



Friday 18th March 2022

Weekly Bulletin

### British Science Week

A huge thank you to everyone who has come into school this week to talk to the pupils about science. They have loved learning about the different job roles and how what they are learning in school, links to different industries and jobs.



Every class has enjoyed completing an activity based on this year's theme, Growth.

A big thank you to Mr Cotton for organising an excellent week for the children.

### Staffing Update

Unfortunately, Mrs Pearson will be leaving us at Easter to spend time with family and pursue a career in supporting young people's mental health. We would like to thank Mrs Pearson for all of her hard work and dedication to our pupils and I know the pupils will miss her tremendously.

Miss Hancock will also be leaving next week to pursue other opportunities. We are pleased to share that Mr Lindblad will be moving from Year 4 to Year 5, working with Mrs Saunders, when Mrs Pirie returns. I am sure the Y4 pupils will be very happy to still see him around!

After Easter, we welcome Mrs Roberts and Miss Toft to our school team. Mrs Roberts will be based in Y5 and Miss Toft will be based in Reception.

### E-Safety Workshop for Parents

Thank you to Sue for delivering an informative presentation on e-safety to parents. In an ever-changing world, it was great to hear hints and tips on how we can keep children safe. To view the resources, please visit the e-safety page of our [school website](#).

### Resident's Voice

Our PCSO has been into school to ask us to publicise the resident's voice survey being carried out. You can complete the survey at [www.cheshire.police.uk/residentsvoicecongleton](http://www.cheshire.police.uk/residentsvoicecongleton) or see the poster in the school office for further information.



### Netball

Well done to our Y3/4 netball players for representing the school so brilliantly at this week's festival. We were incredibly proud of how you all embraced the opportunity to play in different positions and demonstrated great sportsmanship.



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**Mother's Day Present Room**

On Friday 25th March, children will have an opportunity to buy a Mother's Day gift from the PTA Present Room for £2. The children love being able to chose and wrap their own gift so it is about the experience as well as fundraising.



**Dance Success**

A huge well done to Lamis for her fantastic performance at last weekend's dance showcase at Crewe Lyceum!



**Dates**

WB 21st March - Parent Consultations (telephone)

23rd March—Y6 Singfest

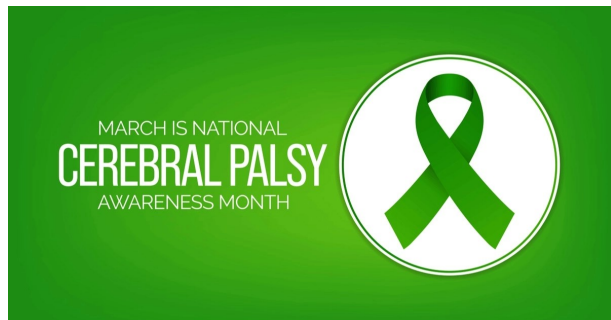
28th March—Y6 residential to Pensarn

Friday 1st April—Break up for Easter holidays.

Tuesday 19th April—Return to school.

**Sandbach Mascot**

Well done to Elliot, who was asked along with a couple of members of the Cerebral Palsy Football Club to be mascot's for Sandbach United Football Club on Saturday. They also did a collection for their quad and raised



FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY TEAM



**SLEEP WORKSHOPS**

Supporting your child with sleep

Visyon's Family and Community Wellbeing Team are pleased to offer a Parent Workshop which will support you in understanding why your child may be struggling to sleep. We will explore the science of sleep and practical strategies to support sleep. The Programme is available to families in Cheshire East and will be held at Visyon in Congleton for face-to-face delivery. If you would like to book a place on the Programme, please contact [rachel.roberts@visyon.org.uk](mailto:rachel.roberts@visyon.org.uk) who will contact you with further details. Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come basis.



Parent Workshops – Sleep (2-hour workshop)

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2022 at 10:30am – 12:30pm

- The science of sleep and practical strategies plus tips and advice.
- One-to-one support arranged individually with a sleep practitioner.



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**Baby and Toddler Group**

Our first session will be on Thursday 31st March, 9:15-11am.  
Please do come along!



**Brereton Teddy Bears**  
Baby and Toddler Group

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Come and join us for play, crafts, stories and rhymes.

Meet other local parents and chat with school and preschool staff.

Sessions will be run by qualified staff/volunteers and will be held in the school hall at Brereton CE Primary School.

Please use the School Lane entrance and sign in at the main entrance.

**Run by:**  
Brereton CE Primary School  
St Oswald's Church  
Brereton Preschool

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**Dates**  
31st March  
28th April  
12th May (Due to Y6 SATs, this session will be held at St Oswald's Church)  
26th May  
9th June  
23rd June  
7th July

The group will run on a Thursday 9:15am-11am.  
Session will initially be every fortnight, during term time.  
Cost: £2 per session

**Basketball**



Well done to our Y5/6 basketball players. Brereton A came second and Brereton B came third.

They played so well, the coach from the Cheshire Basketball League gave us his card as he said they were all brilliant!

**Smart Watches**

We have noticed that some children are bringing in smart watches and devices that record and take photos and videos. These pose a safeguarding risk so we ask that they remain at home.



**Easter Egg Raffle**

We will be holding our annual Easter Egg raffle on Friday 25th March and tickets will be on sale from Monday 7th March. We would be most grateful of any donations of eggs. This year, all funds will go to Save the Children's Ukraine crisis appeal.



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**Brereton**  
— C of E Primary School —  
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# Easter Holiday Club

There will be opportunities for free play, crafts, forest school exploration and group games each day.

Please note, themes are subject to change.

<p><b>Monday 4th April</b> <b>PAINTING</b></p> <p>Activities creating large paintings outside and painting with natural items in the forest school area.</p> <p>Note: please ensure children wear old clothes as they will be getting messy!</p> 	<p><b>Tuesday 5th April</b> <b>BAKE OFF DAY</b></p> <p>Activities include: baking cakes, decorating biscuits and baking bread.</p> 	<p><b>Wednesday 6th April</b> <b>WELLBEING</b> <b>WEDNESDAY</b></p> <p>Activities include: making a sensory toy, yoga and making potions with essential oils.</p> 	<p><b>Thursday 7th April</b> <b>GARDENING AND PLANTING</b></p> <p>Activities include: making cress heads, planting in our garden area and decorating pots.</p> 	<p><b>Friday 8th April</b> <b>EASTER</b> <b>EGGSTRAVAGANZA</b></p> <p>Activities include: an Easter egg hunt, decorating Easter bonnets and painting eggs.</p> 
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Bookings close on Monday 21st March.

## Easter Holiday Club

Please ensure you have booked your child's place by Monday 21st March. We cannot accept bookings after this date.

## E-Safety

We have added the following resources to our e-safety page:

['Talking to your child about sexual harassment: A Guide for Parents'](#)

["Digital Safety - Helping my Autistic Child"](#)

The slides from our recent [parent workshop](#) run by Sandbach Elworth & Brereton Rural Police.

A big thank you to Sue for visiting and to those parents who attended.

We hope you find them useful.

## Coffee Morning

at  
**Holmes Chapel Library**

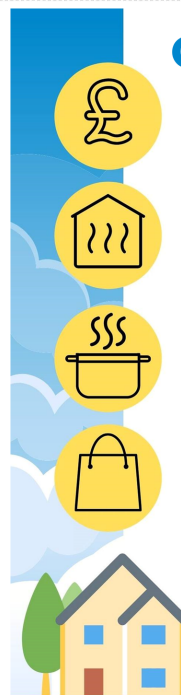
**Tuesday 29th March**  
**10am - 11.30am**

### Cheshire Green Doctor

Come and meet Cheshire Green Doctors who offer free impartial advice and support to help you to keep warm and save money on your bills.

### Love food Hate Waste

There are quick and easy things we can all do to reduce the amount of food we throw away. Join colleagues from ANSA at the coffee morning and discover how.



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