

NEWSLETTER 16/06/2017
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Dear Parents,

Events for week commencing Monday, 19th June 2017

Monday	Morning	9am-12.15pm	3S Farm Visit
		9.15-11.15am	Year 5 Level 1 Bikeability- Course 1
	Lunch time	12.30pm	Recorder Club
		2pm	3S- Swim £3.83 per week
	Afternoon	1.30-3.30pm	Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2
Tuesday	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Code Club (Years 5 and 6)
		3.30-4.30pm	Gardening Club (SPACES AVAILABLE)
		3.30-4.30pm	Year 5/6 Girls Football
		3.30-4.30pm	Year 6 Boys Football
	Lunch time	12.30pm	Brass Club
Wednesday	Afternoon	1.30-3.30pm	Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	3KR- Swim £3.83 per week
		3.30-4.30pm	Orchestra
		3.30-4.30pm	CCFC Football Club
		3.30-4.30pm	Rock Solid Club (Years 4-6)
Thursday	Afternoon	1.30-3.30pm	Mad Science (Crazy Chemistry) (SPACES AVAILABLE)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2
		3.30-4.30pm	Year 4/5 Boys Football
		3.30-5pm	Cookery Club
		3.30-4.30pm	Film Club
Friday	Morning	9am	Signing Club
	Lunch time	12.30pm	Year 3/4 Girls Football
	Afternoon	2.15pm	Year 3/4 Hotshots Basketball
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Year 5/6 Hotshots Basketball
		3.30-4.30pm	Draycote Water sponsored walk (helpers needed)
	3.30-4.30pm	Cru Club (Last session)	
	3.30-4.30pm	Chico Chugg Assembly (Book sale after school)	
	3.30-4.30pm	Chess Club	
	3.30-4.30pm	Netball Club (Years 5 and 6)	
	3.30-4.30pm	Racquets Club	
	3.30-4.30pm	Year 3 Boys Football	

LETTERS GIVEN OUT THIS WEEK Year 3 – Dairy farm visit letter, Year 5- Space Camp Project letter.

DUNCHURCH FETE – Saturday 17th June Could any children taking part in the fete procession tomorrow please meet Mrs Hayward inside the gates of St Peter's Church between 12-12.15pm. If your child is performing with the Choir but is not taking part in the procession, you will need to meet Mrs Blezard at the village hall at 1pm. Children must be accompanied by an adult during the procession and the fete.

ACCESS TO SCHOOL PLAYING FIELDS It has come to my attention that some local children have been playing on the school field, playgrounds, car park, paths and buildings after school, at weekends and during the holidays. This is in the mistaken belief that this has been approved by members of staff of the school. So to be clear, children and adults are not allowed to enter the school grounds to play or for any other reason after school, at weekends or during holidays.

SCHOOL BUS A revised timetable for the school bus service 629 was given out this week to children who travel to and from school on the bus. The change takes effect from Monday 19th June (pick up time will be 5 minutes earlier than normal). There are spare copies of the timetable in the office if you did not receive one.

CHICO CHUGG In support of National Writing Day, Janet Roberts, author of the Chico Chugg books and TV series, is visiting school next week on Thursday 22nd June to deliver an assembly in the afternoon. She will be available at the end of the school day to sign and sell her books. There will be a range of merchandise on sale including books, soft toys and DVD's. Any children that go home on the school bus may have a look after the assembly, before leaving school. For more information, please visit www.chicochugg.com

DRAYCOTE WALK - Thursday 22nd June 2017 Our annual sponsored walk around Draycote will be taking place on Thursday 22nd June. Children will leave school from 9am with their class and walk around the reservoir. We really appreciate adult help on this walk, so if anyone would like to join us please let your child's class teacher know. We aim to be back by lunch. More details and sponsor forms will follow.

SUMMER TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY Teacher Training Day: Friday 23rd June 2017. Induction Day Tuesday 11th July 2017. **Sports Day – Monday 17th July 2017 9am – 12.30pm.** Open Evening to discuss reports- Monday 17th July, 6-7pm. Friday, 21st July – school finishes.

PARKING AROUND SCHOOL We have been informed by local residents that there are still problems with cars being parked across their drives in Sandford Way and Dew Close before and after school. They have also reported a problem with cars parking for at least half an hour with their engines running which causes the smell of fumes in the area. We ask once again to be considerate of our neighbours when dropping off and collecting from school.

FIT2DANCE ZUMBA A reminder that there will be no Fit2Dance this Monday, 19th June. The club will resume on Monday 26th June.

DRAMA CLUB A reminder that there is no Drama club next Thursday. The club will resume the following week, Thursday 29th June.

CHOIR- There will be no Choir for the rest of the Summer term. Thank you very much in advance to any choir members who will be singing at the fete on Saturday.

GARDENING CLUB/RUGBY IN BLOOM We are planning to make a display for our school entry to Rugby in Bloom this year. The theme is the 80th anniversary of Frank Whittle's invention of the jet engine. We are hoping to collect a plant from each family in order to make a display in the quad representing the jet engine and/or jet planes. In order to do this, we would like to ask you if you could contribute a plant or a few plants planted in a small container, which could include a reference to the theme of Frank Whittle or jet engines.

GARDENING CLUB There are spaces available in Gardening club which runs after school on Mondays from 3.30-4.30pm. It is a good season to join the club and we are looking forward to entering the upcoming Rugby in Bloom competition. If your child would like to join this club, please contact the school office.

CRU CLUB Next Thursday will be the last session of Cru Club. Remember to come to get your badge!

MIXED ROUNDERS On Monday, a team of girls and boys went to Rugby High School to take part in the school games rounders competition. The children played very well and qualified to represent Eastern Warwickshire at the Coventry and Warwickshire school games final! Well done!

QUADKIDS On Tuesday, 30 children from Year 4 took part in the school games QuadKids competition. The children very much enjoyed taking part however we do not yet know the results as there is another heat due to take place next week.

TRI GOLF On Wednesday, 10 children from Year 3 (boys and girls) took part in the school games Tri-Golf competition at Leam Valley golf centre. They competed very well and have been selected to represent Eastern Warwickshire at the Coventry and Warwickshire school games finals! Details of the final will follow. Well done!

FOUND PROPERTY We have a coat in the office that was found outside on the school playground. It is a boys coat from Adams which is green with a soft lining (beige), age 5 years. If this belongs to you, please call in to the school office.

LOST PROPERTY Charlotte Adams has lost her named size 32" cardigan. Would parents please check their child's belongings and ensure that they have the correct items.

ST PETER'S CHURCH St Peter's family event is coming soon (Saturday 24th June). Please find details and how to book at the following link <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/st-peters-party-tickets-34746506737>. If you can't use the link, please email am_barnard@hotmail.com. We look forward to seeing you at our St Peter's Party on the Saturday 24th June, from 2pm to 4pm.

30 DAYS WILD Warwickshire Wildlife Trust have launched their 30 Days wild challenge, where the aim is to do something wild throughout the month of June. Mrs Read and Mrs Jenks have signed the school up and are

encouraging the children to take part. Year 3 have been busy weeding and watering the raised beds and year 4 have been cloud watching and sketching nature. They have continued to watch the Springwatch webcams, available at <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b007qgm3> . If you would like to join in at home, you can register your interest at <http://www.warwickshirewildlifetrust.org.uk/30DaysWild> or download the App and use it to generate a random act of wildness each day. We would love to see photos and other responses (stories or poetry) from the children of their wild interactions with nature and the outdoors.

CELLO FOR SALE Stentor Conservatoire. Full size with bow and case. Beautiful condition, Jargar strings, ideal for the progressing student up to Grade 6/7. Phone 07969511942 to view (Dunchurch).

RUGBY FREE SECONDARY SCHOOL There will be an Open Evening for current Year 5 students starting Year 7 in 2018. Tuesday 27th June 2017 from 6pm-8pm and also on Tuesday 12th September 2017 from 6pm-8pm. For more information please phone 01788 222060/ 01788 222881 or email info@rugbyfreesecondary.co.uk.

AVON VALLEY PERFORMING ARTS Year 7 admissions September 2018. Auditions for aptitude in Performing Arts. Applications deadline is 22nd September 2017, workshops are 28th/29th September 2017. For details, go to <http://avonvalleyschool.org/school-information/new-starters/performing-arts-specialism> .

HARRIS C OF A ACADEMY BIKEABILITY TRAINING Level 2 training for pupils in Year 5 and Year 6. This training prepares students for cycling on the public highway for short journeys. Course 1 (over 2 days- both days must be attended) Tuesday 25th July and Wednesday 26th July from 9.15am to 12.30pm. Course 2- Wednesday 23rd August and Thursday 24th August from 9.15am to 12.30pm. The cost is £20 per person payable in advance. Harris are also running Level 1 training for pupils in Year 3, 4, and 5. This training teaches basic cycle control skills in a safe environment away from traffic. Course 1 is Monday 24th July 2017 from 9.30am to 11.45am. Course 2 is Tuesday 22nd August 2017 from 9.30am to 11.45am. The cost is £12 per person payable in advance. Early booking is essential as places are limited. For more information or to book a place, please call Debbie on 01788 812549 extension 304 or email: ssp@harriscofeacademy.co.uk or message on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/harrisacademyschoolsport/> .

BLUE WINDMILL NURSERY SUMMER CHILDCARE New for Summer 2017 'Windmill Wild Days' available for children up to 11 years old. There will be cooking activities, drama, art & crafts, den building and outdoor activities, street dance and sport. Book now: competitive fees, all meals included, highly qualified staff and flexible sessions. Places are limited. Please contact Blue Windmill (Addison Road, Rugby, Tel: 01788 571393) by email at office@bluewindmill.net .

WILD FEST AT NELSON'S WHARF – Saturday 24th June 2017 (Willow Wren, Nelson's Wharf, off A426, Nr Southam, CV47 8AA) A wild day out for all ages! 10am-4pm. There will be an Orchid tour, hotdogs and ice creams, guided butterfly walks, heritage cakes, a raffle drawn on the day, bushcraft, free canal boat rides, tomola, crafts and stalls, little legs walks, facepainting and balloons, hook a duck and refreshments! The cost is £2.50 for adults/£1 for children (under 4's free), £1.50 concessions, £6 family ticket, members free! For more information, please visit www.warwickshirewildlifetrust.org.uk/wildfest or email enquiries@wkw.org.uk or telephone 02476 302912.

RUGBY CRICKET CLUB During this week's District semi-finals, Jamie Carr played for both the under 11 and under 13 sides. In the under 13 semi against Barby, Jamie took five wickets which included a hat-trick. Taking three consecutive wickets is very unusual but particularly against Barby whom have several District and County players. His team were understandably very pleased with and for Jamie as it secured the victory. Congratulations Jamie! The final takes place on 2nd July.

CONGRATULATIONS to Milly Ogburn-Storey who has been awarded a certificate from Explore Learning's recent 'National Young Writers Award' competition. Well done Milly for your success and hard work!

STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS go to Ava Cain, Zach Vucevic, Andy Pop, Connor Blench, Imogen Lewis, Maia Lee, Sangwon Kang, Shiloh Clarke, Libby McPhillips, Joshua Jenner and Bethany Masters.

Yours sincerely

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