERM DATES - 2025/26**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

### **Diary Dates**

### **Summer Term cont.**

20.5.25 at 2.30pm Lion Class parent session  
21.5.25 at 2.30pm Tiger and Leopard Class Parent sessions  
21.5.25 at 5pm – IOW meeting for Y6 parents at school  
22.5.25 – Playground Proms Activity

w/c 2.6.25 – Multiplication Times Table Check week for Y4 children

3.6.25 – Y5 Taster Day at Kirk Hallam  
5.6.25 at 2.30 Merlin Class parent session  
6.6.25 – Y3 trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park  
6.6.25 at 2.30pm – Owl and Eagle Class parent sessions  
9.6.25 – Phonics Screening check week – Y1

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2025

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December

2025

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June -Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2026

**BANK HOLIDAYS which don't fall in the  
school holidays - school closed**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026

**INSET Days**

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> & Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2026

**Diary Dates**

**Summer Term**

8.5.25 – VE Day – children can wear red, white and blue or school uniform.

Playground Proms Activity for KS2

w/c 12.5.25 – KS2 SATs week

13.5.25 at 2.30pm – Rabbit and Hedgehog parent sessions.

15.5.25 – 9am-10am – Dolphin Class parent session.

2.30pm – Badger Class parent session

19.5.25 – SEND Coffee Morning

19.5.25 at 2pm – FOS (PTA) meeting

11.6.25 – Dolphin Class trip to Matlock Park Farm

12.6.25 – Y6 Transition sessions from Changing Lives

21.6.25 – 2pm-5pm – St Wilfrid's Garden Party

23.6.25 – Y5/6 Sports Day at 9.15 am – parents welcome

24.6.25 – Y3/4 Sports Day at 9.15 am – parents welcome

25.6.25 – Y1/2 Sports Day at 9.15 am – parents welcome

26.6.25 – Reception Sports Day at 9.15 am – parents welcome

27.6.25 – Non-uniform day in exchange of items for the Fayre (see above)

5.7.25 FOS Event – Summer Fayre 10am-1pm

7.7.25-11.7.25 – Y6 Isle of Wight

8.7.25 – Y5 Trip to the Open Centre

9.7.25 – Y5 Road safety sessions

11.7.25 – Y5 taster morning at St John

12.7.25 – Well-Dressing – Collective Worship Committee invited to help bless the wells from 11.30am.

15.7.25 – Transition morning

17.7.25 - Y6 Road safety sessions

w/c 21.7.25 –End of year reports to parents

21.7.25 – Open evening for parents – 3.25pm-5pm

23.7.25 - 6pm Y5&6 Performance at Kirk Hallam

25.7.25 – 9.15pm Leavers Service for Y6 at St Wilfrid's Church. All Y6 parents/carers welcome

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