

Newsletter



13th March 2026 (fortnightly)



Delph Book Week Thank you to those family members that were able to volunteer their time to come into school and read to our pupils last week. The children really enjoyed this as did the adults! We even enjoyed a bedtime story at

Robinwood as Mr Britner treated us to, 'Dear Zoo'!

PTA Mothers' Day Gift Shop Thank you for supporting our recent PTA fundraising event. The children enjoyed choosing a special treat. We won't spoil any surprises, but we hope you enjoy your gift and have a lovely day spent with loved ones.

We're a Parkrun Primary Well done to the children who represented Delph at our recent DLP Parkrun Primary launch! You were amazing and finished the event with a smile on your face. Remember, Parkrun is a weekly free event so keep it up and take your friends and family with you. We'll be meeting at another park, next term. Look out for details.



DLP TTRockstars Competition The week beginning 16th March will see Year 3 and 4 battle in the Dovestone Learning Partnership's TTRockstars competition.



The classes will battle against the other 5 schools within our partnership, answering questions up to 12x12. For our Year 3 and 4 class to do well, Miss Shepherdson and Mr Leigh recommend a little and often approach during our competition week. Each class will also have the opportunity to improve their personal and class scores during Maths lessons that week. Children, Parents, **Let's Make Delph Proud!**



The Team Captains Present...Easter Raffle

Don't forget your £1 for a chance to win an Easter Basket full of treats! Team Captains are selling tickets at morning break time and will also visit Pre-School.

Tickets are £1 each and children can buy as many as they are allowed to!

Parent-Teacher Meetings Thanks to everyone who attended our Parent-teacher meetings this week or indeed a recent SEND Review Meeting. We hope you found them useful and enjoyed looking at your child's progress in their books. As always, please don't wait for parent-teacher meetings if you have anything urgent to discuss with us. We'll write to YR families with your arrangements as soon as they are known- thank you for your understanding with this.

Robinwood Residential Year 6-you are amazing! A fabulous time was had by all last week! Y6 were a credit to Delph, their families and themselves. We couldn't be prouder of each and every one of you as you faced your fears and challenged yourselves to, 'be the best that you could be'. Lots of photos are to follow. Thank you to the staff who willingly volunteered their time and their sleep to make the event possible. Thank you also to the parents/carers that helped transporting to/from the venue- especially with the current price of petrol. What a team! We've made a provisional booking for next year so will be writing to current Y5 families in the summer term. Watch this space.

Confused? We know we can sometimes confuse families with our acronyms and school phrases! The table below helps explain which year group is which and how we sometimes refer to them.

Early Years Foundation Stage EYFS	Key Stage 1 KS1	Key stage 2 KS2			
Pre-School	Year 1	Lower KS2		Upper KS2	
Year R (Reception)	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Infants		Juniors			

ParentPay Accounts As we approach half term, please ensure that your Parent Pay account is balanced accordingly.

Dates for the Diary

March

16th DLP Times Table Rock Star Tournament

19th OAF Player Visit!

27th End of Spring Term 2 (FRI)

April

13th Start of Summer Term 1 (MON)

13th Y5 Castleshaw Information Meeting, 5pm at school

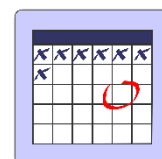
17th Y3 Celebration Assembly 9:00am, *all welcome*

21st Cricket Workshops (*details to follow*)

22nd OAF Sponsored Penalty Shoot Out (*details to follow*)

28th Y5 Fire Brigade Visit- Water Safety

29th Delph Music Morning, 9am (*details shared with families*)



The Team Captains Present...

Easter Raffle

Easter Hampers to be won!

We're raising funds for some new PE equipment including gymnastic mats!



£1 per ticket

Buy as many as you like! Tickets on sale at morning break- cash only.

Younger children should bring their money in a labelled envelope.

Raffle drawn on Thursday 26th March

EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB



Looking for fun, active and engaging childcare the Easter holidays?

LingoSports is a teacher-led, **Ofsted** registered holiday club for children aged 4-11, (Some 3 yo spaces available) based at **Delph Primary School**

www.saddleworthlanguageschool.com

07834 840849

Expect jam-packed days of sports, games and activities with a splash of languages, crafts and creativity

- Tues 31st March, Wed 1st April, Thurs 2nd April, Tues 7th April, Wed 8th April, Thurs 9th April 9am - 4pm
- Tax-Free Childcare accepted - £30 (£40 Early Years) per day

Spaces always go quickly – secure your child's place today!

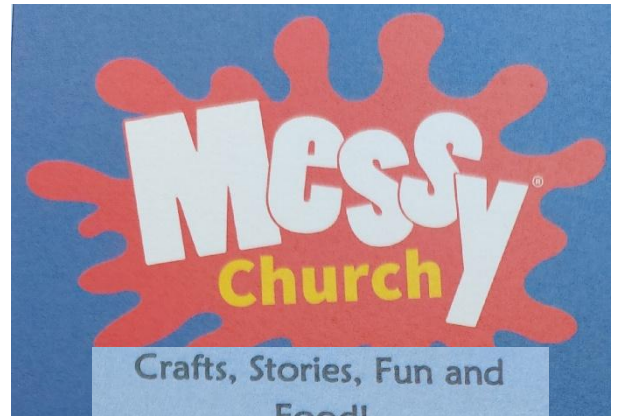




9.30-10.30am
Sunday
15th March
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St Thomas's
Church
Delph

Crafts
Singing
Prayer
Refreshments
Togetherness

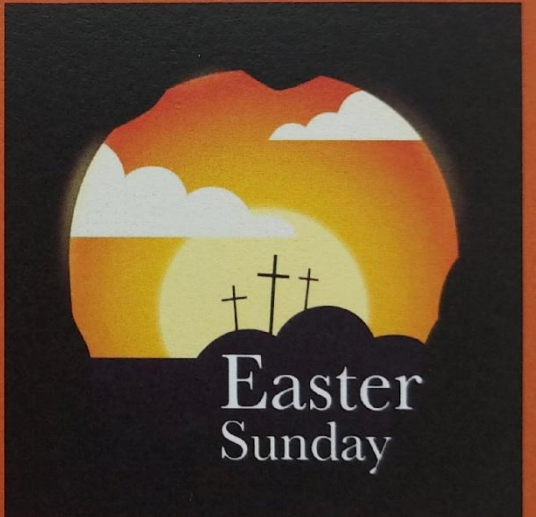
9.30AM SUNDAY MARCH 15TH
MOTHERING SUNDAY SERVICE
A relaxed, creative celebration service for all ages



Crafts, Stories, Fun and
Food!
St Thomas's Delph Church Hall,
OL3 5DR
Sunday 22nd March,
4pm-6pm
**FREE Entrance
(meal included)**
Messy Church is an 'All Age' event.
Children must be accompanied by a responsible
adult throughout

Easter Sunday Family Communion
at St Thomas's Church
Sunday 5th April 9.30 am

Need a bit of hope in these
troubled times? Come along and
hear how a death-defying Rabbi is
still relevant today!



Easter
Sunday



**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**

Saturday April 25th
10 -11.30 am
St Thomas's Church, Delph
Great food
Inspiring speaker
Great company