

NEWSLETTER 14/10/2016
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Dear Parents,

Events for week commencing Monday, 17th October 2016

Monday	Lunch time	12.30pm	Recorder Club
	Afternoon	2pm	3S- Swim £3.83 per week
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Zumbatomic Club
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Code Club (Year 5&6)
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Girls Football Club (Years 4-6)
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Boys Football Club
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Gardening Club (CLUB FULL)
Tuesday	Lunch time	12.30pm	Brass Club
	Afternoon	2pm	3FR- Swim £3.83 per week
	After School	3.30pm-4.15pm	Orchestra Club
		3.30pm-4.30pm	CCFC Football Club
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Mad Science Club- 1 st Group (CLUB FULL)
3.30pm-4.30pm		Rock Solid Club (Years 4-6)	
Wednesday	All day		Whole School: 'Taking Care' Day
	Lunchtime	12.30pm	Choir- Music room
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Signing Club
		3.30pm-4.20pm	Year 5/6 Netball Club
		3.30-5pm	Film Club
		3.30-4.15pm	Cookery Club (CLUB FULL)
		3.30pm-4.15pm	Year 3/4 Hotshots Basketball
Thursday	All day		Whole School: Art Day
	Lunchtime	12.30pm	Cru Club (Year 3)
		3.30-4.30pm	Chess Club (CLUB FULL)
		3.30-4.30pm	Theatre Club (SPACES AVAILABLE)
	Evening	6.30pm-7.30pm	Year 3 & 4 PTA Disco
		8pm-9pm	Year 5 & 6 PTA Disco
		8.55-9.15am	Celebration Assembly
		Whole School: Art Day	
Friday	Morning	3.30pm-4.30pm	Imagineering Club (Year 5&6) (SPACES AVAILABLE)
	All day	3.30pm-4.30pm	Spanish Club (SPACES AVAILABLE)
		3.30pm-4.30pm	Tag Rugby Club
		3.30-4.15pm	Cheerleading Club
		Afternoon	

PTA DISCO – The PTA have organised a children's disco which will take place, in the school hall, on Thursday, 20th October 2016. The disco, for children in years 3 & 4 will take place from 6.30 – 7.30pm and the year 5 & 6 disco will run from 8 – 9pm. Cost is £1.50 which includes a drink and crisps. Candyfloss will be available, at 50p each, for the children to purchase on the night. If you think your child would be interested in attending the event please return the slip overleaf together with the entry fee of £1.50 – by **Tuesday, 18th October 2016**. Children who arrive on the night and who have not paid in advance will not be allowed entry to the disco. Please note that parents must collect their child from inside the school hall at the end of the disco, children will not be allowed outside on their own.

YEAR 3 AND YEAR 6 TAG RUGBY Yesterday, Thursday 13th October, children in Year 3 and Year 6 took part in a Tag Rugby festival at St Andrews Rugby Football Club. During the event, the children learnt skills and played games against other teams. The children enjoyed the tournament and they shared great sporting attitude. The children were given two free tickets for WASPS match this Saturday.

ART DAY The whole school will be taking part in an Art day on Thursday and Friday next week, looking at our school values of Kindness, Peace, Forgiveness, Patience and Honesty. The children will be arranged into mixed age classes for the two days.

TAKING CARE As part of our on-going commitment to safeguarding, the children will be taking part in a 'Taking Care' day on Wednesday, 19th October 2016. Some of the areas covered will be online safety, keeping themselves safe when out and about, they will also learn that it is 'okay to tell' and the different ways that this can be done. They will also learn that their 'safe' person could be someone at home or in school. If you have any questions or concerns about the day please contact school.

GIRLS/BOYS FOOTBALL MATCH Yesterday, Thursday 13th October, the girls football team and boys football team played a match away at The Revel Primary School. Both teams played very well and Miss Kerr and Mr James were very proud of them.

YORK RESIDENTIAL VISIT The next instalment of £15 for children who are participating in the York residential visit is due by Friday 21st October. Payment should be made via ParentPay.

MEDICINE IN SCHOOL If your child is prescribed medication it is preferable if parents come into school to administer it themselves. If this is not possible the following procedures are in place. Parents need to complete a medical form stating the name of the medicine, the dosage and the time it needs to be administered. It would be helpful if you supplied a spoon/syringe with the medication. Please also note that all medicines should be handed in to the school office by an adult (or Woosh if your child attends). Please don't send your child into school with their medication.

FAMILY PHOTO SHOOT The PTA are organising a family photo shoot opportunity on the morning of Saturday, 5th November between 9.30am – 12noon. A ten minute slot will be allocated per family, where as many photos as possible will be taken of you and your family. The photos will then be copied onto a disc and are copyright free, so you may produce as many prints for yourself as you wish. These will make fantastic Christmas presents and at the same time raise money for your child's school. Please complete the slip below, as soon as possible to avoid disappointment, to book your time slot which will be offered on a first come, first served basis. Each 10 minute slot costs £10. (Please note: we are not using a professional photography company, so all money will go directly to the school).

NOT ATTENDING CLUBS If your child is not going to be attending their after school club or Woosh would parents please let the school office know. This is so we can account for any children that are missing.

MAD SCIENCE A reminder for the children that are currently attending Mad Science Club that the last session will take place on Tuesday 1st November. Children in the second group will start on Tuesday 8th November. If your child is in the second group and you have not yet sent in payment, please do so before 8th November. If your child is interested in joining Mad Science and is not currently on the waiting list, please contact the school office. If there enough children on the waiting list, we hope the club will run again after Christmas for these children.

LOST PROPERTY Connor Blench has lost his Tommy Hilfiger coat and Jasper Delgado-Major has lost his named black coat. Would parents please check their child's belongings and ensure that they have the correct items.

FOUND PROPERTY We have an adult size denim jacket with a patterned lining that was found in our school hall last week. If this belongs to you, please call in to the school office.

FAMILY WORKSHOP In association with Brethertons Solicitors, we are offering children whose parents have separated the opportunity to attend a series of six workshops which seek to help them deal with the effects of family breakdown. The weekly workshops will be run in school by a school representative and Bretherton's in-house therapist, Liz Headley, who has nearly 20 years experience of working with adults and children in a variety of settings. The six sessions have been designed to offer the children the opportunity to discuss their feelings about Mum and Dad splitting and the difference it has made to their lives. They will be encouraged to think about different types of families and how they operate and how families can change over time. They will also be invited to consider their own support network both inside and outside their family and who they might go to if they were worried about something. All this will be offered in a creative, playful way so the children can feel relaxed when talking about emotional issues. If you feel that these workshops might be of benefit to your son or daughter then please complete the slip below. There are leaflets in the school reception if you would like more information.

SCHOOL DIRECT TEACHER TRAINING- Are you interested in training to become a teacher? Our school is part of a growing number of schools leading the way for more school-led teacher training. We have vacancies now to start training from September 2017 and we would be very interested to hear from you if you are thinking of becoming a teacher, or know someone who is. We're looking for people who have (or will have) a 2:1 degree, have a passion for teaching and want to inspire young people to fulfil their potential. We'd love you to come in and have a chat with us about the exciting teacher training opportunities available. Our recruiters Mrs Aspinwall and Mr Wardle can be contacted by email admin3391@welearn365.com or by telephone 01788 811028 to arrange a date and time. For further information on what becoming a teacher might involve more generally, you can also visit www.education.gov.uk/get-into-teaching or visit our school website.

FAMILY LEARNING IN WARWICKSHIRE Adult and Community Learning Service. Family Learning can support families in raising children's attainment and increase parents' engagement in the community. Long term benefits include positive effects in behavior and attitudes to learning across the whole family. A range of courses are being offered. Some courses are intended for adults only, whilst others are for parents and children to work together. Examples of courses include: Helping your child with maths or English, Family maths or English, Helping your child with phonics, Storysacks, Love food, save money- healthy eating. Workshops are also provided to engage families in working together. Workshops cover a variety of areas including: sharing stories, literacy, maths, phonics, healthy eating and art activities. If you would like further information please contact Jan Lennon: 01926 736390 or visit the following websites janlennon@warwickshire.gov.uk or www.warwickshire.gov.uk or www.facebook.com/warksacl.

WARWICKSHIRE POLICE YOUTH ACADEMY OCTOBER 2016- opportunity for Secondary age students For secondary age students interested in a career in the police/emergency services- Warwickshire Police is holding a two day event on 15th and 16th

October for the young people of Warwickshire (Warwickshire Police Youth Academy). The Academy is aimed for anyone aged 14-16. Over the course of the two days the attendees will see a police helicopter land and take off, police dogs training, firearms officers, traffic officers and a large scenario of a simulated Road Traffic collision with the Fire Brigade and Ambulance. In addition to this, they will be delivering some workshops to the young people and they are as follows: CSE (Child Sexual Exploitation), Sexting, ASB, Hate Crime, Drugs and Prison Me No Way. The Academy takes place at Newbold Revell in Warwickshire and they are able to supply transport to and from the event location from 2 or 3 drop off and pick up points that they will arrange. 9am pick up and 4pm drop off. Limited places, email: WarksSouth.CitizensAcademy@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk for an application form. All applications need to be returned to Leamington Police Station Warwickshire, Justice Centre Newbold Terrace, Leamington Spa, CV32 4EL.

DM FOOTBALL COACHING AUTUMN SOCCER CAMP DM Football Coaching are running an Autumn soccer camp where there will be a football packed programme every day for boys and girls aged between 5-11. It will be at Onley Grounds Farm, Willoughby, Rugby CV23 8AJ on Monday 24th/Tuesday 25th/Wednesday 26th/Thursday 27th/Friday 28th October. 8am-6pm will cost £20, 9am-4pm will cost £15. 50% sibling discount. Forms are available in the school entrance hall if you are interested. For more details email: danmumfordcoaching@gmail.com or phone: 07835023939.

FIREWORKS NIGHT AT THE GREEN MAN on 4th November 2016, The Green Man Dunchurch, 14 Daventry Road, Rugby CV22 6NS. Family fun, Kids Play Bus, BBQ & Hog Roast and a selection of Craft Stalls. £5 per adult & £3 per child if pre-paid. £6 per adult & £4 per child on the door. Fun starts at 5pm. Reserve your tickets at the bar or please ring 01788 810210.

DUNCHURCH FESTIVAL GROUP Guy Fawkes Halloween ghost walk- Friday 28th October. Meet at the stocks at 6.30pm, The Green, Dunchurch. Cost is £2 for adults and £1 for under 16s. Wear fancy dress and bring a torch or lantern.

RUGBY THEATRE HALF TERM PRODUCTION 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe' will be performed at Rugby Theatre, CV21 2QA, 22nd-29th October. Tickets are available online at www.rugbytheatre.co.uk or via the Box Office (Telephone: 01788 541234). Any queries or for more details phone or email: info@rugbytheatre.co.uk.

THE WHEELS ON DEBUSSY- Classical concerts for children which are running in half term. October 21st, St Margaret's Church, Crick - Eleanor Turner (harp) and Matthew Sharp (cello and voice). 26th October, St Andrew's Church, Rugby- David LePage (violin) and Matthew Sharp (cello and voice). There will be singing, dancing, song-writing and beautiful music for both adults and children of all ages. Tickets: £5/£3 www.billetto.co.uk or £6/£4 on the door. Cash only on the door for tickets and cafe.

BIKEABILITY TRAINING- OCTOBER HALF TERM Harris CofE Academy School Sports Partnership are offering two bikeability training courses. Course 1: Level 1 training for pupils in Years 3, 4 & 5- Monday 24th October from 9.30am to 11.45am. Cost is £12 per person payable in advance. This training teaches basic cycle control skills in a safe environment away from traffic. Pupils will need to be able to ride a bike before attending. Course 2: Level 2 training for pupils in Years 5 & 6- Tuesday 25th October from 9.30am to 4.15pm. Cost is £20 per person payable in advance. This training prepares students for cycling on the public highway for short journeys. Both courses will be run at Harris CofE Academy's Sport Centre in Rugby. Early booking is essential. For more info, or to book a place, call Debbie on 01788 812549 extension 304 or email: admin@harrisacademyschoolsport.org.uk

MULTI SPORT HOLIDAY CLUBS at Harris CofE Academy Sports Centre during October Half Term. Monday 24th-Friday 28th, 9am-4pm £12. Early drop off from 8am £3, late pickup until 6pm £3. Open to ages 5-12 years. To book your place or for more info email: sports.centre@harriscofeacademy.co.uk or phone: 01788 818925 or call in to Harris Sports Centre, Mellish Road, Rugby CV22 6BB.

FUN, DANCE STYLE EXERCISE CLASS – Something for the community. Can you sometimes be a couch potato now the colder months are drawing in? Don't be! From teens to retired, come join us at the Dunchurch WI Hall and work that body! Fitness to popular and current dance music with that all important, motivational 'sociability quotient'. Weekly, starting from Sunday 6th Nov, 10.30am. £3.50 pp, or block book six classes at £18. For more information or to reserve a place on the 6th, email, yvonne_lovell@hotmail.com or via FB page, Rhythmic Move-it.

MINISTRY OF SCIENCE LIVE at The Benn Hall, CV21 2LN. This is a brilliantly entertaining approach to Science education. It is educational, entertaining, explosive and fun for children in Year 4-6. The event blasts off on October 26th at 2pm. Box Office: 01788 533719 www.bennhall.com

STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS go to Tilly Draper-Black, Ben Vessey, Charley Burton, Sarah Nield, Jacob Comerford, Luke Marsh, Ruby Slatcher, Oscar Riddell and Oliver Turner.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Wardle
Head Teacher

My child.....in class.....has permission to take part in the above event.

I enclose payment of £1.50. I understand that I must come into the building to collect my child as they will not be permitted outside on their own.

SLIPS MUST BE RETURNED BY TUESDAY, 18th October 2016

Signed..... Parent / carer Date.....

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LIVING IN A SEPARATED FAMILY WORKSHOP

I give permission for my child in class..... to attend the Living in a Separated Family workshops.

Signed..... Print Name..... Dated.....

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FAMILY PHOTO SHOOT – Saturday, 5th November 2016

I,would like to book a ten minute slot for a Family Photo Shoot on Saturday 5th November 2016 and enclose £10 payment (cheques made payable to Dunchurch Junior School PTA).

Please contact me on email address.....to confirm the time of my family's session.

My mobile phone number is.....