



**Bunbury Aldersey CE Primary School**  
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## DIARY DATES

- 16 Oct - Last day of the Book Fair
- 22 Oct - Y6 THS Challenge Day
- 22 Oct - Parents Evening
- 23 Oct - Parents Evening
- 25 Oct - Big Tidy Friday
- 06 Nov - Y6 Hope Journey (a.m only)
- 06 Nov - Academy Photography, Individual & sibling
- 11 Nov - Sports for Champions
- 13 Nov - School Nurses to administer Flu Nasal Spray in school
- 15 Nov - Children In Need - own clothes day, please bring a £1 donation
- 04 Dec - Whole school theatre trip
- 11 Dec - Y2 Hope Journey Trip
- 11 Dec - EYFS/KS1 Nativity, 2pm
- 12 Dec - EYFS/KS1 Nativity, 10am
- 18 Dec - KS2 Carol Service 6pm @ church
- 21 Jan - Y5 Roberts Bakery (in school)
- 11 Feb - Parents Evening
- 13 Feb - Parents Evening
- 18 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
- 19 Mar - Y5 Bikeability
- 01 Apr - Y5 Easter Hope Journey Trip
- 03 Apr - Easter Service at Church, 10am
- 06 May - Academy Photography - Class, Groups & Leavers'
- 11 May - SATs Week
- 05 Jun - Y6 Deputation Day & Whole School Church Service, 11am
- 12 Jun - Sports Day & Family Picnic
- 19 Jun - Reserve Sports Day & Picnic
- 24 Jun - Y6 (THS pupils) Conway Residential
- 01 Jul - Y4 Tattenhall Residential
- 09 Jul - Y6 Leavers' Evening
- 10 Jul - Star Day
- 15 Jul - Y6 Leavers' Church Service, 10am

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



Don't forget -



### 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

What a busy end of the week it has been. Today we held our annual coffee morning for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Cancer is an illness which impacts many of our lives and is a charity very close to my heart. I was so pleased to see so many parents and relatives supporting our event today which had been organised by our own school council. Many thanks to all who came today and donated money and cakes to this worthy cause. I would also like to thank Mrs Williams, mum to Oscar and George who has agreed to match fund our event through Marks and Spencer, we raised a total of £268.82 in school and our 'Best Bake' competition winner was Grace in Year 6. Judges, Mrs James (School Governor), Mrs Melia (from the school office) and our Head Boy & Girl along with myself had a very hard job!

**MACMILLAN  
CANCER SUPPORT**



### Scholastic book fair

We have again welcomed the scholastic book fair into school yesterday. The book fair will take place each evening from **Thursday 10th - 17th October.**

The fair will be open for all children, parents and carers to purchase a wide range of books at different levels and covering a range of interests. Last year we sold over £900 of books which meant we received £500 of commission to spend on books for school. It is a fantastic way to replenish our reading books whilst also purchasing some quality books for home. Your support at such events is always very much appreciated.



### **Reception parent lunch**

Today we held our very first parent/pupil lunch session with reception parents invited into school to have lunch with their child. It was a lovely occasion to see everyone enjoying a school dinner and I thank Sophie, our new cook, for organising the event. We will be organising similar events through the year for each of the other year groups. Please look out for future lunch dates.

### **Big Tidy Friday**

As part of our commitment to outdoor developments we will be looking to tidy up the space outside and have set aside **Friday 25th October** as 'Big Tidy Friday' to clear and tidy our outdoor spaces. If any parents or grandparents are available to help it would be very much appreciated. Please email the school office if you are available to support our project. We will be sending out a list of jobs and tools required, so that we have the best opportunity to tidy our school grounds.

### **Facebook**

Please can I remind all parents not to post photos of school events involving other children onto social media sites. There have been a few incidents recently where photos of other children have been posted without permission. If this happens we will ask that these posts are removed from the social media site asap.

### **Parking**

As you will be aware over the past year I have had quite an intensive campaign to improve the parking situation outside school at drop off and pick up. I am pleased to say that on the whole parking has improved considerably and most people are now leaving the coned areas clear for safer crossing, and not parking inconsiderately opposite the zig zag lines etc. However, in the wet weather we have had a number of people parking inconsiderately around the school. Whilst I appreciate that it was very wet, parking in such a manner in poor weather conditions increases the risk of a potential accident out of school. Particularly when visibility for pedestrians is poor. Please can I ask that, no matter what the weather, we adhere to the recommendations school have put in place to ensure that all our children are safe coming to and leaving school.



Our pupils at Bunbury feel so strongly about the roads outside of school being safe, that in their spare time they design posters to promote safer parking. Oliver in year 4, has designed this poster which we will turn into leaflets for cars. Along with the Junior road safety officers, Annabel and Savannah (year 6), two apprentices in Year 5 will be leaving leaflets on cars of which they deem to be parked inconsiderately.

We thank Oliver for his leaflet and hope that this helps with our continued campaign for safer roads for the children of Bunbury.

Thank you as always for your continued support. I hope you enjoy your weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday morning.

*Mrs Badger*

## Sports News

### **Y1 /Y2 X-Country**

Huge congratulations to the year 1 & 2 girls and boys who took part in the cross country competition at Tarporley High School on Thursday evening with a host of medal positions being claimed with superb effort shown by all. With over 30 children brilliantly representing Bunbury it was a hugely proud moment for the school especially with all children giving their all and displaying great resilience in tough conditions. Well done all!

### **Sports for Champions - Monday 11th November**

Sports for champions are coming to visit our school, all pupils will be taking part in sponsored fitness circuit. Team GB Gymnast Daniel Purvis will be working with the children throughout the event and will present a powerpoint assembly for pupils to learn how he first starting in sport and about his nutritional needs to keep his body in optimum condition. This will be followed by a gymnastic demonstration, finishing off with a Q & A session. This a great way to raise funds for school sports equipment and Team GB athletes.

Please ensure all sponsorship forms are returned to school by **Monday 4th November**

### **Aldi's Kit For Schools**

We are taking part in Aldi's Kit for Schools promotion which is giving 20 primary schools the chance to win £20,000 to kick-start a health legacy for their school. What's more, every school who enters by completing their Aldi's Kit for Schools poster will also receive an exclusive school sports kit!

Collect a Team GB Sticker with every £30 spent in store and help fill up our school's poster. Once complete with 300 stickers we will send the poster back to Aldi so we can receive an exclusive sports kit and to be in with a chance to win £20,000 for our school.'

**Mr Dooley,**  
**PE Lead**

## Other information

### **Scratch Strings Orchestra/Group**

We would like to start a scratch strings orchestra/group to play a couple of carols for the school Christmas Carol concert. We are looking for any level of player from beginner to expert to join us, both children and parents/carers.

Music will be given out after half term so that people can practice individually before we then get together to practice after school on Mondays in later November/December.

Any questions, please ask Helen Tillett

## PTA News

### 150 Club

The first draw of the school year was held at our Macmillan Coffee Morning today. The winner of Septembers draw was Kelly Lomax with number 40. Congratulations you have won £40.00!!

## Celebrations

### Fruit of the Spirit /Christian Value Award

*This terms focus is 'generosity'*

#### Fruit of the Spirit

YR - Primrose for always generously giving up her time to help tidy up all areas of the class room without being asked.

Y1 - Rory for being generous at at X-Country and cheering everyone on!

Y2 - Seb for generosity in helping younger children

Y3 - Bertie for generously and calmly returning a rather large spider back to the wild &

Lily-May for generously offering her help to Mrs Smith this week

Y4 - Oscar for generously showing his knowledge this week

Y5 - Emlyn for always showing a kind and generous nature

Y6 - Noah for being generous with his knowledge of the school when with visitors



#### Star of the Week

YR - Marcie for fantastic writing and re-telling the story on 'We are Going on a Lion Hunt'

Y1 - Aggie for being the only Y1 girl at Cross-Country!

Y2 - Ella for her fantastic effort with her reading

Y3 - Elsie for a fantastic start to her Berlin City Guide

Y4 - Jack for working so hard to improve his presentation in Maths

Y5 - Penelope for a wonderful effort in Maths this week

Y6 - Charlotte for her brilliant work and effort in Maths and English



#### Champion Times tables

Y5 - Harry, Emlyn, Molly

#### Gold Mathletics

Y2 - Seb

#### Gold Times tables

Y6 - Edward, Oliver, Savannah & William

Y5 - Fleur & Oscar

Y4 - Georgia

Y2 - Ted, Corey, Freddie, Samuel & William

Y1 - George

# Early Birds Pumpkin Patch is back

Located in front of school reception

## Pumpkins go on sale from Monday 21st of October

Purchases can be made in the mornings before school, money to be left at reception

Contact details Karen  
07709746778

k.wildbure@hotmail.co.uk



Supporting EarlyBirds Pre-School

## SAVE THE DATE

Join us for a jingle and mingle

# CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday 21st December  
Bunbury Village Hall  
Live Music & DJ  
From Lee Gordon

7.30pm-12.00am  
Bunbury Village Hall

**£12.50 per ticket**  
All in aid of  
**Bunbury Aldersey Primary and Early Birds**

# 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'

# FIFTEEN APPS

## PARENTS SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

### MEETME



MEETME IS A DATING SOCIAL MEDIA APP THAT ALLOWS USERS TO CONNECT WITH PEOPLE BASED ON GEOGRAPHIC PROXIMITY. AS THE APP'S NAME SUGGESTS, USERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO MEET EACH OTHER IN PERSON.

### GRINDR



GRINDR IS A DATING APP GEARED TOWARDS GAY, BI AND TRANSGENDER PEOPLE. THE APP GIVES USERS OPTIONS TO CHAT, SHARE PHOTOS AND MEET UP BASED ON A SMART PHONE'S GPS LOCATION.

### SKOUT



SKOUT IS A LOCATION-BASED DATING APP AND WEBSITE. WHILE USERS UNDER 17-YEARS-OLD ARE UNABLE TO SHARE PRIVATE PHOTOS, KIDS CAN EASILY CREATE AN ACCOUNT USING A DIFFERENT AGE.

### WHATSAPP



WHATSAPP IS A POPULAR MESSAGING APP THAT ALLOWS USERS TO SEND TEXTS, PHOTOS, MAKE CALLS AND VIDEO CHATS WORLDWIDE. WHATSAPP USES AN INTERNET CONNECTION ON SMART PHONES AND COMPUTERS.

### TIKTOK



TIKTOK IS A NEW MOBILE DEVICE APP POPULAR WITH KIDS USED FOR CREATING AND SHARING SHORT VIDEOS. WITH VERY LIMITED PRIVACY CONTROLS, USERS ARE VULNERABLE TO BULLYING AND EXPLICIT CONTENT.

### BADOO



BADOO IS A DATING AND SOCIAL NETWORKING APP WHERE USERS CAN CHAT, SHARE PHOTOS AND VIDEOS AND CONNECT BASED ON LOCATION. WHILE THE APP IS INTENDED FOR ADULTS ONLY, TEENS ARE KNOWN TO CREATE PROFILES.

### BUMBLE



BUMBLE IS SIMILAR TO THE POPULAR DATING APP 'TINDER' HOWEVER, IT REQUIRES WOMEN TO MAKE THE FIRST CONTACT. KIDS HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO USE BUMBLE TO CREATE FAKE ACCOUNTS AND FALSIFY THEIR AGE.

### SNAPCHAT



SNAPCHAT IS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR APPS IN RECENT YEARS. WHILE THE APP PROMISES USERS CAN TAKE A PHOTO/VIDEO AND IT WILL DISAPPEAR, NEW FEATURES INCLUDING 'STORIES' ALLOW USERS TO VIEW CONTENT FOR UP TO 24

### KIK



KIK ALLOWS ANYONE TO CONTACT AND DIRECT MESSAGE YOUR CHILD. KIDS CAN BYPASS TRADITIONAL TEXT MESSAGING FEATURES. KIK GIVES USERS UNLIMITED ACCESS TO ANYONE, ANYWHERE, ANYTIME.

### LIVE.ME



LIVE.ME IS A LIVE-STREAMING VIDEO APP THAT USES GEOLOCATION TO SHARE VIDEOS SO USERS CAN FIND OUT A BROADCASTER'S EXACT LOCATION. USERS CAN EARN 'COINS' AS A WAY TO 'PAY' MINORS FOR PHOTOS.

### HOLLA



HOLLA IS A SELF-PROCLAIMED 'ADDICTING' VIDEO CHAT APP THAT ALLOWS USERS TO MEET PEOPLE ALL OVER THE WORLD IN JUST SECONDS. REVIEWERS SAY THEY HAVE BEEN CONFRONTED WITH RACIAL SLURS, EXPLICIT CONTENT AND MORE.

### WHISPER



WHISPER IS AN ANONYMOUS SOCIAL NETWORK THAT PROMOTES SHARING SECRETS WITH STRANGERS. IT ALSO REVEALS A USER'S LOCATION SO PEOPLE CAN MEET UP.

### ASK.FM



ASK.FM IS KNOWN FOR CYBER BULLYING. THE APP ENCOURAGES USERS TO ALLOW ANONYMOUS PEOPLE TO ASK THEM QUESTIONS.

### CALCULATOR%



CALCULATOR% IS ONLY ONE OF SEVERAL SECRET APPS USED TO HIDE PHOTOS, VIDEOS, FILES AND BROWSER HISTORY.

### HOT OR NOT



HOT OR NOT ENCOURAGES USERS TO RATE YOUR PROFILE. CHECK OUT PEOPLE IN THEIR AREA, AND CHAT WITH STRANGERS. THE GOAL OF THIS APP IS TO HOOK UP.

# School Parking

## A Guide to Parking Safely at Our Schools

Inconsiderate and dangerous parking around our schools has become a big problem, putting the safety of children and others at risk. We all want to keep our children safe around schools, so here's some top tips on how you can make a difference.

**Did you know?**  
One in five cars in the morning rush hour is taking children to school

- How Can You Help?**
- ✓ Keep your speed down
  - ✓ Turn your engine off if leaving your vehicle
  - ✓ Leave the middle of the road free, with enough room for other road users to easily pass through
  - ✓ Make sure your child leaves and enters your vehicle safely onto the pavement
  - ✓ Check for pedestrians and cyclists before opening a car door
  - ✓ Leave enough room on pavements for pedestrians to get past
  - ✓ Take care when reversing

- Please Keep Clear...**
- ✓ Zig Zags and School Entrances
  - ✓ Dropped Kerbs
  - ✓ Resident's Driveways
  - ✓ Opposite or within 10 meters of a junction- so that children can see cars and cars can see children

### Your questions answered...

**Can I double park if I remain in my vehicle?**  
No, vehicles parked in the middle of a road cause obstruction for all road users and may obstruct the line of sight for pedestrians and children crossing the road.

**Am I okay to park on zigzag markings if I am only there a few minutes?**  
No, under no circumstances should you park on zig zag markings at any time, these are there to protect school entrances and leave a clear view of the street for pedestrians.



## THESE WILDCATS HAVE FUN

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

Centre Name

Date & time

Location

How to Book fdo@nantwichtownfc.com"/>



## 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](http://www.cheshire.gov.uk/FSM)  
or call 0300 123 5012  
(quoting FSM2019)





Cheshire and Wirral Partnership  
NHS Foundation Trust

# Advice Line Children & Young People

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



**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  
12pm - 8pm**

**Mon to Fri  
Weekends**

**01244 397644**



Helping people to be  
the best they can be





