

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents

Welcome back and Happy new Year to you all.



CHOCOLATE FEAST BINGO Reminder: We hope to see you at our Bingo event on Tuesday 15th January 2019. Doors open at 6pm with eyes down at 6:30pm. Friends and family welcome, entry cost is 50p per person or £2 for families. Bingo books are £1 per book (5 games). We hope to see you there!

SPORTS FOR CHAMPIONS Thank you to all who have raised sponsorship money for our event on Wednesday 16th January. We have raised a total of £524! If your child has not yet handed their sponsorship form and money in then please do so by Monday 14th January.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Letters will be issued next week with the details of new after school clubs which will begin week commencing Monday 21st January. Clubs will only be available to book online via School Spider. If you do not know your log in please see the school office.

SCHOOL BUS There is **NO PM BUS SERVICE ON THURSDAY 14TH FEBRUARY** due to both minibuses being used to transport the school choir to the Young Voices concert in Manchester. Please make alternative arrangements to collect your child from school this day.

YEAR 4 Please make a note of the following dates for Year 4:

- Residential trip parent meeting: Monday 28th January 3:30pm
- Class assembly: Wednesday 30th January 9:15am, parents and grandparents welcome.



ATTENDANCE The class with this week's best attendance was **Year 1 with 99.1%**! Congratulations to the lucky pupil who won the family season ticket to this week's game against Plymouth Raiders. The pass will admit 2 adults and 3 children completely free; all you need to do is present the pass at the season ticket desk before the game which starts at 5:30pm at Ellesmere Port Sports Village.

SCHOOL UNIFORM We are currently awaiting delivery of school ties. Please note we will only be stocking standard (£2.45) and elasticated (£2.30). Ties are also available to buy online from www.stitchdesign.co.uk.

SCHOOL DINNERS There is a special lunch menu on Thursday 17th January as follows:

Mains	Sides	Desserts
Hot dog with choice of healthy toppings	Chips	Sticky toffee pudding with custard
Broccoli & Cheese Pasta Bake	Garlic bread	Cherry Shortbread
Jacket Potato with choice of healthy toppings	Coleslaw	Fruit Salad
	Garden peas	Yoghurt

You can pre-order online via Live Kitchen or your child can order in class during morning registration.

FIRE SAFETY Year 5 will be taking part in a Fire 'Escape to Safety' session on Monday 14th January where the local fire brigade will be coming in to school to work with the class.

PE KITS Reminder: PE kits are to be brought in on a Monday morning and be kept in school for the week.



SWIMMING Reminder, swimming lessons are as follows:

- **Wednesday morning = Year 1**
- **Friday afternoon = Year 5 & Year 4**

There will be a total of 11 swims in spring term; the charge is £1 per week for transport costs (no charge to year 4) please put money in an envelope with your child's name on and hand to the class teacher or school office. You can also pay online via School Spider. Please note that girls are to wear full piece swimming costumes and boys are to wear swimming trunks (shorts are not permitted). If your child needs to wear swimming goggles, please can you write a short note to this effect and hand to the class teacher or into the school office.

FREE FAMILY EVENT Families are invited to Chester's first ever Makefest, happening Sunday 3rd February 11am-3pm at Storyhouse, Chester Hunter Street, CHI 2AR. Storyhouse Makefest is a family-friendly day packed with fun hands-on activities, all based around making, STEM and digital. This includes coding, Minecraft, AR and VR, Lego, micro:bit, Raspberry Pi and 3D printing. This event is free to attend and there's no tickets, just turn up and get involved! For more information please visit:

www.storyhouse.com/event/makefest

RESIDENTIAL TRIPS Please keep a copy of the following payment deadlines for future reference.

Year group	Trip	Dates	Cost	Payment deadline
1	Delamere- 1 night	05.03.19-06.03.19	£35	04.02.19
2	Delamere- 2 nights	06.03.19-08.03.19	£70	04.02.19
3	Arete outdoor centre- 2 nights	06.02.19-08.02.19	£70	31.01.19
4	JCA- Condover Hall- 2 nights	24.04.19-26.04.19	£70 £50 (twin discount)	31.01.19
5&6	London- 3 nights	09.07.19-12.07.19	£220	Payment 1: £55 16.11.18 Payment 2: £55 07.01.19 Payment 3: £55 28.02.19 Payment 4: £55 26.04.19

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Clubs will begin week commencing Monday 21st January

~ DIARY DATES ~ 2019

Tue 15th Jan	Chocolate Feast Bingo- Doors open at 6pm with eyes down at 6:30pm
Mon 28th Jan	3:30pm- Year 4 residential trip meeting
Wed 30th Jan	9:15am- Year 4 class assembly. Parents and Grandparents welcome!
Wed 6th Feb	Year 3- Arete Outdoor Centre (2nights)
Tue 12th Feb	Spring Disco- more info to follow
Thu 14th Feb	Young Voices concert @ Manchester Arena- School Choir
Fri 15th Feb	Finish for February half term
Mon 25th Feb	INSET DAY
Tue 26th Feb	School re-opens- pupils back in
Tue 5th Mar	Year 1- Delamere (1 night)
Wed 6th Mar	Year 2- Delamere (2 nights)
Tue 12th Mar	Starlight clothing collection
Wed 27th Mar	9:15am- Year 3 class assembly. Parents and Grandparents welcome!
Fri 29th Mar	Finish for spring break
Wed 24th Apr	Year 4- JCA Condover Hall (2 nights)
Tue 9th July	Year 5&6- London (3 nights)

Best Wishes