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DIARY DATES

16 Mar - No celebration assembly
16 Mar - Y5 Ancient Greece Workshop
18 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
19 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
24 Mar - Whole school photo by Academy Photography
26 Mar - Y1 Beeston Castle Trip
27 Mar - Y3 Parent/Carer Lunch
01 Apr - Y5 Hope Journey Trip
02 Apr - Timeline Exhibition 1.30-3.15pm
03 Apr - Easter Service at Church, 10am
20 Apr - Amazing Concert (Choir)
20 Apr - Islam Day
30 Apr - Y6 Deputation Day/Service
06 May - Academy Photography - Class, Groups & Leavers'
11 May - SATs Week
15 May - Y4 Parent/Carer Lunch
01 Jun - INSET DAY
05 Jun - Y6 London Trip
12 Jun - Sports Day & Family Picnic
19 Jun - Reserve Sports Day & Picnic
20 Jun - Bunbury Village Day
22 Jun - Y3 & Y5 Edmond Hall Residential
24 Jun - Y6 (THS pupils) Conway Residential
26 Jun - Y5 Parent/Carer Lunch
01 Jul - Y4 Tattenhall Residential
09 Jul - Y6 Leavers' Evening
10 Jul - Y6 Parent/Carer Lunch
10 Jul - Star Day
15 Jul - Y6 Leavers' Church Service, 10am St. Boniface

Please view our school calendar on our website for up to date information:
www.bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk/events

Friday Celebration Assembly is now on a Monday at 2.40pm

Parents, Carers and Friends are invited to our celebration assembly. Please email [admin](mailto:admin@bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk) if you would like to attend.

Click here to view our [LUNCH MENU](#)

Click here to view our [SPORTS PAGE & CALENDAR](#)



Matthew 22:36-40

"Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?"

Jesus replied: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments."

Unicef Article 29 (Goals of Education)

Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

Dear Parents/Carers,

Despite the challenging times currently facing the outside world we have continued in school to work calmly and enjoy our learning around the 'Timelines' project.

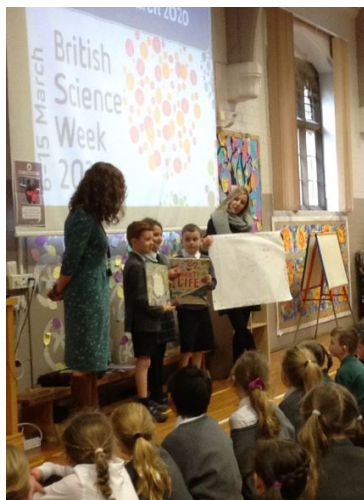
As I walk around the classrooms I am always amazed by the work the children produce, their level of knowledge and understanding and of course their enjoyment for learning. This week has been no different to others and it is humbling to work with such talented and dedicated professionals who daily work wonders with your children. We look forward to hopefully sharing the work with you later this term on the afternoon of **April 2nd**.

Science week

This week we have been celebrating National Science week across the school. Throughout the school the children have

enjoyed a greater focus on science teaching over the past 5 days with some fantastic experiments and activities taking place. This afternoon we ended the week with a whole school sharing assembly where we looked at some of the learning which had taken place over the past few days. A huge thanks needs to be said to all the teachers for the





inspiring lessons and to Mrs Gabriel for organising the week.

700th Church Anniversary

On Wednesday and Thursday Mrs Waddington, Mrs Greenbury and Mrs James came into school to work with reception, year 1 and year 6 on artwork for the 700th Anniversary of St Boniface flower festival. All children enjoyed the workshops and we thank them very much for giving up their time to the community.

Pupil Fund Raising

As always I am incredibly proud of individual or groups of children who wish to fundraise for local or national causes. The week I have discovered that Belle in year 3 is 'Walking over Cancer'. She is aiming to complete 10,000 steps each day during the month of March to raise money for cancer research uk. When I asked Belle why she wanted to complete such a challenge, she simply told me that she wants to help people with cancer get better. I am so incredibly proud of Belle and all that she is trying to achieve. If anyone would like to donate I have added the link below to her fundraising page.



<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/belles-walk-all-over-cancer-fundraising-page-2>

Covid-19

Coronavirus concerns: As you will be aware school are being asked to prepare themselves for a Covid-19 outbreak. Therefore, I thought I should send you the following information and guidance which may be helpful to you. Obviously this is an ever changing picture so it is worth checking the most up to date information daily and the from Public Health steps you should be taking.

There is currently no cause for concern for the children at Bunbury but we will keep you informed about any developments and ensure we are keeping the school as clean as possible to prevent the spread of any virus. On entry to the school we are asking all visitors to use the hand sanitiser from Mrs Waring, however this is for adults only due to ingredients.

The following information is accurate as I write but is subject to change.

To prevent the spread of infection make sure you and your children follow these general principles to prevent spreading any

respiratory virus:

Wash your hands often –with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, or an alcohol-based sanitiser if soap and water aren't available

Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands

Avoid close contact with people who are sick

If you feel unwell, stay at home and don't attend work or school

Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in a bin

Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces in the home

If you're worried about your symptoms, **please call NHS 111** –don't go directly to your GP or other healthcare environment

Category 1: Travellers should self-isolate, even if asymptomatic, and use the [111 online coronavirus service](#) to find out what to do next. Go home or to your destination and then self isolate.

Category 2: Travellers do not need to undertake any special measures, but if they develop symptoms they should self-isolate and call NHS 111.

The guidance for Italy, Iran, Daegu or Cheongdo (Republic of Korea), Laos, Myanmar, Cambodia and Vietnam applies to individuals who returned from these specific areas on or after 19 February 2020.

Category 1 countries/areas	Category 2 countries/areas
Wuhan city and Hubei Province (China, see map)	Cambodia
Iran	China*
Daegu or Cheongdo (Republic of Korea, see map)	Hong Kong
Any Italian town under containment measures (see map)	Italy (see map)
	Japan
	Laos
	Macau
	Malaysia
	Myanmar
	Republic of Korea*
	Singapore
	Taiwan
	Thailand
	Vietnam

Current advice from PHE is as follows in the table below.

Please note the Department for Education has launched a new Coronavirus Helpline. The has been set up to answer questions about COVID-19 related to education. Staff, parents and young people can contact the helpline as follows:
Phone: 0800 046 8687
Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk

Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

Please note that no school should close in response to a suspected (or confirmed) COVID-19 case unless advised to do so by Public Health England.

After School Clubs/Activities

Due to the popularity of our after school club, Dodgeball, we are looking for a parent volunteer to assist the club leader, Holly. Having an additional adult would enable school to increase the current numbers for the club. Each half term the club fills its capacity very quickly and a waiting list commences for those who would like to attend.

If you are at all interested in volunteering each Thursday after school and would like further information on what it would entail, please contact admin.

T2P App/messaging service

I has been reported that some parents have experienced inconsistencies with the delivery of text messages from our provider Teachers2Parents (T2P). This point was raised at our Parent Council meeting earlier this week. The following advice has been made from T2P; if parent/carers have the T2P App, text messages may not always be received as well as App messages, creating inconsistencies. If using the App, please ensure that notifications are turned on via your settings, alerting you to new messages - having the App on the front screen of your mobile device would also prove useful, visually alerting you to the arrival of new messages. You may choose to disable/remove the App if you would prefer to only rely upon receiving a standard text to your phone, though T2P texts is sent from multiple numbers, so in doing this you will not be able to view all messages received in one place/thread - this can only be done via the App.

Thank you as always for your continued support. I hope you all have an enjoyable weekend with family and friends and we look forward to seeing you all back in school safely on Monday.

NM Badger



Bunbury Badgers

This week we judged our Christmas writing competition. Well done to Isla (Reception), Corey (Y2) and Emily (Y3), you all did a fab job! We have spent much of our time outside playing together and drawing beautiful pictures on the playground.



Advice on the coronavirus for places of education

How serious is the coronavirus?

- It can cause flu-like symptoms, including fever, cough & difficulty breathing
- The infection is not serious for most people, including children
- there is currently no vaccine
- most people get better with enough rest, water to drink, and medicine for pain

How likely are you to catch the virus?

- you can only catch it if you have been close to a person who has the virus
- the chance of being in contact with the virus is currently low in the UK
- if you have travelled to areas where many people are infected, your chance of catching the virus is higher, i.e. China and any affected areas

If there is an emergency, call 999 immediately

How can you stop coronaviruses spreading?

If you need to cough or sneeze

- Catch it with a tissue
- Bin it
- Kill it by washing your hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser

You should wash hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser

- After breaks & sport activities
- Before cooking & eating
- On arrival at any childcare or educational setting
- After using the toilet
- Before leaving home

Stop germs spreading with our e-Bug resources on hand and respiratory hygiene lesson plans for KS1, 2 and 3. campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools

What should you do if you feel unwell?

Keep away from others and stay at home to stop the infection spreading. Avoid public transport if you think you have symptoms of coronavirus. If you become unwell at a place of education, tell a member of staff and let them know if you have travelled to any other countries in the last 14 days. If your staff member or parent thinks you have symptoms of coronavirus, they should call NHS 111 for advice. Follow the UK Government advice for children or educational settings: [gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19). Parents can visit [NHS.UK](https://www.nhs.uk) to find out more information. Teachers and support staff should follow the UK Government advice. Staff, students and pupils who have returned from Iran, specific lockdown areas in northern Italy, special care zones in South Korea or Hubei province China (returned in the past 14 days) should self-isolate, and NOT attend education or work for 14 days. See [NHS.UK](https://www.nhs.uk) for advice on coronavirus.

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We would be extremely grateful of donations of good quality toys and books. In particular - boys toys for age 7-10 (action figures etc) and also any Barbie dolls. Many thanks for your support!

Miss Selina Woodward
Badgers Deputy Manager

Other Information

School Payments/Cashless Office (from 01/04/2020)

As you will be aware, our preferred method for you to make payments for your child's trips, out of school club bookings and if applicable, school lunches is via our secure online system, SchoolMoney.

This efficient system was introduced to enable both school and parent to experience a more streamlined, cost-effective way to manage school payments.

From the 1st April 2020, the school office will no longer accept cash or cheque payments. All payments are to be made online via your child's SchoolMoney account. For many, this change will have no affect. For those who currently pay by cash or cheque, I encourage you to logon to your child's SchoolMoney account to ensure the smooth running in this transition. Cash payments will only be accepted for charitable donations e.g own clothes days/sponsorships and for hot snack at break times.

School Dinner Menu

We have been notified by Cheshire East that the menu served in school has switched weeks. For example, this week the menu served in school is week 1 and not week 2 as advertised. Moving forward through this half term, the weeks will continue to rotate but from this week's menu served, week 1. The new Spring/Summer menu will be announced in the coming weeks and will commence Monday 27th April.

Nantwich Food Bank

The RCSAT now has access to support from Nantwich Foodbank in the form of vouchers. If you feel you need to access this service please speak to Mrs Badger or Ms Charlesworth in confidence.

Celebrations

Fruit of the Spirit /Christian Value Award, this terms focus is 'Forgiveness'

These awards below are due to be received during celebration assembly on Monday 23rd March, due to no assembly being held on Monday 16th March.

Fruit of the Spirit Award

- YR - Tom for showing forgiveness when his friend accidentally tripped him up
- Y1 - Tristan for forgiving Mr Huntbach he forgets to empty our bin!
- Y2 - Jack for forgiving his friends when they took his ball
- Y3 - Emily G for showing forgiveness when out in the playground
- Y4 - Evan for showing forgiveness to a friend and sorting issues out himself
- Y5 - Poppy for showing forgiveness when she was hit accidentally by a ball in the MUGA
- Y6 - Katie, Savannah, Daniel, William & Noah for their forgiveness drama in assembly



Star of the Week Award

- YR - Hubert for his fantastic writing in his Mothers Day card
Y1 - Heidi for developing her confidence and always being a pleasure to teach
Y2 - William for being super coder in computing
Y3 - Lollie for showing patience and determination during her Maths assessment which resulted in an excellent mark
Y4 - Nathan for his excellent work in science this week
Y5 - Ollie for all the hard work on his spellings. Super progress, well done!
Y6 - Savannah for her amazing knowledge about light during science week

**Bronze Behaviour Award**

- YR - Rosie-Lee & Freya
Y4 - Nathan, Evan, William B & Harriett

Well done to those children who have earning and received the below certificates

Champion Times tables

- Y5 - Fleur C, Zoe, Molly & Imogen

Gold Times Tables

- Y2 - Zachery
Y4 - Poppy Mary

Mathletics Gold Award

- YR - Charlie





The Wingate Centre

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with Disabilities

Wingate Holiday Club

Offering fabulously fun activities run by
our gym coaches for Reception - 11 yrs.

**Come and join us for a packed
programme of fun
activities this Easter**



APRIL
Mon 6th - Thurs 9th
Tues 14th - Fri 17th
9am - 4pm £20 / child
8.30am - 5pm £25 / child

Daily activities will include;
Trampolining, dodgeball, soft
archery, hockey, Easter themed
arts & crafts, nature activities,
food activities, sensory room &
more.

By booking a place you are
supporting the amazing work of
the Charity - thank you.

Lunch can be provided at an additional cost of £3 (order at time of booking)

For more info or to book your child's place please call 01270 780456 or email
gym@thewingatecentre.co.uk

The Wingate Centre, Wrenbury, CW5 8ES

www.thewingatecentre.co.uk Charity Number 327713

PAYMENT MUST BE MADE AT TIME OF BOOKING





JOIN THE JUNIOR PARKRUN FAMILY

WALK, JOG, RUN, VOLUNTEER
or simply come and watch – it's up to you!

FAMILY-FRIENDLY 2K EVENTS Every Sunday morning	FOR 4-14 YEAR OLDS Adults can join in with the kids too!
EVERYONE WELCOME Walk, jog, run, hop, skip or jump - it's up to you!	FREE & EASY TO TAKE PART No special kit needed - wear whatever you like
HAVE FUN BEING ACTIVE Share high fives and big smiles!	MAKE FRIENDS Meet lots of new people
LEARN NEW SKILLS Kids can volunteer in lots of roles	FEEL HAPPY AND PROUD Try your best and celebrate your achievements

"We all do it together as a family. The volunteers are really nice, it's fun and you can walk if you want to!"

Register at [parkrun.com](https://www.parkrun.com)
and head down to your local junior parkrun event!

notes:

Gardenhurst Estate junior parkrun - Tiverton (hockey club), every Sunday, 9am

ict rules

We always ask permission before using the ICT equipment.

We learn to keep our passwords a secret.

We only ever log onto a computer as ourselves.

We never give out our names, phone numbers or home address to anyone.

We never arrange to meet someone we don't know - ask an adult we know and trust first.

We only use websites that an adult has chosen or knows about.

We can write polite and friendly emails to people we know.

We close any website we don't like and tell an adult.

We never open emails from anyone we don't know.

We know who to ask for help if we're not sure about anything.

We know it's important to follow these ICT rules to keep us safe and to treat equipment with care

'Think b4 u click'

THESE WILDCATS HAVE FUN

Have fun. Make friends. Play football.
Sign up now at [TheFA.com/SSEWildcats](https://www.thefa.com/SSEWildcats)

Centre Name

Date & time

Location

How to Book

SSE wildcats
THE FA GIRLS' FOOTBALL CENTRES

Advice Line Children & Young People

Cheshire and Wirral Child & Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS)



Cheshire and Wirral
Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust



Are you a young person
who is struggling with
their mental health?



Are you worried about your
child's mental health?
Talk to us



Are you an adult working with
a young person and concerned
about their mental health?



Contact our advice line for advice, support and resources.

You can also contact our advice line if you would like to consider a self-referral.



5pm - 10pm Mon to Fri
12pm - 8pm Weekends

01244 397644



Helping people to be
the best they can be





Autism Training & Support

to be delivered across South Cheshire and Vale Royal.

ChAPS will be offering parent training programmes in the Northwich, Winsford, Crewe and Middlewich areas on behalf of NHS South Cheshire CCG & NHS Vale Royal CCG - delivered by



The 6 week programme will include
a range of topics such as:

- Autism and diagnosis
- Communication
- Senses and Sensory issues
- Sleep
- Understanding and positively managing behaviour
- Anxiety
- Listening, understanding and interacting effectively
- Puberty and Sex Education
- Girls on the Spectrum
- Comic Strips and Social Stories

Topics will be tailored to the needs of the group

To access this training you will need to be signposted by a professional.
Please speak to your health, education or social care contact for further details.

www.cheshireautism.org.uk

Inspiring families to achieve more

DID YOU KNOW?

For every pupil registered for free school meals, your child's school receives extra funding from the Government? **This could be up to £1,320 per child, per school, per year!**

BETWEEN RECEPTION & YEAR 13,
YOUR CHILD MAY BE ENTITLED TO

FREE SCHOOL MEALS & PUPIL PREMIUM

Find out if you are eligible:
Visit www.cheshire.gov.uk/FSM
or call 0300 123 5012
(quoting FSM2019)



