

# DBJS Newsletter

## 13th July 2018



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### Forgiveness - Honesty - Kindness - Patience - Peace

Dear Parents/Carers,

Events for week commencing Monday, 16<sup>th</sup> July 2018:

		Time	Event
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Morning	<b>9am-12.15pm</b>	<b>3J Farm Visit</b>
	Afternoon	2-2.30pm	3KB- Swimming (£3.83 per week)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Fit 2 Dance Kidz ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
	Evening	<b>6-7pm</b>	<b>Open Evening to discuss reports</b>
<b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Afternoon	2-2.30pm	3J- Swimming (£3.83 per week)
	After School	3:30-4:30pm	Chess Club ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
	Evening	7pm	<b>Year 6 Leavers show</b> (children should arrive in school no earlier than 6.40pm)
<b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Morning	<b>9am-12.15pm</b>	<b>3KB Farm Visit</b>
	Lunch time	12.30pm	Year 3, 4 and 5 Choir rehearsal
	After School	<b>3.30-4.15pm</b>	Hotshots Basketball (Year 3 and 4) ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
		<b>3:30-5pm</b>	Film Club ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
		4.30-5.15pm	Hotshots Basketball (Year 5 and 6) ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
	Evening	<b>7-9pm</b>	<b>Year 6 Leaver's party/BBQ</b>
<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	All Day	<b>9am</b> (back at school for approximately <b>6pm</b> )	<b>Year 6 trip to Wicksteed Park- packed lunch needed</b>
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	CCFC Football Club ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> ) Play on Theatre ( <b>LAST SESSION</b> )
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Morning	8.55am	Celebration Assembly
	Afternoon	<b>2pm</b>	<b>School finishes at 2pm</b>

#### STAR OF THE WEEK

Well done to the following children who have achieved their 'Star of the Week' awards: Mia W, Kyran, Andy, Ryan L, Riley S, Kai, Francesca, Max, Alana-May and Grace.

#### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Annabel C who has been selected, for the second year running, to represent Warwickshire in the Inter-County Swimming Gala in September. Well done Annabel!

Well done to Zachary W for winning 'Player of the Year' at Hotshots Basketball! Congratulations Zach!

Well done also to Holly C who performed in two disco dances in a show organised by the Sarah Cooke School of Dance last Saturday. Holly was awarded a rosette for most improved confidence over the last year. Congratulations Holly!

#### GOOD LUCK

Good luck to Freya in year 4 who is appearing in 'The Wizard of Oz' with Ash Productions this weekend. Tickets are

available for shows on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon (<http://ash-stage-productions.webs.com/whats-on>). Good luck Freya!

### **MESSAGE FROM MR DEWES**

Many thanks to all of those who came to watch our sports day yesterday, it was great to have so many spectators there to make it a memorable occasion for the children. Anyone who has visited the corridor to the left of the main entrance to school will have seen the exceptional collection of trophies that children from this school have won in competition and there were some great examples of athletic excellence during yesterday's event. Perhaps more impressively were the way all children had the chance to compete and be part of a team and also the way children conducted themselves. It is important that children know how to cope with the disappointment of losing as well as win graciously and our sports day showed how well our children do both. Thank you to all the staff who helped run the event, particularly Mrs. Tildesley.

### **ASSEMBLIES**

On Wednesday, a lady from Warwickshire Libraries came in to speak to the children in assembly about the Summer Reading Challenge 'Mischiefs Makers'. The challenge this year is celebrating the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the much-loved comic, Beano. Your child can help Dennis, Gnasher and friends explore Beanotown to find the mysterious buried treasure – with tons of fun along the way! It's totally free and to get started all your child has to do is sign up at the library where they will be given a collector poster to keep a record of their Summer Reading Challenge journey. As they read their books, each child will receive special stickers to complete their poster. Children are encouraged to read at least six library books. They can be any books they like. The challenge is a great time to share and talk about books as a family. Please visit [mischiefs-makers.org](http://mischiefs-makers.org) for more information.

### **SCHOOL EVENTS**

#### **CASTLETON RESIDENTIAL**

The Year 6 children who were in Castleton last week had a fantastic, fun-filled week! Well done to the children who were so well behaved, it was great to hear that they had a lovely week. Thank you very much to the staff who ensured the children were kept safe and made sure that the children had an enjoyable week.

#### **SPORTS DAY**

Thank you for coming to support your child at our recent Sports day event. The children all seemed to enjoy themselves and the weather was perfect. Thank you once again to the PTA. Their support is appreciated at our events. A big thank you to Mrs Tildesley for organising the morning, and well done to all the children, it was a fantastic morning! Congratulations to Waring who were the winning house.

#### **SCHOOL SPORTS EVENTS**

Following their success in the Tennis competition at Harris School in May, our school's Year 3/4 team qualified to represent the School Sport Partnership at the Level 3 School Games which took place at the University of Warwick last Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> July. They did fantastically well, finishing in second place. Well done to Oliver, Will, Charlotte and Lexie!

On Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> July, a team of Year 4 boys went to Paddox Primary School to take part in a football tournament. The boys did extremely well, winning the tournament! Congratulations to all and thank you to Mr James. Thank you to the parents who helped with transport, your help is greatly appreciated.

#### **WORLD CUP MATCHES**

Well done to all the children who have been taking part in the recent school World Cup football matches at lunch times. Today was the final, and England were the winning team! Well done to all that took part, it has been a very enjoyable event. Thank you to Mrs Clusker for organising this fun competition and to all the staff who have helped.

#### **SCHOOL BUS/ AFTER SCHOOL ARRANGEMENTS**

If your child usually attends an after school club that is not on next week and will be going on the school bus instead, please contact the school office so that we can amend our bus register.

#### **OPEN EVENING- Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

We will be holding an open evening in school on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July from 6pm – 7pm. This will be an opportunity to discuss any aspect of your child's report, given to the children to bring home yesterday.

## **YEAR 6 LEAVERS PLAY**

The Year 6 leavers play will be performed on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm. Children should arrive at school no earlier than 6.40pm. They will change in to their costumes when they arrive in school. The show is expected to finish at 8.30pm. Children in Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 will watch the performance in school in the afternoon.

## **INSTRUMENT LESSONS NEXT WEEK**

Instrument lessons which will still be on next week are: Flute, Strings and Monday Guitar.

## **RETURN OF INSTRUMENTS**

If your child is no longer continuing to learn their instrument or is in year 6 and has a Warwickshire Music or school instrument, please return to school by Monday.

There are still instruments missing so please try to remember to bring them back, especially if your child's lessons have finished and you still have the instrument at home.

## **MUSIC TUITION**

Next week is the deadline for children to return forms requesting instrument tuition with Warwickshire Music and for Guitar. If your child wishes to continue their instrument, please return this form by Monday.

## **EARLY FINISH – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

School will be finishing at 2pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July which is the last day of term. Woosh Club will be open from 2 – 6pm.

Unfortunately we have been informed by our school bus company that they are **unable to collect our children at 2pm**. If you are unable to collect your child at 2pm and would like them to go home on the bus, children may stay in school until 3.30pm. Please let the office know, so that the bus register is accurate.

## **TEA TOWELS**

We are making a tea towel with pictures of each child in each year group. This will be available to buy at a cost of £4. The tea towels will be white with a blue hand-print border and a school badge in the middle. Each child will be represented on the tea towel, in blue. If you would like to preview the style of the tea towel please see the website: <http://www.fundraisingforschool.co.uk/>.

Please indicate on the form below the number of tea towels you would like to order at a cost of £4 each (payment made through ParentPay).

## **LETTERS HOME THIS WEEK**

The Choir have been invited to sing for Education Sunday at St. Peter's Church at 10.30am on 16<sup>th</sup> September. A letter with a permission slip attached has been sent home this week. Please return these as soon as possible so that Mrs Blezard knows if she has enough children to participate. Thank you.

## **OTHER MESSAGES**

### **LEAFLETS IN SCHOOL**

We have been given various leaflets in school this week including Allsorts magazines, Primary Times magazines, Explore Learning leaflets and a holiday club leaflets. These are available in the reception area/school office if you would like any.

### **CAR PARK**

May we please remind parents that the car park is for staff use only, not for parents. Thank you.

### **SCHOOL FOOTBALL KITS**

If you have one of the school football kits at home, could these please be returned to school next week. Thank you.

### **LOST PROPERTY**

Jennifer has lost her dusky pink basketball hat, which is named (her name is written on the inside of the rim of the hat) and Nina has lost her blue Ion water bottle which has her name written on the handle. Would parents please check their child's belongings and ensure that they have the correct items.

**FOUND PROPERTY**

After the sports day on Thursday, a pink picnic blanket in a zipped bag was found on the field. Please see the school office if you think this may be yours.

**EDUCATERERS VACANCY**

Catering Assistant - £8.50 per hour. Various posts available across Rugby Schools. Monday to Friday, Term time and training days, start date September 2018. For further information please call 01926 412010 or email [contactus@educaterers.co.uk](mailto:contactus@educaterers.co.uk)

**COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**MESSY CHURCH EVENT – Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

Dunchurch Baptist Church (Coventry Road, CV22 6RF) are running their ‘Messy Church’ event on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July from 10.30am-12.30pm. There will be crafts and lunch for all the family. The cost is £1 per person (payable on the day). Please book your place asap: [messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](mailto:messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) . For more information, please visit [www.dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](http://www.dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) .

**ONLEY GROUNDS OPEN DAY – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July**

Onley Grounds Farm (Willoughby, Rugby, CV23 8AJ) are holding their open day on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July from 11am-4pm. The entrance fee is £5 per car, proceeds to The Cure Parkinson’s Trust. There will be pony rides, shetland pony grooming and horse shoe painting, equestrian demonstrations, meet the farm animals, Onley Grounds farm shop and butchery tastings, bouncy castle, face painting, veterinary demonstrations by Onley Equine vets, fun dog show and much more.

**DUNCHURCH BAPTIST CHURCH HOLIDAY CLUB**

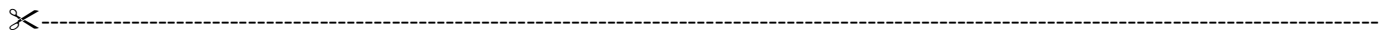
Dunchurch Baptist Church (Coventry Road, CV22 6RF) are running a ‘Pyramid Rock’ holiday club for 5-11 year olds from Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August, from 10am-12pm, and Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September from 10.30am-11.30pm. The cost is £5 for the week. To book places, please contact [holidayclub@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](mailto:holidayclub@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) .

**ST PETER’S CHURCH EVENT – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018**

Join St Peter’s Church (CV22 6PE) for their All Age Service for a Day at the Races on Sunday 2nd September from 10.30-11.30am followed by scones, jam and refreshments at St.Peter's church Dunchurch. Free admission.

Yours sincerely,

**Mrs T Miller**  
Assistant Head Teacher



**Year Group Tea Towels**

Name of child: ..... Class: .....

Number of tea towels required: 0  1  2  3  4  5

I understand the cost of each tea towel is £4 and will make payment on ParentPay.

Signed..... parent/carer Date.....