

# DBJS Newsletter 24th May 2019



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## Forgiveness - Honesty - Kindness - Patience - Peace

Dear Parents/Carers

Events for week commencing Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019:

		Time	Event
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	Morning	9am-11.15am	Level 2 Bikeability Day 1 of 3-(for children in Y6 who have signed up for this course)
	Lunchtime	12.30-1.30pm	Recorder
	Afternoon	2-2.30pm	3K Swimming (£4.23 per week)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Chess Club Gardening Club Fit2Burst Dance Club – SPACES Year 5 and 6 Boys Football Club – SPACES
<b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Morning	9am-11.15am	Level 2 Bikeability Day 2 of 3-(for children in y6 who have signed up for this course)
	Afternoon	2-2.30pm	3J- Swimming (£4.23 per week)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Rock Solid Club Dodgeball Club Year 4-6 Girls Football Club
<b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Morning	9am-11.15am	Level 2 Bikeability Day 3 of 3-(for children in y6 who have signed up for this course)
	Lunch Time	12.30pm	Choir
	After School	3.30-4.15pm	Hotshots Basketball (Year 3/4)
		3.30-5.00pm	Film Club
		3.30-4.30pm	Cookery Club – <i>full</i> Year 3 and 4 Boys Football Club
	4.30-5.15pm	Hotshots Basketball (Year 5/6)	
<b>Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Morning	9am-11am	Level 1 Bikeability course – (for children in Y5 who have signed up for this course)
	Lunch Time	12.30pm	Orchestra
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	French Club Construction Club CCFC Football Club Play On Theatre Club
<b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Morning	8.55am	Celebration Assembly
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Cheerleading
		3.30-4.30pm	Spanish
		3.30-4.30pm	Athletics Club

### **STAR OF THE WEEK**

Well done to the following children who have achieved their 'Star of the Week' awards: Nicholas P, Adrija G, Indie-Rose C, William S, Mia W, Emily S & Adam B.

### **Attachments**

Years 3-6 Curriculum Summary, Bikeability Summer Holiday Courses flyer & Go Go Chicken Menu.

### **MESSAGE FROM MR DEWES**

Last night there was a wonderful performance of music held at school. Children from across the school performed a variety of musical pieces to a large audience of parents, grandparents and siblings. A huge thank you to Mrs. Fairbrother for organising such a successful concert. A special mention to the girls who came straight from a football tournament (where they qualified for the next stage) to take part in a performance - a wonderful example of the many extra curricular opportunities the school provides.

Alongside the Infant School, the children have been learning about democracy this week. As the European elections were being held yesterday, we thought it would be a good time for children to take part in their own democratic process. As you know, this school is now in a federation with our neighbouring school and so we have designed a set of possible new federation logos or badges. The designs were made in consultation with the children and three different options were presented to the children in a vote yesterday. The winning design is below. It combines aspects of both schools' existing badges (which are being kept; both schools still have their own individual identity) as well as subverting the colours of the two schools, i.e. the Infant's owl is blue and the cross of St. Chad, taken from the Junior's crest, is red.



### **ATTENDANCE**

This week's attendance award goes to 4C.

Class	Attendance AM	Attendance PM
3J	94.7	93.5
3K	97.6	97.6
4B	95.4	95.4
4C	99.4	100
5D	91.5	93.9
5HB	96.4	96.4
6R	92.7	93.3
6T	96.5	96.5

## **HOUSE CUP**

This week the House Cup has been awarded to Waring. Points are given out for good behaviour, learning or work. Well done to all.

## **SCHOOL NEWS / MESSAGES**

### **School Dinners update**

From Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June the children will be offered an additional meal choice from the *Go Go Chicken Menu*. This additional choice will then be available every Tuesday and Wednesday lunchtimes. Please see the flyer attached to the newsletter for further details.

### **Bikeability Level 1 (year 5) Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> June / Level 2 (year 6) Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – Wed 5<sup>th</sup> June**

If your child is doing one of the Bikeability courses after the half term holiday please remember to send them in to school with their bicycle, helmet and a bike lock. For children who are doing the three day course (year 6 only) the children may leave their bicycles in the school quad overnight for the duration of the course. Children in year 5 (Level 1 course) will be able to use the bicycle stand which is located on the top playground, just in front of the kitchen window. The same will apply to children who are doing the later courses on Monday 10<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> & Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June – Level 2 (year 6) and Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July (Level 1 (year 5)).

**Rugby in Bloom:** as part of our efforts into the Rugby in Bloom competition, whose theme this year is 'Green Action', we would like the children to plant a recycled container with some plants or flowers. We have suggested to the children putting a plant pot inside an old welly but other ideas are welcomed. It would be fantastic if as many children as possible could create a planter. Please bring completed planters into school after half term.

### **30 Days Wild**

On 15<sup>th</sup> May, Mrs. Read led an assembly about 30 Days Wild. This is an event organized by Warwickshire Wildlife Trust encouraging people to take part in a random act of wildness every day of June....like running in rainstorm or going on a bug hunt. The school have signed up to take part, but individuals can also sign up to receive a free activity pack at <https://action.wildlifetrusts.org/page/40705/petition/1> It would be lovely to get as many children as possible taking part.

### **R.E. Days.**

The children have enjoyed two R.E. themed days linked to the book "*The Promise*" by Nicola Davies. This story is inspired by the belief that a relationship with nature is essential to every human being, and that now, more than ever, we need to renew that relationship. Thank you to Mrs. Broderick for helping to lead these days.

### **Family Prayer Adventure Map.**

Children in Years 4-6 have been given a prayer map and stickers to complete. Mrs. Miller would love to see any finished maps after the holidays.

### **Sponsored Walk. 20<sup>th</sup> June.**

If you are able to help on the day of the Draycote Water sponsored walk then please can you let the school office staff know, or your child's classroom teacher. The walk takes place on 20<sup>th</sup> June between 9.00am-12:30pm

## **Diary Dates**

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Year 3 - visit from Hedgehog Ranger 11.30-12.30pm

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June (morning) - sponsored walk around Draycote Water – helpers required.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June – Teacher Training Day – school closed to children

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June - Induction day (County Transfer Day)

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day (9.15am), Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July is the reserve day (9.15am)

Thursday - 11<sup>th</sup> July – Open evening 5-6.30pm

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Joint Y2/Y3 Teddy Bears Picnic 12.15pm-1.15pm

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Y6 Leavers Show 7 – 8pm

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July – Y6 BBQ and disco 7 – 9pm

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – last day of term

Further details of the above events will be given out nearer the time.

## **After School Clubs**

### **Clubs – spaces**

There are still spaces on Gardening, Dance, Football, Dodgeball, Construction, Chess, Theatre, French, Spanish and Athletics clubs. Spare copies of the letters are available from reception.

## **PTA News**

The next **PTA meeting** will be on **Tuesday 11th June from 3:30pm in 5HB**, lasting no longer than one hour. All parents/carers are welcome to attend and help plan the next events, and pupils/younger siblings can come with you too; just sign in at reception after pick up time.

**PTA Facebook group:** please join us on FB to keep up to date with fundraising events, send us your ideas, or to contact committee members. Search for 'Dunchurch Junior School PTA' <https://www.facebook.com/groups/907121782819136/>

**Save the date - PTA Movie Night** for children in Years, 3, 4 and 5 – **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June – 3.30-5.30pm.** Spaces will be limited for this event.

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**Dunchurch Baptist Church** are running a Messy Church event on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June at Dunchurch Methodist Church, Cawston Lane. Dunchurch between 10:30-12:30. There all be craft activities for the children and a celebration lunch for all the family. The cost is £1 per person (payable on the day). To book your place visit the Baptist Church website [messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](mailto:messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) or at Noah's Ark.

**The Benn Hall Spring Fayre** takes place on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June, 10am-2pm. FREE ENTRY. There will be a variety of stalls from across the region, an ice cream parlour, bouncy castle and guest stage performances. For more information email [bennhall@rugby.gov.uk](mailto:bennhall@rugby.gov.uk) or call 01788 533719.

**Bilton Grange Holiday Club** will be taking place from 28<sup>th</sup> May until 31<sup>st</sup> May and also between 22<sup>nd</sup> July and 23<sup>rd</sup> August. For further information please contact 01865 594325 or refer to [www.active-camps.com](http://www.active-camps.com)

**Multi-Sports Camp** will be holding holiday clubs at Lawrence Sheriff School for children aged 5-11 years old between 28<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> May and 25<sup>th</sup> July - 30<sup>th</sup> August. [www.onsidecoaching.co.uk](http://www.onsidecoaching.co.uk) or 07807 596637  
**Blues in the Community** will be holding open trials for the Player Development Centre scheme for 2019/20 season. All trials start directly after May half term so week commencing 3<sup>rd</sup> June and will last for five weeks. For more information on dates or to book on to our trials please click on this link - <https://bit.ly/2Lj54AF> or find it on the CCFC website under the community tab. The cost is £30.00 for the 5 week trial.

Yours sincerely  
Mrs T Miller Co-Head of School

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FRIENDS OF  
DUNCHURCH  
SOCIETY (FODS)

## **A VILLAGE GET TOGETHER**

At  
Dunchurch Social Club,  
The Square, Dunchurch  
on  
Tuesday 28th May at 7pm

**We extend an invitation to the whole community to come with neighbours and friends for an informal evening to socialise, meet and generally have a relaxed evening.**

**Raffle on the night, Prizes include:**  
Dun Cow - two vouchers  
Wanda Fashions - £15 voucher  
Dunchurch Barbers - one free haircut  
Dunchurch Fish Bar - Fish/Sausage supper for three  
Green Man- Steak Dinner for two  
Anne-Marie's Florist - plant  
Malanche- voucher,  
Craig and Linda Beech - bottle of Prosecco  
Carol Seager- a bottle of wine  
Susan Turner – wall photo frame  
Sue Kember – flower arrangement

**Bar opens at 7pm**

**We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday**