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DIARY DATES

Please view our school calendar on our website for up to date information: www.bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk/events

- 24 Apr - Science Week**
- 24 Apr - Swimming pool onsite for lessons**
- 27 Apr - Bag2School collection, 9am**
- 01 May - bank holiday**
- 04 May - PC Cornall Parent online safety coffee morning, 9am in school**
- 05 May - Coronation Playground street party (red, white and blue theme)**
- 08 May - bank holiday (Kings coronation)**
- 12 May - Red Team Cake Sale**
- 12 May - Academy Photography, classes & Y6 leavers photos**
- 29-02 Jun - Half term holiday**
- 05 Jun - INSET day**
- 09 Jun - Y6 Child Safety Media Trip**
- 13 Jun - YR,Y1,Y2 Musical Stories Concert**
- 15 Jun - Y4 Bridgewater Hall Trip**
- 17 Jun - Bunbury Village Day**
- 22 Jun - Scholastic Book Fair arrives!**
- 28 Jun - Sports Day**
- 29 Jun - Reserve Sports Day**
- 30 Jun - Blue Team Cake Sale NEW DATE**
- 03 Jul - School Fest week**
- 10 Jul - Y6 Leavers Service Trip**
- 13 Jul - STAR day**
- 17 Jul - Y6 Leavers Evening, 6pm in school**
- 19 Jul - Y6 Leavers Service, 11am St.Boniface Church**
- 19 Jul - Last day of term**

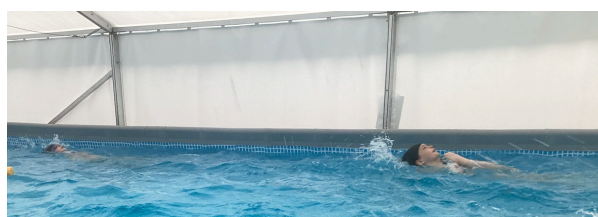


Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die."
 John 11:25-26

Dear Parents and carers

We are now at the end of our second week of the summer term with a bank holiday weekend ahead of us.

A number of our KS2 children have enjoyed their sessions in our onsite swimming pool this week. It has been fantastic to hear how much some of them have progressed after 5 consecutive days of swimming. It is a fantastic temporary addition to our facilities and I know the children thoroughly enjoy the experience and opportunity it provides for them.

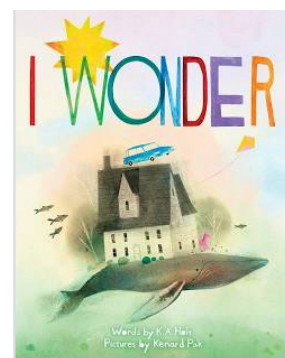


We have also had Science week in school which has been so brilliantly organised by Mrs Gabriel our Science lead. A huge thank you needs to be said to Mrs Gabriel for all her hard work pulling this together but also to the members of our school and village community who have volunteered to come and talk to the children about science within their chosen careers. It has been so interesting to see how science comes into so many professions and I know all the children and staff are feeling very inspired and enthused. Along with our guest speakers into school the children have participated in a number of experiments within the classroom which culminated in our very own science fair within the school hall this afternoon. A huge thank you to all involved in such a fantastic week promoting science in the curriculum.



The science week marks the beginning of our STEM summer term study theme which has been inspired by the text I Wonder. During the summer term the children will follow a STEM themed topic within their learning. For more information on what your children will be learning in science and across our Connected Curriculum please visit your child's class webpage where all learning throughout the year is shared with parents.

<http://www.bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk/classes>



Reception Parent council Member

Our parent council are a group of parents who represent the parent body within their child's class and hold regular meeting with Mrs Badger. The meetings are held half termly after school for about 45 mins via zoom. During the meeting questions from the parent body can be raised to clear any confusions or add clarity to things taking place in school, it is also a fantastic opportunity to raise with school any positives which can often go unheard.

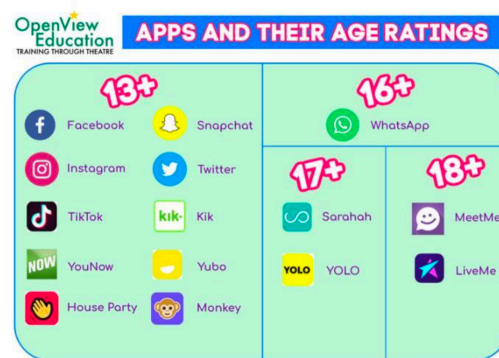
We are currently looking for 2 representatives from our **RECEPTION** parent class to join our parent council team. Should you be interested in taking on this role please contact Mrs Badger on principalbunbury@rcsat.cheshire.sch.uk

Online Safety Parent meeting 9am Thursday 4th May

I am aware that a number of our children have their own mobile phone and devices and I am conscious that nowadays most children have these at an earlier age than previously. However with the owning of such devices comes the responsibility of using it appropriately and with respect to others.

It is clearly not school's decision as to when a child is given a mobile phone nor our responsibility as to what APPs the children are using. I do draw your attention however to the APPs and their Age ratings graphic below.

Unfortunately, we do often see issues from irresponsible use of mobile phones coming back into school along with a lack of understanding and appreciation as to how to use a mobile phone responsibly. This lack of understanding can leave our children extremely vulnerable to their peers and online predators. Difficulties can take the form of comments made on social media after school hours, inappropriate messaging, photos and sexting and can lead to much more distressing scenarios developing.



To support parents and help them navigate their way through this new online world our children are part of I have organised a parent session with PC Andrew Cornall on **Thursday 4th May** in the school hall. **The meeting will start at 9am and last approx 90 mins. The presentation covers current risks from the online world, awareness of the functionality of the main apps young people are using and simple strategies parents and carers can utilise to reduce the risk of children coming to harm online.**

If you would like to attend please confirm your attendance via your school spider website login.

Parking

We are still continuing to see inconsiderate parking particularly at the end of the school day. This is always exacerbated by any wet, cold and windy weather when more people arrive to collect by car. Please can I ask that we continue to be mindful or safe and considerate parking when dropping off and collecting children. I am mindful that this is not a problem just specific to our school and am always looking at solutions and ideas to help ease the situation. I am planning to start a working party so that school and parents can we collaboratively to find solutions to parking at these busy times. If anyone is interested in joining this please don't hesitate to contact me on:

principalbunbury@rcsat.cheshire.sch.uk

I am also mindful that some children are collected by Grandparents so ask that this message is shared with all who collect children from school.



Sporting News

Summer term 2023 sporting fixtures



Thurs 20th Apr	Y4/5/6 cross country	4-5pm field
Thurs 27th Apr	No event due to strike action.	
Thurs 4th May	y1/2/3 cross country	4-5pm field
Thurs 11th May	y3/4 athletics	4-5:30pm field
Thurs 18th May	y5/6 athletics	4-5:30pm field



PE Award

This weeks PE award goes to **Ezra in Year 3** for always trying his hardest and supporting others during lessons.

Mrs Badger's Weekly Awards

We have now been awarding children with different Christian values for a while based on the half termly focus value. We will still be working on a half termly value within school and this term we will be focusing on : Service. Now that the children have a deeper understanding of our Christian Values we will be asking them to help choose a child from their class each week.

This could be in recognition for any value we have been working on in school

Christian Value award

YR - Woods for always being kind and trustworthy friend

Y1 - Fin for being a great friend to others

Y2 - James for showing all of the Christian values

Y3 - Jonty for showing compassion and helping in class

Y4 - Callum for showing kindness to Miss Snelson when she hurt herself

Y5 - Ted for being so helpful to Mrs Cowap and classmates

Y6 - Megan for showing thankfulness to all



Headteacher Award

YR - Grayson for his fantastic bug hotel

Y1 - Albert for his amazing dancing!

Y2 - Jack Morr for his amazing story writing

Y3 - Primrose for her amazing artwork this week

Y4 - George for his excellent knowledge and skills with building circuits in Science this week!

Y5 - Freddie, Oliver and Rose for excellent teamwork

Y6 - Hayden, Lollie, Alexander and Bertie for their Science work this week



Mathletics Awards

YR Bronze Amelia

Y1 Bronze Lili (x2), Poppy, Ivy, Alyssia & Lucy

Silver Lili & Poppy

Y2 Bronze Saskia (x2)

Y4 Bronze Heidi

Y5 Bronze Emre, Elise, Izzy, Alex & Isabelle (x2)



Silver Isabelle

Times tables Awards

Y5 Champ 14x Isla, 16x Oliver, 19x Zachery, 20x Gemma

I wish you all a lovely, restful weekend and look forward to seeing you in school on Monday.

Nic Badger



**TARPORLEY
BULLS**
Basketball Club

Mondays Tarporley High School
Y5 & Y6 5:30 - 6:30
Y7 & Y8 6:30 - 7:30
£6 per session
NEW limited spaces available
email tarporleybulls@gmail.com
Basketball England qualified coaching
Fully DBS checked
@tarporleybulls



Bunbury Parish Council invites you to celebrate the Coronation of
KING CHARLES III



THE BIG
AFTERNOON
TEA PARTY

Sunday 7 May
2 - 4pm



**Bring your family, friends, neighbours
and your afternoon tea!**

Tea, Coffee, Ice Cream & Cakes
available from Tilly's Van

Entertainment courtesy of
The Easy Peelers



Jubilee Playing Fields, Hurst Close, Bunbury
www.bunburyvillage.info



Toilets available in the Pavilion. Please take your litter home.
No dogs, except guide dogs, are allowed on the Playing Fields.