



Friday 13th October 2023

Weekly Bulletin

Worship

In this week’s worship, we continued our focus on our value of respect. We considered how wonderful our world is and we discussed how we do not always treat it with respect. During our reflection time, we considered how we can take steps to protect our planet and all who inhabit it.



Attendance

This week’s attendance figures are:

School	National
95.7%	94%

We are above national - well done everyone!

Football

Mr McAulay was very proud of our Y5/6 football teams following their performance at HCCS earlier this week. Both teams showed excellent teamwork and communication skills and both brought home silver medals!



Chester Cathedral

This week Y5 visited Chester Cathedral for Pilgrim Day. We toured the cathedral, learning about it’s history (by dressing up, acting and hearing stories) and reflected in the Children’s Chapel. We heard a demonstration of the organ and then spent time in art, sugar craft and stained glass window workshops thinking about who we are, how we connect to others and our relationship with God.



Pumpkins of Peace, Prayer and Praise

Our Ethos Council have sent a letter out about one of our favourite event - Pumpkin Heroes. This year, their focus is Peace, Prayer and Praise. Please bring all pumpkins in on Friday 20th October.



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Well Done Maxwell!

A huge well done to Maxwell who, after growing his hair for the last two years, this week had it cut and donated it to the Little Princess Trust. Amazing!



Open Morning

Thank you to all of the children who helped run our Open Morning last Saturday. So many of the visitors said what a credit the children were to their families and to the school. We were very proud of them!



Outdoor Church

Reverend Sandi is running an outdoor church event for children each month. This Sunday, she is inviting children to come to St Oswald's and help build a bug hotel, 12-12:30pm. Please come dressed for the weather!



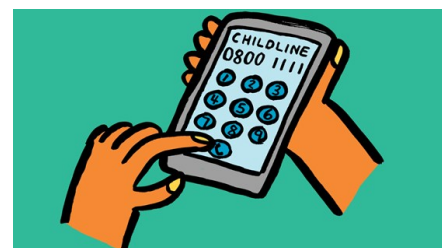
Kindness Challenge

On Friday, our Well-Being Council introduced the NSPCC



Kindness Challenge. Every child has brought home a sheet to complete and we hope they enjoy

completing their challenges! We also shared the ChildLine Kids website page, where children can get support and advice. Click on the image below to find out more.



Change of Date

Due to photos being booked for the 2nd and 3rd November, we have moved a non-uniform day to Friday 20th October. This will be in return for a gift for Elfridges Present Room. Thank you for your support!



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School Council News

Dear Parents,

As School Council, we have been reviewing playtimes and lunchtimes and we believe that these could be improved so that everyone is active, engaged and social. We would like to develop different areas to play in (similar to what we have in Reception!). We would be very grateful for any of the following donations.

Thank you

School Council

Small World

Dinosaurs

Cars

People/figures

Zoo animals

Farm Animals

Cable reels



Creative

Musical instruments

Bluetooth speaker

Chalks



Role Play

Dressing up costumes

Dolls, pushchairs

Tools

Toy animals

Loose Parts

Bread trays

Crates

Guttering

Planks of wood

Tarpaulin

Pegs



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PTA Updates

Thank you to everyone who came to our PTA meeting on Tuesday. It was lovely to start planning two of our favourite events!



There will be fairground rides, a BBQ, hot drinks, baked goods and a glow stall. If you are able to help on any of these stalls, please let your class representative know.

Family ticket (2 x adults and children) £15
 Adult Ticket £5
 Child Ticket £3

Tickets will be available on Parent Pay. We have a limited number of tickets. All children must be accompanied by and adult.



The PTA would welcome donations of cakes and baked goods to sell at the event. Please bring them into school on Thursday 2nd November and a quick reminder that we are a nut free site.



We are looking forward to hosting our Christmas Fair and welcoming Father Christmas himself to Brereton!

Our favourite stalls will be run by...

- Reception - Craft/decorations
- Y1 - Mince pies and hot drink
- Y2 - Door
- Y3 - Elfridges
- Y4 - Chocolate Tombola
- Y5 - Bottle Tombola
- Y6 - Bar

If you are able to help on your year group stall, please let your class rep know.

Non-uniform Days!

Friday 20th October

Donations for Elfridges Present Room
 (chocolate, sweets, toiletries, socks, scarves, books etc)

Friday 17th November

Donations for the Bottle and Chocolate Tombola.
 EYFS and KS1 = chocolate KS2 = bottles



Can you donate a raffle prize? If so, please let school or the PTA know.



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Dates

18th October—Y4 Bikeability

19th and 20th October—Y6 Bikeability

WB 16th October - Parent Consultations

Wednesday 18th October - Year 3 National Waterways Museum

WB 23rd October - Half term

2nd/3rd November - individual photos

Thursday 2nd November - PTA Fireworks

Friday 24th November - Christmas Fair

Monday 27th November Winter Music Concert

Friday 1st December - Reception Nativity 9:30am

Wednesday 6th December - KS1 Nativity 2pm and 6pm

Tuesday 12th December - Whole school trip to the New Vic

Thursday 14th December - Y2 Victorian day

Friday 15th December - KS2 carol service 2pm

Wednesday 20th December - last day of term

Monday 8th January - Return to school

WB 19th February - Half term

Friday 8th March - EYFS/KS1 Mothering Sunday service

20th-22nd March Y5 at Conway

25th-28th March Y6 at Pensarn

Thursday 28th March - Last day of term

Monday 15th April - Return to school

Tuesday 23rd April - Y2 at Nantwich Museum

1st-3rd May - Y4 at York

Monday 6th May—Bank Holiday

Friday 10th May - Class photos

WB 13th May - KS2 SATS

WB 27th May - Half Term

Tuesday 4th June - Return to school

WB 3rd June and 10th June - Y4 Multiplication Check

WB 10th June - Y1 Phonics Screening

Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd July - Y6 transition days at HCCS

4th-5th July - Y2 at Tattenhall

Saturday 6th July - Garden Party

Monday 15th July - Sports Day (AM)

Monday 15th July - Y6 Leaver's Service 2pm

Friday 19th July - Last day of term



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