

# DBJS Newsletter

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### Forgiveness - Honesty - Kindness - Patience - Peace

Dear Parents,

Events for week commencing Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> June 2017:

| Day                       |              | Time  | Event   |
|---------------------------|--------------|---|---|
| <b>Monday<br/>26th</b>    | Lunch time   | 12.30pm   | Recorder Club   |
|                           | Afternoon    | 1.15-3.15pm   | Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2  |
|                           |              | 2-2:30 pm   | 3S- Swimming (£3.83 per week)   |
|                           | After School | 3.30-4.30pm   | Code Club (Years 5 and 6)<br>Gardening Club (Spaces are available)<br>Year 5/6 Girls Football<br>Year 6 Boys Football<br>Fit 2 Dance Kidz |
| <b>Tuesday<br/>27th</b>   | Lunch time   | 12.30pm   | Brass Club  |
|                           | Afternoon    | 2-2:30 pm   | 3KR- Swimming (£3.83 per week)  |
|                           | After School | 3.30-4.30pm   | Orchestra ( <b>Last session</b> )<br>CCFC Football Club<br>Rock Solid Club (Years 4-6)<br>Mad Science (Crazy Chemistry!)                  |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>28th</b> | Morning      | 8.55am  | Orchestra playing in assembly   |
|                           |              | 9am   | 3KR Farm Visit  |
|                           | After School | 3.30-4.30pm   | Year 4/5 Boys Football<br>Cookery Club<br>Signing Club<br>Year 3/4 Girls Football   |
|                           |              | 3.30pm-4.15pm                                       | Year 3/4 Hotshots Basketball  |
|                           |              | 3.30-5pm  | Film Club   |
|                           |              | 4.30-5.15pm   | Year 5/6 Hotshots Basketball  |
| <b>Thursday<br/>29th</b>  | Morning      | 9am   | Year 5 Big Sing at Rugby School ( <b>packed lunch required</b> )  |
|                           |              | 9.15am  | Year 4 visit to Braunston Marina ( <b>packed lunch required</b> )   |
|                           | Afternoon    | 1.15-3.15pm   | Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2  |
|                           | After School | 3.30-4.30pm   | Chess Club<br>Drama Club (Funstar Education)<br>Netball Club (Years 5 and 6)<br>Racquets Club<br>Year 3 Boys Football                     |
| <b>Friday<br/>30th</b>    | Morning      | 8.55-9.15am   | Celebration Assembly  |
|                           |              | 9.15-12.15pm  | Year 5 Athletics Festival at Harris   |
|                           |              | 9am-1.15pm  | Year 5/6 Town Athletics at QDJC   |
|                           | Lunchtime    | 12.15pm   | Year 3 Teddy Bears picnic ( <b>packed lunch required</b> )  |
|                           | Afternoon    | 12.15-3.15pm  | Year 3/4 Town Athletics at QDJC   |
|                           |              | 1.15-3.15pm   | Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability- Course 2  |
|                           | After School | 3.30-4.15pm   | Cheerleading Club   |
|                           | 3.30-4.30pm  | Athletics Club<br>Spanish Club<br>Imagineering Club |   |

## **LETTERS GIVEN OUT THIS WEEK:**

Children who are continuing or starting a new instrument in September have been given a letter confirming their place with notification of payment. Please note that payment is due on ParentPay by 7<sup>th</sup> July. Letters for brass and guitar will be sent out at a later date.

## **CURRICULUM**

### **ASSEMBLY THEME**

We are currently thinking about the British Values in assembly time. This week we considered 'The Rule of Law' and next week we will be thinking about 'Respect and Tolerance'.

### **30 DAYS WILD**

Warwickshire Wildlife Trust's 30 days wild continues throughout June. If you would like to join in at home you can download the App and use it to generate a random act of wildness each day. This week 3KR created Andy Goldworthy inspired art using twigs and leaves. Elliot Page in year 4 has shared his wild activities with his class – well done Elliot. We would love to see more photos and other responses from the children.

## **SCHOOL EVENTS**

**SUMMER TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:** Induction Day Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2017; **Sports Day – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2017 9am – 12.30pm;** Open Evening to discuss reports - Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 6-7pm; school finishes - Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July.

### **BRASS BAND LEAMINGTON FESTIVAL – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017**

Holy Trinity Church, Leamington, CV32 5RE.

Please meet Mrs Allison and Mrs Blezard by 9.30am. Don't forget your instrument and music! Good luck!

### **YEAR 5 BIG SING – Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Next Thursday, Year 5 are going to Rugby School for the Big Sing. The children will need to bring a packed lunch to school on this day. Please let the school office know if your child is in receipt of free school meals and would like one provided. The event is ticketed this year and parents must reserve their tickets (free of charge) at the following link: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/event/EKMGFK> This takes you directly to the Big Sing event. There is limited seating and a lot of schools are taking part so please do book quickly. Anyone turning up without a ticket will not be allowed access on the day.

### **YEAR 4 VISIT TO BRAUNSTON MARINA – Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017**

Next Thursday, Year 4 are visiting Braunston Marina. The children will be leaving school at 9.15am and will arrive back in school before 3.30pm. Children need to wear waterproof clothes and their **school sweatshirt**. Suitable non-slip shoes should be worn. The children will require a packed lunch, snack and drinks, (no cans or glass bottles) to be carried in a small rucksack. Please let the school office know if your child is in receipt of free school meals and would like one provided. Children may bring up to £5 in a named purse/wallet if they wish to buy a small souvenir at the local shop.

### **YEAR 6 BIKEABILITY**

The year 6 Bikeability course which was postponed last week will run on Monday 26<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> and Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June from 1.15-3.15pm. Please remind your child to bring their bicycle and helmet next week.

### **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 80<sup>th</sup> 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. Thank you to those who have already contributed.

### **THANK YOU**

Many thanks to the children who sang with the school choir and to the cheerleaders who performed at Dunchurch Fete on Saturday. You were all amazing!

## **WELL DONE**

A huge well done to everyone that took part in the sponsored walk around Draycote Water today. The weather was perfect and the children were very well behaved and walked sensibly. Thank you very much to parents who helped with the walk, your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you to those that have already sent sponsor money in. If anyone else has any sponsor money, please send this in to school as soon as possible. Thank you!

## **USBORNE BOOKS**

A few months ago we asked for your support in the sponsored reading challenge. We raised an incredible amount of money and we have purchased over £900 worth of books! The non-fiction books will be making their way to the library very soon. Thank you again for your support and we hope the children enjoy reading the new books.

## **SAFEGUARDING**

### **WOOSH CLUB**

There are regularly a number of children being dropped off at Woosh in the mornings before 8am. Please remember that Woosh is not open until 8am and before this time there are no staff to supervise the children.

## **HOT WEATHER**

So we can enjoy the warm weather safely, please ensure your child has sun cream on and brings a named hat with them to school. The children have access to water throughout the day.

## **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

### **CHEERLEADING CLUB**

A reminder that there is no Cheerleading club after school next week (Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June).

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

**WILD FEST AT NELSON'S WHARF – Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2017** 10am-4pm.

(Willow Wren, Nelson's Wharf, off A426, Nr Southam, CV47 8AA) A wild day out for all ages! There will be an Orchid tour, hotdogs and ice creams, guided butterfly walks, heritage cakes, a raffle and much more! 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](http://www.warwickshirewildlifetrust.org.uk/wildfest) or email [enquiries@wkwat.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@wkwat.org.uk)

## **RUGBY FREE SECONDARY SCHOOL**

There will be an Open Evening for current Year 5 students starting Year 7 in 2018. Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2017 from 6pm-8pm and also on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2017 from 6pm-8pm. For more information please phone 01788 222060/ 01788 222881 or email [info@rugbyfreesecondary.co.uk](mailto:info@rugbyfreesecondary.co.uk).

## **DUNCHURCH BAPTIST CHURCH (Coventry Road CV22 6RF)**

**Beach Party-** Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2017. For all the family, 10.30am-12.30pm. Cost is £1 per person. Contact [messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](mailto:messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) to book.

**The Adventure Cruise Holiday Club 2017** – Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> August to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September 10am-12pm and Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 10.30am-11.30am. For 5-11 year olds, cost is £5 for the week. Contact [holidayclub@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk](mailto:holidayclub@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk) to book.

## **MOTOR MADNESS – Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

At Bruntingthorpe Proving Ground (LE17 5QS). Passenger rides in a choice of over 300 super/hyper cars, drift cars, off roading cars, monster trucks, hovercrafts, helicopter pleasure flights, GoKarting, tank rides and more. Raising money for Help for Heroes and Children's cancer. The cost for adults is £10 and free for under 15's/ Gates open 9am-5pm. For more information go to [www.motormadnessuk.co.uk](http://www.motormadnessuk.co.uk) or contact David 07976 667703.

Yours sincerely,

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