

# The Blue Letter: 17h January 2020



Dear Parents/Carers

Our new website is live! The web address is still the same but you will find that the layout is different and gradually you will notice a change to the content. There is now an online calendar and you should be able to access the blue letter on a Friday afternoon. Topic and homework letters will also be updated onto the site. The website change should enable us to add more pictures. There is also the option in the top right corner to change the language that the website is displayed in. It is inevitable with a new hosting company that there will be a few teething issues so please bear with us as we update the content and manage any links that don't work.

There are some tickets left for the United Voices Concert which the children in Owl Class have been working hard to prepare for. These are available from the Festival Theatre Box office. Their final rehearsal is on Wednesday morning at the Festival Theatre. Please make sure you have read the letter and have organised the correct clothing for your child.

Finally can I remind you again to think carefully where you park your car for drop off and pick up please. Please do not stop on the zig zags outside school either to come in with your child or even just to let them out of the car. These lines are there to keep all our children safe.

Monday 20th January	Create Club—finishes 4.15pm
Tuesday 21st January	Fitjoy club—finishes 4pm
Wednesday 22nd January	Young Voices rehearsal—Chichester Festival Theatre 9.30 am United Voices Concert 6.30pm
Thursday 23rd January	KS2 Swimming Drama Club finishes 4.15pm Book Club finishes 4pm
Friday 24th January	

## Collective Worship

In our worship this term we continue our look at events for Jesus' life as told in the four gospels. Next week we will think about Jesus' baptism and how he prepared for his ministry.

Our bible Verse is Luke 3: 21-22

“When all the people were being baptized, Jesus was baptized too. And as he was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven: “You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.”

### **Online safety**

In support of Safer Internet Day, which takes place on Tuesday 11 February 2020, WSCC are running free 'Digital online safety awareness' sessions for parents/carers across the county. These sessions will offer you invaluable tips and advice on how to keep your children safe online. Each session aims to cover the following:

1. What children are doing online
2. Identifying some of the risks children may face online
3. Looking at how you can support your children to protect themselves
4. Showing you the help/support and resources available
5. How to report any concerns

You will be given useful resources to take away with you and have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have about your child's internet safety. Although these sessions are aimed at parents/carers please feel free to bring friends and other family members along with you.

Please note these are adult only sessions.

Monday 24 February 2020 - 6.00pm-7.30pm

West Park School, Marlborough Road, Worthing, BN12 4HD . For free tickets go to

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/primary-parentcarer-digital-safety-online-awareness-tickets-83953959553>

### **Chartwell's Pancake Friday**

28th February is pancake Friday.

The meal choice is Fish & Chips or Omelette and Chips with baked beans or salad on the side. For dessert the choice is pancake with syrup or fruit salad.

Please place orders by Sunday 16th February at [www.mealselector.co.uk](http://www.mealselector.co.uk), where greater details are displayed. For more information on special diets please contact

[westsussexspecialdiets@compass-group.co.uk](mailto:westsussexspecialdiets@compass-group.co.uk). Please ensure special diet requests are made 2 weeks prior to the event. Terms and Conditions apply.



### **DINOSAURS ROAR!**

Stomp into your library for roarsome stories and crafts!

Chichester Library Tuesday 18th February 10.30-11.30am

Parents and carers are asked to remain on the premises during this activity. Everyone is welcome at our regular activities and special events. Visit [www.westsussex.gov.uk](http://www.westsussex.gov.uk) for our inclusion statement.



### **Cobnor Residential**

**We have had to pay the remainder of the balance for the Owl Class residential to Cobnor. Parents are welcome to pay any amount towards the balance in whatever size payments are convenient. The final balance needs to be paid by 14th February (half term). If there are problems with paying please do speak to Mrs Dommett or Mrs Sheehan in confidence.**