



Be nice, work hard, never give up

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The month of May already and a long weekend ahead – let's hope the sun shines! Despite the unseasonal weather, the children continue to shine. Their excellent work ethic and enthusiasm for school life is commendable. Within our curriculum, we always aim to provide children with planned and spontaneous opportunities to experience awe and wonder. The magical moments the children are immersed in have a significant impact on their development – socially, emotionally and academically. This week it was lovely to witness the response from our youngest children when 'Naughty Bus' arrived on the playground – check out their expressions on Twitter! On Tuesday our Year 4 head off on their overnight trip to Barnstondale – keep your eye on Twitter to see what fun they get up to!

Usbourne Book Fair

A very successful event, thank you for your support. We will get up to 60% of purchases back in free books for school. These books will enhance our curriculum offer for history and geography.

Staff News

Love is in the air at Greenleas- this weekend Miss Rowlands is getting married. We wish her and her future husband a wonderful day and a life time full of fun, happiness and love. Miss Rowlands will return as Mrs Kelly on Tuesday.

Governing Board

Our Governing Board is made up of staff governors, parent governors, an LA governor and co-opted governors. We currently have two vacancies on our Board for co-opted governors. This can be anybody within the local community of Wirral. Co-opted governors can make the link between the world of work and education and constructively support the success of their local school. You don't have to be an expert in education and we welcome interest from all walks of life to bring different perspectives and views. These roles are a rewarding and effective way of making a voluntary contribution to the lives of local young people. If you are interested in our children's future, have energy and enthusiasm, and want to help with the direction of the school's future, please send an expression of interest to the school office marked for the attention of the Headteacher.

Summer Census Day Lunch 16th May 2024

All our children in F2, Y1 and Y2 are entitled to a free school meal throughout the year. The government funds this initiative, and Thursday 16th May is the school census day, from which the level of funding for these meals is allocated. It is therefore important that as many F2, Y1 and Y2 children have the school lunch on census day to ensure that the school is funded sufficiently for this initiative. Children in KS2 can join in the lunch fun for £2.89. A great way for Y6 to celebrate the end of SATs!

Please complete your choice through ParentPay. If you have already booked a meal in advance for this date, please reselect as the choice will be updated to reflect our themed lunch. Your support is greatly appreciated.

F2 Allocations September 2024

Due to the low birth rate for admissions this year, we have a couple of places available for Foundation 2 in September 2024. If you know of a family who did not get their choice of school, please let them know about us. F2 admissions for September 2024 is done through the Council. See Wirral Council Admissions page for contact details.



Wake Up Wednesday Top Tips Update

This week is about what we can learn from the Ofcom Media Report 2024! Poster attached.

General Reminders

- School lunches must be ordered by 8am on the day.
- School starts at 8:55am. Children can arrive from 8:45am-8:55am.
- Keep personal belongings brought into school to a minimum. We still have a number of children bringing in large rucksacks, we do not have the space on coat pegs or in classrooms.
- Wear PE kit on PE days (white t-shirt, black/dark joggers and green sweatshirt/hoodie)
- Bring a labelled water bottle daily (no juice please).
- Dogs are not allowed on school premises, even if they are carried.
- Please ensure all clothing is labelled so that misplaced items can be returned to their owner.
- Please check Arbor, ParentPay and the website frequently for important updates.
- **School Streets is in operation between the hours of 8:30-9:30am and 2:30-3:30pm, please adhere to the restrictions to reduce congestion and help keep our community safe.**

Thank you for supporting our policies, procedures and expectations.

May 2024	
7/8.05.24	Y4 Residential Barnstondale
9.05.24	Y6 Parent Anxiety around Transition Workshop
10.05.24	KS1 Field Trip to Harrison Park
10.05.24	FOG meeting 4:30pm Fair Prep
w/c 13.05.24	Y6 SATs
15.5.24	F2 Bring a Teddy to school picnic
16.05.24	Summer Census Lunch
16.05.24	New to nursery 2024 parents meeting 5pm
20.5.24	Class Photographs
20.05.24	FOG Summer Movie Night 3:15pm
w/c 20.05.24	Y6 Bikeability
24.05.24	Half Term
June 2024	
03.06.24	Term begins for all
04.06.24	Y6 Residential Meeting for parents 5pm
w/c 03.06.24	Y4 times tables check
07.06.24	KS1 Sports Day 9am -10:30am
w/c 10.06.24	Y1 Phonics Screening check
10.06.24	Coffee Afternoon for parents -info to follow 2pm
12.06.24	KS2 Sports Day
21.06.24	F2 Sports Day 9-10am
24.06.24	Y6 Residential
28.06.24	FOG Non-uniform Day - sweets
July 2024	
03.07.24	INDUCTION Day for all year groups
05.07.24	Y1/2 Chester Zoo
10.7.24	Transition meetings for parents Y1-6 times TBC
12.07.24	Reports out to parents
12.07.24	FOG Non-Uniform Day - Bottles
13.07.24	FOG Summer Fair 11-1pm
15.07.24	Work Celebration – 3:15-4pm
19.07.24	End of term for children SDD4/5 T 22.7.24 and 23.7.24

Best Wishes for a lovely weekend.
Mrs Sharon Edwards
Headteacher