

Dear Parents and Guardians.



Summer Term Newsletter 3 – Friday 12th June 2026

June 2026	
Monday 15 th June	Summer Show 1 at Chard Guildhall
Thursday 18 th June	Summer Show 2 at Chard Guildhall
Friday 19 th June	Non-Uniform Day for school charity – please see poster
Thursday 25 th June	Foundation Stage Pirate Day
Friday 26 th June	Year 1 trip to Vivary Park
July 2026	
Wednesday 1 st July	KS1 Sports Day – See letter that has been sent home for more information
Thursday 2 nd July	KS2 Sports Day – See letter that has been sent home for more information
Wednesday 8 th July	Y6 Play to parents – See letter sent home for more information
Wednesday 15 th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly – See letter sent home for more information
Friday 17 th July	Last day of the 2025-2026 school year



Year 6 residential

Year 6 enjoyed a wonderful three day residential to Okehampton this week with Miss Smith, Mrs Shears, Mr Staddon, Mr Clode and Mr Talmage. Despite the wet weather the children embraced every opportunity, taking part in exciting activities including gorge scrambling, archery, low ropes, high ropes and grass sledging. The children also enjoyed a fantastic walk across the moor, and we very well fed with delicious breakfasts and meals throughout their stay. Friendships were strengthened and many wonderful

memories were made. The children showed great resilience, teamwork and enthusiasm throughout the trip.

Year 2 trip to the Zoo!

On Tuesday, Year 2 thoroughly enjoyed their exciting trip to Noah's Ark Zoo. The children had a wonderful time exploring the Zoo and discovering a wide variety of animals from around the world. Linking to their Science learning, the children have been exploring different animals and their habitats. What a brilliant day they had!



Vacancies within our school

We have four exciting vacancies available within our school, with each position starting in September. If you, or someone you know, would be interested in joining our team, please look at the advertisements at the back of this newsletter for further details.

Year 5 Manor Court 48 Water fight

On the afternoon of 22nd May, Year 5 took part in their MC48 Water Fight. Buckets were filled with water on the field, and almost every child brought a water pistol to join in the fun. The sunny weather made it the perfect afternoon for the event, and it wasn't long before everyone was soaked – including the adults! It was a memorable afternoon and a great way for Year 5 to enjoy time together.



THIS SCHOOL IS NOT AWARE



Nut awareness – A message from Mrs Terry

We would like to remind all families that we intend, as much as we can be, to be a nut-free school. A number of children in our school have become severely allergic to nuts, and even small traces can cause serious reactions in which hospitalisation is required.

This includes all nuts, especially hazelnuts, walnuts, pecans, macadamia nuts, pistachios and cashew nuts. It is essential that all lunchboxes and snacks are completely free from nuts and nut-containing products. This includes (but is not limited to) items such as Kinder Bueno, chocolate spreads and any foods that may contain nuts or traces of nuts. Thank you for your

understanding and continued support in helping us keep all children safe.

Year 6 advanced warning – A message from the Year 6 team

The final term of the school year is full of exciting events. We will write to you with further details nearer the time, but here are some key dates for your diaries.

1. **Monday 6th July and Tuesday 7th July** – Y6 full Transition Days to Holyrood.
2. **Wednesday 8th July** Y6 school play performance for families in the school hall @13:30 and 18:00.
3. **Tuesday 14th July** - Year 6 leaving party (in school time).
4. **Wednesday 15th July** - Leavers assembly to parents in the school hall at 09:30.



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Reverend Nick Assembly

Our friend Reverend Nick from St Mary's Church Chard led our whole school assembly on Monday morning. The topic was National Refugee Day and we discussed what difficult decisions we may need to make if we were moving from our home to never return.



Have we got your correct details? – A message from the school office

To keep your child safe, please make sure that if you have changed your telephone number, email address or home address that you remember to let the school office know so that we can update our records.

Herne View Poetry recital

A huge congratulations to Mya and Emi for representing us so brilliantly at last Wednesday's evening poetry recital competition at Herne View school in Ilminster. They performed their poems with confidence, enthusiasm and smiles on their faces in front of an audience of children, parents and teachers. Well done, girls – we are all incredibly proud of you and your wonderful achievement!



St Mary's Teddy Bears picnic

St Mary's Teddy Bears' Picnic is on Saturday 18th July from 1pm to 4pm. Do take along your favourite teddy to go down the zip wire from the top of the Church Tower. There will be a Barbecue, Refreshments, Free Crafts, Teddy Tombola, Guess the name of the teddy, Treasure Hunt, Toys, Children's games, Plants and a Nearly new Table. Do try to pop along and have some fun whilst raising funds for our wonderful Parish Church. For more information see the poster at the end of this newsletter.

Sun Safety

We hope to have some warm and sunny weather returning. Can you please help us to keep your children safe in the sunshine and hot weather by applying suncream before school, sending them into school with a named sun hat and plenty of water-based drink to last throughout the day



PE Days for the Summer Term 2

Our PE Days have been set for the next half term and are unlikely to be changed, if we need to change them, we will inform you through your Eylog or ParentPay account. Children should wear their PE kits to school on the days listed below. Last year we noticed that some children are wearing their PE hoodies into school on different days and on all other days it is important that full school uniform is worn.

No year groups will have swimming lessons during the school day at the Leisure Centre in this half term and these will commence again in Summer 2 when Year 6 will have their school swimming lessons on a Thursday.

Classes	PE Day on which PE Kits must be worn
EYC	Thursday
Squirrels & Hedgehogs	Monday
Dragonflies & Bumblebees	Wednesday
Nightingales & Magpies	Wednesday & Thursday
Owls & Kingfishers	Tuesday & Friday
Eagles & Puffins	Monday & Wednesday
Foxes & Badgers	Tuesday & Thursday
Hérons & Otters	Thursday (Swimming) & Friday

The Importance of Homework

Homework is an important aspect of your child's learning and plays a vital role in supporting the excellent education that we provide in the classroom. As part of our home-school agreement, we expect all children to complete their homework regularly at home. Homework includes daily reading, as well as tasks in English, Maths, spelling, grammar. These activities are carefully planned to be age-appropriate and to reinforce key skills, helping us to build and maintain high educational standards for every child.

We understand that completing homework at home can sometimes be challenging. For this reason, we offer a Homework Club for children. This club is supervised by teachers and provides a supportive environment for children who may need extra help to complete their homework and to take away the stress of completing this at home. If children have not completed their homework, their class teacher will be expecting them to complete it during part of their lunch time. This also applies to their reading at home – the expectation is five times a week from Friday to Thursday.

Please note that if homework is not being completed on a regular basis, parents and carers should expect contact from their child's class teacher, Phase Leader or from Mr Talmage to discuss how we can work together to support your child. Thank you for your continued support in helping your child to succeed in all areas of their education.



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The FMCA needs you!

The FMCA is a group of parent volunteers who spend time raising money (whilst having fun) for activities or equipment to be used for the children in the school. The work that they do is vital, and the committee needs more volunteers to help them achieve more for the children.

If you would like to find out more about their work and how you can get involved, please do email them on contactfmca@gmail.com or contact them through their Facebook page.

Easy Fund Raising – A message from the FMCA

The FMCA need your help. A quick and easy way for the FMCA to raise additional funds is through using Easy Fundraising when doing your online shopping. It is a really easy way to raise money. People just need to sign up and have the FMCA as the cause and then every time they go to buy something online it will prompt them to add donation with a pop up which you click yes and then carry on as normal during online shopping. Please use the link that can be found on the school Facebook page and do contact the FMCA if you need any help.



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Safeguarding is the responsibility of everybody. In terms of keeping children safe, please "Don't think 'What if I'm wrong Think... 'What if I am right" If you have any concerns about a pupil, you should report this to a member of staff immediately. If you feel a pupil is at risk or a subject of abuse, you must contact the Designated Safeguarding Team immediately. The Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mr Clode and Deputy Designated Safeguard leads are Miss Gregory, Mrs Terry, Miss Warren, and Mr Talmage. The school and Child Protection Governor is Mrs Sue Wakeman.

2026-2027 Term dates

The 2026-2027 school term dates are on our school website and have been sent home to all parents via ParentPay. They can be found at the end of this newsletter for you to screenshot and save to your phone or to print for the fridge at home.

Hot meals parental feedback – A message from Mrs Hunt

Our onsite kitchen is now providing a hot meal for over 200 children each weekday and it appears to us that the children within the school are enjoying the meal that is being offered to them and parents have selected for them through ParentPay.

We would like to ask parents to provide feedback, positive or negative, as to the food that we are providing to your child. If you would like to share this feedback with us, please do email the school office. If for any reason you are unhappy with the meals provided, please do email the office and we can arrange for our catering manager to contact you to rectify this.



Trim Trail – A message from Mrs Jones

Can we please remind all parents that children are not to use either Trim Trails at the start, or end of the day, and must only use them under the supervision of school staff during the school day.



Healthy snacks at play time – A message from Mrs Terry

We encourage each pupil at Manor Court to lead a healthy lifestyle. At play times we provide all our Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils with fruit or vegetables and pupils throughout the school currently have the option of eating a bagel as part of our 'Magic Breakfast' scheme. If you provide your child with snacks that do not fit into the cereal, fruit, or vegetable category, these will be kept in their bags or lunch boxes to be eaten at lunch time. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you have any concerns regarding our healthy play times.

Do you think your child needs a Medical Health Care Plan? A message from Mrs Terry

Parents of children with medical conditions are often concerned that their child's health will deteriorate when they attend school. This is because pupils with long term and complex medical conditions may require ongoing support, medicines or care while at school to help manage their condition and keep them well. Others may require monitoring and interventions in emergency circumstances. At Manor Court Community Primary, we want our parents to feel confident that we will provide effective support for their child's medical condition and that our pupils feel safe. In making decisions about the support, we provide, we may need to have a meeting with you to discuss your child's needs. I have the responsibility of meeting with parents to ensure that Medical Health Care Plans are in place for those children who need one, but if you are unsure or if your child has a health condition that you don't feel that the school is fully aware of, please speak to your child's class teacher or make an appointment through the school Office to speak to me.



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The Community Fridge is for everyone in Chard and the local area to use without referral. It is open, when there is food available, at set times and is staffed by a team of volunteers. The Fridge is based in the front room, of Chard's Community Hub (in the old library in Boden Street) and there are also shelves of food in the food room which is at the back of the premises; items here include dried food, tins, toiletries, pet food and some baby food. The Community Hub also have freezers which can have donations from the local supermarkets and local shops for people to help themselves to.



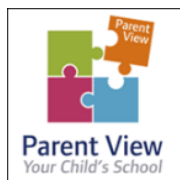
Following the required period of consultation, we are delighted to confirm that our new Admissions policy will come into effect for September 2027. As part of the policy, children who have held a place in our preschool for more than two terms will receive high priority (regardless of where they live) to receive a place within the main school for the Foundation Stage intake from each subsequent year from September 2027.

<https://manorcourt.eylog.co.uk/eyMan/index.php/enquiries/registerEnquiry?token=eyJ0eXAiOiJKV1QiLCJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJicmFuY2hfaWQiOiIyY29tGFueV9pZCI6IjEifQ.Q4pVLddIPYCe6vmoZi2hFCfcfwlEjguWHtOxP0ThIE>



The Molly Rose Foundation has some wonderful resources for parents including guides and other resources. One of these guides helps families understand who and what may be shaping a child's online world and how these influences can affect mood, confidence and safety. You can find more information here with this guide: [Concerned about Online Influences | Molly Rose Foundation](#)

Our Sunflower Growing Competition is now well underway! We have been exploring the different parts of a sunflower and learning about what plants need to grow strong and tall. The children have loved seeing the photos of the sunflowers that were taken home from preschool and have continued to be cared for. Thank you for sharing these with us. We would love to see more! Please upload photos to eyLog of your child with their sunflower (or any other flowers and plants you are growing at home). We will continue to share these photos with the children, helping to encourage their interest in nature and plant growth.



Parent view is a way in which Ofsted surveys the parents of children within a school to find out their views of the school and how it can be improved further. These opinions become part of the overall judgment of the school. If you would like to pass on your opinions to Ofsted, please complete the survey on the parent view website. The website can be found at www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk

The pupil premium is additional funding that the Government provides for each child who they believe may be disadvantaged in achieving their best in education. At Manor Court Community Primary School, we provide high quality education and enrichment opportunities for all our pupils regardless of ability or background. However, it is useful to receive this funding for all children entitled to it. If your children are entitled to free school meals or a member of the household is currently in receipt, or has been in the last six years, of Universal credit then please do apply through this [hyperlink](#).



We would like to remind parents and carers that the school gates open at 8:35am and lessons begin promptly at 8:45am. Children should be in class, ready to learn by this time.

Punctuality is essential. Arriving late disrupts the start of lessons and can impact children's confidence, learning, and progress. Persistent lateness will be closely monitored and may result in contact from school leaders or a referral to the Education Welfare Service.

Parents and carers are legally responsible for ensuring their child attends school on time every day. Good routines in the morning help children arrive prepared, calm, and ready to learn. Please also ensure your child is collected promptly at the end of the day. Late collection causes distress and creates additional supervision pressures for staff. Thank you for supporting our high expectations around attendance and punctuality.

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Items from home – A message from Mr Talmage

Can I please clarify our approach to inclusive aids, such as noise reducing headphones, toys and pencil cases/crayons and pens from home etc.

Unless Mr Clode, or I, have given consent children are not to use, or bring from home noise reducing headphones, fiddle toys, pencil grips or any other educational aid as we have the correct items to give to children according to their need. Please speak to Mr Clode or I if you need clarification about this.

Children are not to bring toys, or personal items from home and if they do I have asked the staff to confiscate them until the end of the day to ensure they are kept safe.

Attendance our school expectations – A message from Miss Gregory

Pupil attendance and punctuality is a key focus and priority within our school. Individual attendance will be monitored and reviewed on a bi-weekly basis. We would like to kindly remind parents that the school's expectations on individual pupil attendance is 95% and above, with the aim of having 100% pupil attendance. Should your child fall behind the school's expectations a monitoring process is triggered, and we may ask you to come into school to discuss your child's attendance with us. Should you have any questions or concerns relating to your child's attendance please do not hesitate to contact me within the school.



After School Club telephone number and change of hours

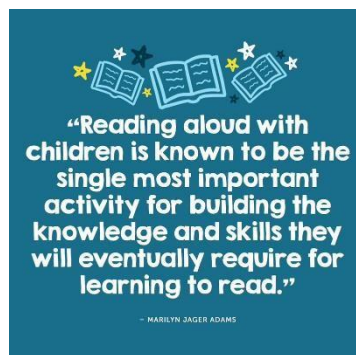
Our after-school club has a new contact number that can be used throughout its opening hours (for emergency bookings etc please contact the school office during their opening hours). Please telephone the after-school staff on **07469130824**.

Reading expectations – A message from Mrs Terry

At Manor Court Community Primary School, we seek to ensure that children are supported to be confident, lifelong learners with a love of reading. Reading plays an especially important role in developing children culturally, emotionally and socially and we believe literature plays a key role in such development. Reading enables pupils both to acquire knowledge and build on what they already know. In school children in KS2 are heard reading on a 1:1 basis at least once a week by their class teacher and Learning Support staff and this is much more frequently in Foundation Stage and KS1. Those pupils not at an expected reading level are heard daily. The EYFS and Key Stage 1 reading books follow a clear progression of banding, ensuring fluency is developed. This academic year, you may find your child has a book sent home that they have already read at school, and this is something that is now promoted in all schools. The more a child reads, the larger their vocabulary becomes. When a child reads or hears the same book multiple times, they become familiar and comfortable with a greater number of words. Fluency is the ability to read text "accurately, quickly, and with expression."

Repetitive reading allows a child to read without stumbling or stopping, and reading time becomes more pleasant for everyone. Once a child masters one book, it makes moving on to another more appealing. Reading comprehension is the ability to understand all the components of a story — from plot to character development to symbolism. Comprehension is "the essence" of reading. Each time your child reads or hears a book read to them; they learn more about the story itself. Each pass through the text or illustrations allows them to dive deeper into the story's meaning, preparing them for more complex narratives down the road. Children who progress from the banded scheme to 'free readers' can access their class library, and the school library, and can be supported to select appropriate books by staff. Pupils are encouraged to take home fiction and non-fiction texts.

Children are expected to read at home five times a week, ideally daily, as this helps to develop confident and fluent readers. We would recommend 20 minutes of reading a day. Children's reading logs are checked to ensure this is taking place. Where children are not reading the required amount in school, they are invited to attend a lunchtime reading club. There is also opportunity to read to a member of staff at Homework Club and After-school Club.



Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Luke Talmage
Headteacher

Mr Alan Clode
Deputy Headteacher and Inclusion Leader



Class teacher

Teachers Main Pay Scale and Upper Pay Scale.

This is a full-time post with a start date of 1st September 2026

Manor Court Community Primary School is seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and inspirational teacher to work as part of our successful team. We require a qualified teacher who is creative, well-organised and can demonstrate high expectations in all areas of the curriculum. The position would equally suit an ECT or more experienced teacher. Successful ECTs will benefit from Early Career Framework training and support from experienced colleagues.

The successful candidate will:

- Have high expectations especially in achievement, attainment and enrichment.
- Have excellent, in-depth knowledge of the National Curriculum.
- Be able to work collaboratively and positively with all colleagues.
- Have the capability to identify and target specific needs.

Manor Court Primary School has:

- A skilled and supportive Senior Leadership Team
- A commitment to your professional development
- A well-planned and ambitious curriculum
- Well-resourced learning environments
- Welcoming staff and well-behaved children

How to Apply:

Please apply in writing by completing the application form.

This can be found at: <https://www.prestonprimaryacademytrust.co.uk/>

Application Deadline: Monday 22nd June 2026

Completed applications and a covering letter should be submitted to

vlea@ppat365.org

PPAT Education reserves the right to remove a vacancy before the closing date.

Visits to the school or any queries regarding the role are welcome;
please telephone to make an appointment on 01460 62350

Preston Primary Academy Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This position is subject to an enhanced DBS check and other pre-employment checks.



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Duck Lane, Chard
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Finance & Admin Officer

Salary range: Grade 12:12 – 12:19, £14.82-£16.62 per hour

37 Hours per week to be worked Monday to Friday

Term time only plus 2 weeks to be worked across the school holidays

Actual salary £25,452 - £28,534 with pay award pending

Local Government Pension scheme

This is a permanent post (subject to the completion of a satisfactory probation period)

Manor Court Community Primary School (part of PPAT Education) has an exciting opportunity for an ambitious Finance & Admin Officer to support the Headteacher and Senior Leadership team in their duty to ensure that the school meets its educational aims.

As a key member of staff, you will be working within a busy school environment leading on staffing and finance to ensure the smooth running of the school.

The successful candidates will have:

- Experience of a general office environment and an aptitude for ICT.
- A background in schools finance or finance within a commercial environment.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Integrity and confidentiality are essential.
- Willingness to contribute to the school's high-quality provision.
- A good knowledge of Microsoft packages.
- Knowledge of FMS & SIMS is desirable however training is available for the right candidate.
- Candidates should have a good basic education with 5 A-C GCSE's.

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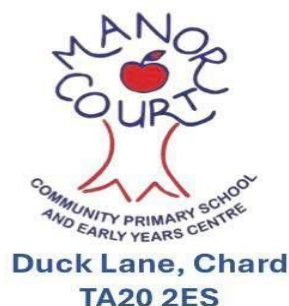
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Administrative Assistant

Salary range: Grade 15:3 – 15:4 £12.85-£13.05 per hour

30 Hours per week to be worked Monday to Friday

Term time only

Actual salary £16,775- £17,038 with pay award pending

Local Government Pension scheme

This is a temporary post from

1st September 2026 to April 2027 in the first instance

Manor Court Community Primary School (part of PPAT Education) has an exciting opportunity for an Office Administrator to join our team, support the headteacher and school colleagues in their duty to ensure that the school meets its educational aims.

You will be working within a busy school environment, providing a first line of contact between the school and the community. The ideal candidate will be friendly, flexible and well organised.

This is a varied role requiring initiative and enthusiasm.

The successful applicant will need excellent communication and interpersonal skills with experience of a general office environment and an aptitude for ICT. Integrity and confidentiality are essential.

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Duck Lane, Chard, TA20 2ES



Cleaner

Salary range: Grade 17:2 £12.71 per hour (pay award pending)

10 hours per week to be worked Monday to Friday

Term time plus 6 additional weeks to be worked over the school holidays

Local Government Pension scheme

This is a temporary post from

Start date as soon as possible (subject to pre-employment checks)

Manor Court Primary School is looking for a cleaner to start working as soon as possible. The position is for 10 hours per week, working Monday to Friday, working 2 hours each day, with the option of working in the morning before school commences or after school finishes. The vacancy is term time only plus 6 additional weeks to be worked across a variety of the school holidays.

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This can be found at: <https://www.prestonprimaryacademytrust.co.uk/>

Application Deadline: Friday 26th June 2026

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Manor Court Community Primary School Terms and Holidays 2026/2027 Academic Year



September 2026							October 2026							November 2026						
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Sa		5	12	19	26		Sa		3	10	17	24	31	Sa		7	14	21	28	
Su		6	13	20	27		Su		4	11	18	25		Su	1	8	15	22	29	

Key:

	School Holiday
	Bank Holiday
	Term Time
	Inset Days

Term dates summary:

Term 1: 03 September – 23 October 2026 (37 days)	
Term 2: 02 November – 18 December 2026 (35 days)	
Term 3: 04 January – 12 February 2027 (30 days)	
Term 4: 22 February – 25 March 2027 (24 days)	
Term 5: 12 April – 28 May 2027 (34 days)	
Term 6: 07 June – 23 July 2027 (35 days)	TOTAL = 195

Bank and public holidays 2026/27

Christmas Day Bank Holiday	25 December 2026
Boxing Day Bank Holiday	28 December 2026*
New Year's Day Holiday	01 January 2027
	Summer Bank Holiday

*Replacement Bank Holiday when Bank Holidays falls on a weekend.

Academy, Free Schools, Foundation & Voluntary Aided schools can set their own term dates and may differ from ours. Please check with the individual schools for their term dates.



TOGETHER ON TUESDAY

A club for primary school children
and their parents, carers & siblings

**Join us for Crafts, Cooked Tea,
Songs & Story**

New craft each week

Cooked tea provided

Short bible story and song

**Every Tuesday during term
time**

ALL WELCOME

3.30pm - 5pm

St Mary's Church rooms

THIS IS A FREE CLUB BUT DONATIONS ARE WELCOME

Bring your Teddy to zip the wire from
ST. MARY'S CHURCH, CHARD TOWER



TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC



SATURDAY 18th JULY 2026
1pm to 4pm
ST. MARY'S CHURCH CHARD

Enjoy a great family afternoon of
entertainment, activities & much
much more!



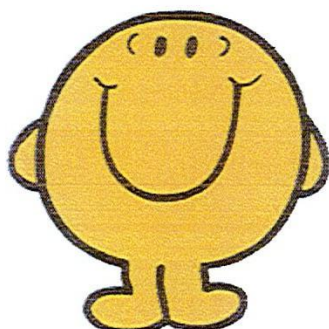
Refreshments, Barbecue, Crafts, Tombola, Nearly new stall,
Raffle, Guess the name, Games, Treasure Hunt and much
more, too!! in aid of St. Mary's Church Funds

Manor Court School Council
Fundraising Event

NON- UNIFORM Day!

Friday 19th JUNE

Come to school in your
brightest, most colourful
clothes to make us smile!



50p towards our School Charity-

YOUNG LIVES vs CANCER
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