

DBJS Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

Events for week commencing Monday, 18th September 2017:

Day		Time	Event
Monday 18th September	Lunch time	12.30pm	Recorder Club
	Afternoon	2–2:30pm	3KB- Swimming (£3.83 per week)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Gardening Club – FULL Fit 2 Dance Kidz Year 5/6 Girls Football Year 6 Boys Football
Tuesday 19th September	Afternoon	2–2:30 pm	3J- Swimming (£3.83 per week)
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	PTA Meeting in 5HC Classroom- all welcome Chess Club Orchestra Rock Solid Club Racquets Club Mad Science Club – FULL
Wednesday 20th September	Lunch time	12.30pm	Choir
	After School	3.30pm- 4.15pm	Year 3/4 Hotshots Basketball
		3.30-4.30pm	Cookery Club – FULL Year 3/4 Girls Football Year 4/5 Boys Football
		3.30- 5pm	Film Club
		4.30-5.15pm	Year 5/6 Hotshots Basketball
Thursday 21st September	Morning	Leaving school at 8am Back in school for approx. 5.30pm	Year 6 visit to Blists Hill
	Lunch time	12.30pm	Brass Band
	After School	3.30-4.30pm	Play on Theatre CCFC Football Club <i>No Imagineering Club this week</i>
	Evening	7-8pm	Year 3 New to Year Group meeting – school hall
Friday 22nd September		All day	Jeans for Genes Day – Years 4, 5 and 6 Roald Dahl Day – Year 3
	After School	3.30- 4.15pm 3.30-4.30pm	Cheerleading Club Spanish Club Tag Rugby Club

SCHOOL EVENTS

CHARITY EVENTS- Friday 22nd September 2017

Years 4, 5 and 6 - Jeans for Genes Day - Friday 22nd September

Next Friday we would like children in year 4, 5 and 6 to wear their jeans to school to support the charity Jeans for Genes and bring in a donation for charity (suggested amount £1). Jeans for Genes Day is the annual fundraising campaign for Genetic Disorders UK, the national charity that supports individuals and families affected by a genetic disorder. Monies raised on Jeans for Genes Day fund the work of the charity and provide grants to organisations for projects that aim to transform the lives of children with genetic disorders.

Year 3 - Roald Dahl Day - Friday 22nd September

Next Friday, to complement the work children have been doing in class, we would love the children in **year 3** to dress up as their favourite Roald Dahl character in return for a donation (suggested amount £1) which will go to Roald Dahl's Marvellous Children's Charity. The charity helps to make life better for seriously ill children in the UK. We have seen some truly scrumptious outfits in previous years, including the BFG, Mr Twit and Mrs Trunchball. We look forward to seeing your costumes!

HARVEST ASSEMBLY

We will be holding our harvest assembly on Wednesday morning and it is hoped that all the children will bring in a contribution to support Rugby Foodbank. Please help by donating an item or two from the following list to ensure we can provide food to help people in crisis: UHT milk/dried milk, tinned vegetables, coffee/hot chocolate, jam/marmalade, tinned rice pudding/custard, tinned fruit, tinned potatoes/tomatoes, tinned meat/fish, pasta/rice (500g) and long life fruit juice. Further details can be found on the food bank website

<http://rugby.foodbank.org.uk/> . Thank you.

NEW TO YEAR GROUP MEETINGS

We will be holding 'New to Year Group' meetings over the next few weeks. All meetings take place at 7pm in the school hall. This will be an opportunity for you to find out more about what your child will be learning this term and an informal opportunity to meet your child's new teacher. If you are unable to make this date, notes will be sent home following your child's meeting. The meeting will finish at 8pm. The meetings will be held on the following dates:

Year 3: Thursday 21st September.

Year 4: Monday 25th September.

Year 5: Wednesday 27th September.

Year 6: Wednesday 11th October.

BRAISWICK SCHOOL PHOTOS

Braiswick Photography Co Ltd were in school today. The children had an individual photo taken and siblings also had a photograph taken. When we receive the proofs in school, we will send them home with the children.

OPEN EVENING/MORNINGS We are holding open sessions for prospective Year 3 children and their parents as follows: Open Evening is Wednesday 4th October from 6-7.30pm and the open mornings are Tuesday 3rd and Thursday 5th October 9am-12 noon. We look forward to seeing you there.

ART COMPETITION

We are running a competition in school where children may produce a piece of art titled 'Belonging' that can be put up in the school den. It should be on A4 paper with the child's name and class written on. Please make them bright and colourful! There will be a collection tray outside of 4G classroom over the next couple of weeks. We look forward to seeing the wonderful artwork that is produced.

EXTREME READ

Before the summer holidays, we asked children to think about the most unusual places to read. Thank you to those that took part in the challenge and we have loved seeing the photographs. If anyone has any more photos, please bring a copy to school or if you wish to send your chosen photo electronically please send it by email with your child's name, class and 'Extreme Reading' in the subject to admin3391@welearn365.com . Thank you!

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

IMAGINEERING CLUB

Please note that there will be no Imagineering club next week (Thursday 21st September) as a number of children who attend the club and staff who run the club will be on the Year 6 visit to Blists Hill. The club will resume on Thursday 28th September.

PARENTPAY

PAYMENT FOR MUSIC LESSONS

All children in all year groups should now have paid for this term's tuition. Could any outstanding payments please be made on ParentPay by Monday 18th September at the latest. Your child will be unable to continue their lessons until payment has been received.

OTHER MESSAGES

PTA MEETING

The first PTA meeting of this academic year will be on Tuesday 19th September at 3.30pm. The meeting will take place in Mrs Hayward's classroom (5HC) and should last no longer than one hour. Parents and children are all welcome.

CELLO FOR SALE

¾ size cello with bow and padded case, £25 (requires an A string). ¾ size hard cello case on wheels, as good as new. (£25). If you are interested, please see Mrs Blezard.

LOST PROPERTY

Arthur Shaw has lost two named jumpers, size 34". Would parents please check their child's belongings and ensure that they have the correct items. Also, a child in Year 5 has lost her flute at the end of the last school year. If your child has a Warwickshire Music flute, please could you check they have the right one at home. Thank you.

CLEANER AND MIDDAY SUPERVISOR REQUIRED

We currently have a cleaning vacancy in school for 2 hours and 10 minutes daily, between 3.30pm-6pm and a midday supervisor vacancy, 1 hour and 15 minutes daily. Please contact the school office for further details.

ATTACHED

Please find attached a 'Privacy Notice' that we are required to send out annually to conform with the Data Protection Act.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

ST PETER'S CHURCH

St Peter's Church Junior Church (Sunday school) will be starting this Sunday (17th September). A new scheme has been set up and Junior Church will now run on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday's of each month. On the 1st Sunday of the month an all age worship will be running. The first week will have a party/welcome back theme. All children are welcome.

MESSY CHURCH @ DUNCHURCH BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Harvest

Saturday 30th September 2017, from 10.30am-12.30pm at Dunchurch Baptist Church, Coventry Rd, CV22 6RF. Crafts, story and lunch for all the family. The cost is £1 each. Please email Lesley to book places asap!
messychurch@dunchurchbaptistchurch.org.uk.

THE AVON VALLEY SCHOOL AND PERFORMING ARTS COLLEGE

There will be an Open Evening for Year 6 students at Avon Valley School on Thursday 21st September 2017, 6.15pm to 8.30pm. The Headteacher, Miss Alison Davies, will speak at 6.30pm and 7.15pm, followed by tours of the school. For more details please call 01788 542355 or email admin@avonvalleyschool.org.

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>

SOUTHAM COLLEGE OPEN EVENING

There will be an Open Evening for Year 6 students at Southam College on Thursday 21st September from 6pm-9pm. The Headteacher presentation will be at 6.30pm and again at 7.30pm in the main hall. Please telephone 01926 812560 or email Southamcollege@welearn365.com for more information.

DUNCHURCH FESTIVAL GROUP

Present a Royal Command Performance of “The Good Old Days” at Dunchurch Village Hall on Friday 22nd and Saturday 23rd September at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. It is a rather special variety show with a difference, celebrating Her Majesty’s Sapphire Jubilee- 65 glorious years on the Throne- with music, sketches, singing, dancing and fun. Plus a sneaky peek of the Pantomaniac’s all-new show “Rhum Baba and the Four Tea Thieves” and more! Fancy dress welcome. There will be a prize for the best outfit. Ticket prices:- Friday- £7, Saturday- £15 to include 2 course Gala dinner. Tickets are available from Wanda Fashions (by the Stocks), telephone 01788 522021. Please visit www.dunchurchevents.org for more information.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Taylor

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