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NEXT WEEK

Monday 17th June

Tuesday 18th June

Class Photographs
3:30pm-4:25pm Tennis Club

Wednesday 19th June

3:30pm-4:30pm Chess Club 3:30pm-4:30pm Y3/4 Netball Club 3:30pm-4:30pm Bats and Balls Club

Thursday 20th June

3:30pm-4:30pm Dance Club

Friday 21st June

3:30pm-4:30pm Y5/6 Netball Club 3:30pm-4:30pm EYFS/KS1 Spanish Club



FoDS News

Father's Day Sale

Thank you to those who supported our Father's Day sale. We raised £217.52.

Thank also to the parents who wrapped gifts and helped on the day.

Bag2School

Our last Bag2School collection made £56.

Non Uniform Day Thursday 20th June

A letter went home last week with full details of our non-uniform day next week in exchange for donations for our Summer Fair. Please do all you can to send a donation in and support us in our biggest fundraiser of the year. Thank you.



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Summer Fair Saturday 6th July 1-4pm

We are still looking for any parents who may be interested in having a stall at the Fair or helping on the day. Please see Mandy Parr at the school office if you are interested or can help.

Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets for our Summer Fair Raffle will be sent home early next week and we would be grateful if you could do all you can to sell your allocation.

Important changes to payments

With effect from 5th June all payments for wraparound care and preschool lunchtime sessions are to be paid online via Schoolmoney (the same system as currently used for paying school meals).

An email and text was sent last week advising all of the web address to use and their password. Please ensure payments are made by 14th June as requested. If you have any problem with the system please let Mandy Parr at the School Office know.



The Dawpool Race for Life

The bunting was out, butterflies were hung and a huge oval race track was made on our field. Then, in a week of terrible weather the sun shone on us.

The children completed their laps in classes cheered on by the rest of the school.

Medals were presented by Mrs Robson and Mrs Cutts and then the enthusiastic runners received refreshments from the Year 6 team.



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The atmosphere of excitement, enthusiasm and fun was truly fabulous-it was a really special day.

Thank you to all our children and families for supporting this worthy cause with their generous sponsorship. You are all amazing!

Please keep bringing your donations in.
Our total will be revealed soon....



Charity Fundraising

Well done to Ella Bibby (Year 5) and Charlie Bibby (Year 2) who held a coffee and cake morning last Sunday to raise donations for Wirral Animal Sanctuary & The Hog Centre. They received a huge

amount of items to donate and made £83.80.

They are also holding a stall at our summer fair to raise money for The Hog Centre. If anyone has any soft hedgehog toys which they would like to donate, please take them into the school office. Many thanks.



School Class Photographs

The class photographs will be taken on **Tuesday 18th June** and children should come to school smartly dressed in summer uniform.

We request that hair accessories coordinate with school uniform colours. This year we are adopting the formal style of class photograph.



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JUNE

Monday 17th June

6:00pm: Welcome meeting for new F1
Parents

Tuesday 18th June
Class Photographs

Tuesday 18th June

6:00pm: Welcome meeting for new F2 parents

Wednesday 19th June

9:00am: Year 2 Class Assembly

Friday 21st June

2:00pm: New F2 pupils to meet Year 5
Special Friends

Wednesday 26th June

Year 5&6 at Royden Park to watch A Midsummer Night's Dream.

Thursday 27th June

Chess competition at St George's Hall Liverpool

Thursday 27th June
Dance Festival at Clare Mount

Friday 28th June

Pupils to undertake a 'big clean' at Thurstaston Beach

Friday 28th June

Environmental art project at Shore Cottage Art Studio



Monday 1st July

2:30pm: Music Concert for Year 4 and pupils in receipt of brass and woodwind lessons.

Wednesday 3rd July
Bible Exhibition for Year 5



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Saturday 6th July 1:00-4:00pm: Summer Fair

Tuesday 9th July

Year 6 at Leavers' Service, Chester Cathedral

2:30pm: 'Front Row' Music Concert for pupils in receipt of piano, keyboard and quitar lessons.

Wednesday 10th July
Year 6 pupils to attend new schools (Induction Day)

Tuesday 16th July

3:30pm: Open afternoon for parents to view pupils' work

Wednesday 17th July

6:00pm: Year 6 performance

Thursday 18th July

9:30am: Year 6 performance

Monday 22nd July

9:10am: Presentation of Class Prizes

Wednesday 24th July 9:10: Year 6 Leavers' Service.



We are looking forward to Year 2 leading the class assembly next Wednesday at 9.10am. Parents and carers welcome to join us.

Year 1 Phonics Screening

Well done to the Year 1 pupils who have taken the Phonics Screening Check this week. We are very proud of all the children who have worked so hard and tried their very best.

SUMMER CONCERT



We are pleased to inform you that there are two music concerts organised in the coming weeks.

Parents of Year 4 pupils and parents of pupils receiving brass and woodwind lessons are invited to a concert in the



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school hall on **Monday 1**st **July at 2:30pm**. Year 4 pupils will be singing and playing their ukuleles and our brass and woodwind musicians will be playing their instruments.

FRONT ROW MUSIC

Parents of pupils receiving piano, keyboard and guitar lessons from 'Front Row Music' are invited to a concert in the school hall on **Tuesday 9**th **July at 2:30pm**.

We hope you can join us for our music concerts.



We are pleased to announce that Year 6 will shortly begin rehearsals for their end or year musical production of 'Pirates of the Curry Bean.' There will be two performances for Year 6 families on

Wednesday 17th July at 6:00pm and Thursday 18th July at 9:30am. Further information and tickets will be provided in the coming weeks. It promises to be great fun!

Parents of the children who have been nominated for this year's class prizes will be invited to a special assembly on Monday 22nd July at 9:10am.

Year 6 parents are invited to attend the Leavers' Service on Wednesday 24th July at 9:10am.

Open Afternoon

There will be an open afternoon for parents to view their child's work on **Tuesday 16th July at 3:30pm**. The children are looking forward to showing you all their hard work this year.

COLOMENDY



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The Year 6 pupils had a wonderful residential visit to The Kingswood Centre, Colomendy. Please visit our Twitter Feed to view photographs of the children enjoying their activities.

Chess News

Congratulations to our Chess Teams for their excellent performances at recent competitions. Well done to Jessica-Rose (Y5) for winning the girls' Empower Chess Tournament at Our Lady & St Edwards Primary school on Monday. Last weekend, our chess teams attended the English Primary School Association semi-finals Chess Pontins, Prestatyn. All teams came away with fantastic awards, including 'Gold' for the Under 11 team. Thank you to Mr Battersby for his work with our chess players and to the parents for supporting all the fixtures.



Learning Values Awards Friday 14th June 2019

Congratulations to the following pupils who have demonstrated outstanding effort during the week and have applied our learning values:

Foundation 1
Leo Heseltine

Foundation 2

Darcy Durbin

Year 1
Isaac Crawford
&
Theo Evetts

Year 2
Charlie Bibby

Year 3
Fred Fewtrell

Year 4
Ella-May McDermott



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Year 5 **Heidi Hobbs**

Year 6

Danny Liggett

&
Rubini Ariaraj



Fruit of the Spirit Awards
Friday 14th June 2019

Thank you to the following pupils who have shown our 'Fruits' in action during this week:

Foundation 1
Maisie Ball

Foundation 2
Isobel Crawford

Year 1
Amy Parker

Year 2
Ciaran Keating

Year 3

Joseph Cheeseman

Year 4

Gabby White

Year 5
All of Year 5

Year 6
James Hart

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Sun 16th June 9.30am Junior Church - Trinity & Father's Day



Please see the attachment regarding The Parish Pixels - a national photography competition.



On Wednesday morning, Year 5 welcomed the congregation of St Chad's to school for a Communion Service. The Year 5 children helped to lead the Service and it was a wonderful occasion. Thank you to all those who took part.

Have a lovely weekend. Let's hope the sun shines!

> David Burrows Head Teacher