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Next week

Monday 17th July

2:30pm Year 4 Ukulele Performance for Parents.

3:30pm Open Afternoon

Tuesday 18th July

F2 visit to Ness Gardens

2:00pm Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

Wednesday 19th July

9:30am Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

6:00pm Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

3:30pm Chess Club

Thursday 20th July

Friday 21st July

3:30pm Netball Club 3:30pm Spanish Club

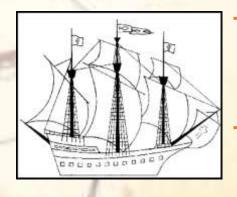
FoDS AGM



Advance notice that the FoDS AGM will be held on **25**th **September** at the School 7 for 7.30pm. Please try and come along for a glass of wine or cup of coffee and hear what being involved in FoDS is all about!

School Dinner Money

We are coming to the end of the school year and once again we are asking for your support in making payments for school dinners promptly. **School**



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dinners should be paid for at least weekly in advance. We would appreciate you giving this matter your urgent attention.

If you no longer wish your child to have school dinners or alternatively wish them to go onto school dinners from September please send a note into Mrs Parr by the end of next week. Many thanks.

Open Afternoon F1-Y6

We invite you to an open afternoon on Monday 17th July from 3.30pm until 4.30pm when you are invited to visit the classroom and look at your child's work. We look forward to seeing you.



Year 4 Ukulele Concert

Year 4 parents are invited to attend a ukulele concert in school on **Monday 17**th **July at 2:30pm.** The children are looking forward to performing. We hope you can make it.



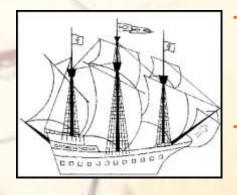
Next week is our long awaited performances of 'Aladdin Trouble' as follows:

Tuesday 18th July at 2:00pm

Wednesday 19th July at 9:30am

Wednesday 19th July at 6:00pm

Tickets went home last week but could we ask if anyone has any tickets they do not require that they hand them into the



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school office. We have a list of hopeful parents who would like additional tickets for other family members.

Please note that all Key Stage 2 pupils (Years 3-6) are required to attend the evening performance on **Wednesday** 19th July. We ask that the pupils arrive at school by 5:45pm in school uniform. The children may be collected from school at 7:30pm. Thank you for supporting us with this important occasion.



Y6 Leavers Service

This will take place on Tuesday 25th
July at 9.10am in the school hall. All
parents of Y6 pupils are invited to attend.
Unfortunately, due to limited space we
only have room for 2 family members per

child.

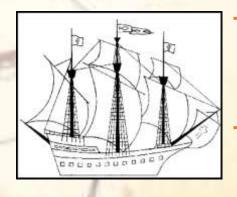


F1 Presentation to Parents Noah's Ark

It was lovely to welcome our F1 families to a performance of 'Noah's Ark' this week. The children performed with such confidence and enthusiasm. Each child was presented with a special certificate in recognition of their wonderful work this year. Congratulations F1.

Y3 Trip to Claremont Farm

Year 3 had a lovely morning at Claremont Farm on Wednesday where they learnt about the life cycle of plants. They also took part in some fruit tasting and strawberry picking which they



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particularly enjoyed. Thank you to all the parent helpers.

Thank you Mrs Carter



Mrs Carter has served as a school Governor at Dawpool for nineteen years and is retiring from the Governing Body at end of this academic year.

It was lovely to welcome Mr and Mrs Carter and their son and daughter into school for Worship on Monday afternoon. Mrs Carter was presented with a gift on behalf of the school community. A big thank you to Mrs Carter for the support she has given to the school over the years. She will always be a part of the Dawpool family and we look forward to welcoming them back to school events in the future.

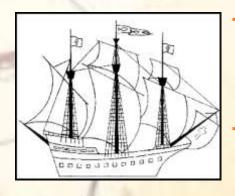
Musical Instrument Tuition 2016-17

Pupils in Y2 – Y5 have this week brought home a letter about musical instrument tuition for the new academic year.

Mr Simon Harper will offer tuition in guitar, keyboard and piano. Mrs Debbie Darlington will offer tuition in the violin. Miss Jayne Laird will continue to offer tuition of brass instruments and Mr Glen Thomas will provide tuition of clarinet, flute and saxophone. If you are interested in your child learning an instrument that is not listed here, please do speak to us and we may be able to arrange tuition for you.



We are keen to recruit as many pupils as



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possible to music tuition. If you wish your child to receive instrument tuition next year, please return the reply slip(s) as soon as possible to guarantee your place. We ask that the forms are returned to school by <u>Friday 21st July</u> at the latest to enable the tutors to prepare their timetables during the Summer holiday.



This year we have developed the range of extra curricular clubs on offer. We propose to offer an extensive range of clubs next year:

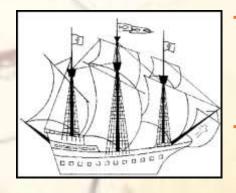
F2 & KS1 Football F1 & F2 Bats and Balls KS2 Football KS2 Multi-sports Netball Tennis
Judo
Choir
School Orchestra
Drama
Worship Warriors
Forest Schools
'Make & Learn (DT)'
Mad Science
Spanish

We will write to you in September with further details.

OPEN DAYS

Secondary School Open Evenings / Days

We have today uploaded to our website a spreadsheet that provides details of all the secondary school open days / evenings during the Autumn Term. You can download it from the bottom left of the homepage, the 'parents' tab or the Year 5 and 6 class pages. We hope you



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will find this useful to plan your visits to prospective secondary schools

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THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

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SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2017

animal-agents.org.uk

This summer there's something strange happening at the library – and that's where the **Animal Agents** come in!

Join the Animal Agents for the **Summer Reading Challenge 2017** and help them uncover the truth!

Taking part is simple – when the summer holidays start, you can sign up at your local library. Read six library books (or more!) over the holidays to collect special stickers and complete the Challenge.

Each time you visit the library, you'll discover new clues and evidence that will help you solve a cryptic case. We hope you will take part.

Irby Library Summer Activities for Children

Thursday 27th July 2.30-3.30pm Crafty Kids-Animal charm bracelets. For ages 5-10yrs Cost £3

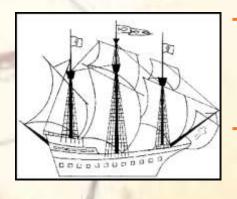
Thursday 3rd August 11.00 am John Piper's Puppets. For ages 9 and under. Cost £1.50

Thursday 10th August 10.00am
Chester Zoo Safari Rangers workshop
For age 5+ Free

Booking essential at Irby library. Refreshments will be available.

There is also an additional event run by FOIL (Friends of Irby Library)-

Wednesday 23rd August 2.00pm Wirral Barn Owl Trust: Talk and



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activities, pellet dissection.

Games, Music, Food, Drinks, Prayer, Fellowship etc.

Parish Church News



Have a great weekend

My very best wishes

David Burrows Head Teacher

For Church information, please visit www.thurstaston.org.uk

Sunday 16th July

9.30am Junior Church Book Giving Service at St Chad's 8.00am and 11.15am services at St Bartholomew's

Saturday Together July 22nd 5.30-6.30pm:

Monthly event for all ages at St Chad's including things such as: Quizzes,