



Bunbury Aldersey CE Primary School  
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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](http://www.bunburyaldersey.cheshire.sch.uk/events)

- 18 Oct - Parents Evening (face-to-face)
- 19 Oct - Reception 2023 Open Day
- 20 Oct - Parents Evening (virtual)
- 21 Oct - Half Term
- 31 Oct - Y3 Anderton Boat Lift Trip
- 01 Nov - Bag2School collection
- 04 Nov - SENSE Day (face-to-face)
- 11 Nov - Y5 Road Safety delivered by Cheshire Fire & Rescue in School
- 16 Nov - Nasal Flu Vaccinations
- 18 Nov - SENSE Day (virtual)
- 21 Nov - Y6 Safety Central Trip
- 30 Nov - Whole School Theatre Trip
- 02 Dec - Reindeer Run
- 06 Dec - KS1 Nativity pm
- 07 Dec - Year 2 Christmas Hope Journey
- 07 Dec - KS1 Nativity pm
- 08 Dec - KS1 Nativity pm
- 14 Dec - KS2 Carol Concert St.Boniface 6pm
- 16 Dec - Christmas Parties
- 16 Dec - End of term
- 11 Jan - Chester Zoo (whole school trip)
- 24 Jan - Y5 Bikeability
- 25 Jan - Y5 Bikeability
- 24 Apr - Swimming pool onsite for lessons



*“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven”*  
**Matthew. 5:16**

Dear Parents and carers

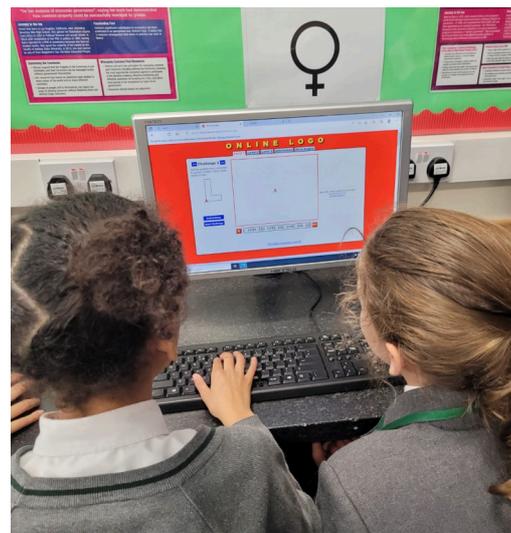
Despite it being close to the end of the first half term there are still lots of fantastic learning opportunities and activities taking place at Bunbury school.

This week our reception children took part in an African drumming workshop to enhance their current study theme on Africa. It was lovely to hear and see them beating drums and dancing to the rhythms in their costumes. We were also delighted to be able to invite parents and carers in to see the children perform.



Our Year 5 children also visited Chester Cathedral to take part in Pilgrim Day. Joined by four other primary schools, our year 5 children found out about pilgrimage through a series of activities. There was some fantastic sewing as they created their pilgrim purses as well as being treated to an amazing demonstration of the organ at lunchtime. I was incredibly proud to hear that the children had shown exemplary behaviour whilst at the cathedral representing the school. The visit was enjoyed by all and I'd like to thank the staff team who accompanied the children.

On Thursday our Year 6 children spent a second transition day at Tarporley High School. This second Challenge Day was entitled 'The Big Track Challenge' and was hosted by the Maths and Computing departments at Tarporley High School.



### Open Days

We have planned Open Days for Reception 2023 Starters on :

**Wednesday 28th September - FULLY BOOKED**

**Wednesday 19th October - FULLY BOOKED**

**Monday 7th November - some availability**

**Monday 14th November - FULLY BOOKED**

If you would like to book a tour on these days please call or email the school office. We are also able to accommodate tours for those moving to the area or wanting to make an in year transfer. Currently we have spaces in: Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 6.



### Bunbury Primary School Sporting News Autumn term 2022



At Bunbury, we are blessed to have so many sporting opportunities for children from our reception class right through to Year 6. Under the instruction of our sports partnership at Tarporley High School, we participate in various sporting competitions throughout the academic year from dodgeball to gymnastics to name but a few. These events are all organised by the High school and as a school we are extremely thankful to the time they invest in organising these events for their primary partners.

We always take considerable time when making team selections to ensure that firstly, those who may wish to take part maybe offered the chance and secondly, to ensure that children are chosen in order to develop their skills, abilities and self- confidence. It is though not always possible each time to take all children who volunteer as numbers are often restricted.

Our teams and squad selections are done on a rotational basis with a core of children chosen who excel in a particular sport in order to hone their abilities within a competitive environment alongside those children who show enthusiasm and want to have a go at taking part in a collaborative team sport.

Some may believe that we should be going into a competition to win with the strongest team. However we all know that part of becoming a good well rounded sports person is learning that you may not win each time and to work as a team.

Both myself and Mr Friel agree that our team selection will never become elitist as this does not sit with our school vision of 'Let your light shine.' We will always ensure that there is an equal mix of those who excel and those who show enthusiasm and a desire to try something new within a competitive environment.

As we receive the fixture list through the academic year we will update the sporting fixture calendar below so that as much notice as possible is provided. There maybe times when due scheduling of staff events and training we may not be able to take a team to represent the school.

### Autumn 2022 Fixtures:

Date	Sport/Year	Venue/Time
Thurs 15th Sept	y3/4 tag rugby	4-5:30pm field
Thurs 6th Oct	y5/6 tag rugby	4-5:30pm field
Thurs 13th Oct	y4/5/6 cross country	4-5:15pm field
Thurs 20th Oct	y1/2/3 cross country	4-5:15pm field



### PE Award

07.10.22 - **Charlie in Y2** for having super listening and very positive attitude to all things

14.10.22 - **Aelwen in Y1** for amazing listening and demonstration during their PE lesson

### Cross country event

A huge well done to our Year 4,5 and 6 cross country team. On Thursday evening a fantastic number of pupils took part in the cross country competition at Tarporley High School. As a school we came away with a number of medals and are currently awaiting the final results of the team event which should be with us within the next few days! A huge well done to all our runners and a thank you to Mr Friel for accompanying them.



### Chester FC Family Tickets

We have some fantastic news! Chester football club have given our school x4 seasons tickets to attend their home games at the Deva Stadium, CH1 4LT for the current season 2022/23. These tickets are for a family if 4; either 2 adults, 2 children or 1 adult, 3 children etc but there must be at least one adult in attendance at all times.

Below you will see a list of fixtures with the home fixtures hi-lighted in bold blue lettered with (H) at the end meaning home game. These are the games we can attend! If you would like to avail any of these season tickets, please let us know by emailing the school office with your name and the game you would like to attend. The office will come back to you with confirmation and when to collect your tickets from school. This will be based on a first come first served basis and initially we ask that you request to attend only one game.

2022/23 FIXTURES		*FIXTURES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. STAY UPDATED AT CHESTERFC.COM			
VANARAMA NATIONAL LEAGUE NORTH					
		<b>AUGUST</b> SAT 6 ALFRETON (A) SAT 13 BRACKLEY (H) TUE 16 HEREFORD (H) SAT 20 PETERBOROUGH S. (A) SAT 27 AFC FYLDE (H) MON 29 CURZON ASHTON (A)	<b>SEPTEMBER</b> SAT 3 KINGS LYNN (H) SAT 10 SPENNYMOOR (A) TUE 13 SOUTHPORT (H) SAT 17 EMIRATES FA CUP 2Q SAT 24 BUXTON (A) TUE 27 CHORLEY (A)	<b>OCTOBER</b> SAT 1 EMIRATES FA CUP 3Q SAT 8 DARLINGTON (H) SAT 15 FARSLEY CELTIC (A) SAT 22 KETTERING (H) TUE 25 GLOUCESTER (H) SAT 29 BOSTON UNITED (A)	<b>NOVEMBER</b> SAT 5 BRADFORD (PA) (H) TUE 8 BANBURY UNITED (A) SAT 12 LEAMINGTON (H) SAT 19 ISUZU FA TROPHY 2R SAT 26 SCARBOROUGH (A)
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## Car Parking and Speeding

As we have all returned back to school I am very mindful of the parking situation once more outside school. Please can I encourage, where possible, all children to either walk or cycle to school and that this message is shared within your families for all those responsible for dropping off or collecting children from school. This week I have unfortunately needed to sent a reminder out to parents about parking particularly when it is wet after a complaint from a local resident.

Where children need to be travelling by car please can I ask that you park considerately around the surrounding area **even when the weather is wet** for example by:

- **not blocking residents driveways**
- **not parking on the pavement**
- **not parking on corners of roads**
- **not parking in areas where it makes it difficult for children to cross or forces them to walk on the road.**
- **not parking opposite the school entrance or zig zag lines**
- **not parking in the minibus zone unless displaying a disability badge**

**Cones have now been placed opposite the school to ensure that this area is kept free of cars.**

## PTA News

With the run up to Christmas we're all starting to increase our online shopping and with Amazon Smile and Easyfundraiser, it not only allows you to shop as normal but it raises money for the school too!

**Amazon Smile** can be activated in the app or simply used online by visiting [smile.amazon.co.uk](https://smile.amazon.co.uk). Shop as normal and Amazon will give 0.5% of money spent (that includes VAT and shipping) to your chosen charity. To find **The Aldersey School Association**, search **Bunbury** in the charity section and you will see it there.



**Easyfundraising** is a simple to use app for big brand shopping such as John Lewis, M&S, Ebay, Sainsbury's Grocery, and many more high street stores - with a percentage of money spent at each store donated to the school. Download the app in your IOS or Android App Store and follow the steps to choose **Bunbury Aldersey School Association** charity. Please note that when you search for Bunbury Aldersey School Association in the app two options with the same name might appear, choose the option with the largest donations so far (not the 'Tarpoley' option).

All these individual, small contributions build up to be a large sum donated to the school that allows us to improve and provide extra equipment to make the school the best it can be for our children.

Thank you,  
PTA

# Mrs Badger's Weekly Awards

**Due to todays Harvest Service, we have not had our usual celebration assembly - all awards will return as normal next week and all certificates achieved will be added to next weeks newsletter**

This term we will be focusing on the value of thankfulness. Each week we will be rewarding those children who have demonstrated this value during the school week.

## **Thankfulness Award**

- YR - To all of Reception for their wonderful performance on our Harvest service about being thankful
- Y1 - William for showing thankfulness at the end of each day by thanking his teachers
- Y2 - Finley for showing thankfulness to Bertie in our English lesson
- Y3 - Primrose for always being thankful for her positive attitude
- Y4 - Heidi for always showing thankfulness to her teachers and friends
- Y5 - Charlotte for having good manners and being thankful
- Y6 - Amelia for always being kind, thankful and polite



## **Headteacher Award**

- YR - Alfie for working hard during our handwriting time
- Y1 - Ellie for being an absolute superstar all of the time
- Y2 - Aaron for his great work on rhyming words
- Y3 - Ben for his fabulous french speaking this week
- Y4 - Rory for his beautiful cinquain poem
- Y5 - to the whole of Year 5 for representing our school so well at Chester Cathedral
- Y6 - Bertie for his impressive coding skills at Tarporley High School



## **Mathletics Awards**

- Y1 **Bronze** - Elsie, Rose, Poppy, Ivy, Rafferty, Finlay, Arthur, Lucy & Aelwen  
Silver - Elsie & Ivy
- Y2 **Bronze** - Bertie, Jack Morr, Jack Morg, Finley  
Silver -
- Y3 **Bronze** - Mia, Henry, Theo x 2, Charlie x 2, Tom, Ezra, Tobias, Alice, Freya, Frankie, Ruby, Archie, Chloe, Annabelle x2 & Noah  
Silver - Henry, Theo, Chloe & Noah  
**Gold** - Theo
- Y4 **Bronze** - Cassian & William T
- Y5 **Bronze** - Isabelle x3, Ted, Gemma, Corey, Freddie, Alex x2, Seb, Sam, Henry, Elise x2, Emre & Oliver  
Silver - Isabelle, Elise & Ted
- Y6 **Bronze** - Amelia, Emily H, Khiari, Finley, Esme

**Times Tables Awards**

Y3 **Bronze** - Chloe, Ruby & Frankie

Silver - Ruby & Charlie

Y4 **Bronze** - Ella G, Harry & Edward

Silver - James, Seb, William T, William Bur & Ingo

**Champ** - William Buc

**Champ** - 99questions with inverse in 4 mins - George & William Buc

Y5 **Bronze** - Oliver

Silver - Arlo

**Champ** - Sam, Corey & Zachery

Y6 **Bronze** - Alexander & Marni

Silver - Bertie, Elsie, Amelia, Florence, Lollie

**Gold** - William & Belle

**Champ** - Finley & Euan

Have a lovely weekend from all of the Bunbury Team and I look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday.

Nic Badger





**HALLOWEEN SLIME**  
plus other spooky crafts

Join us for a 2 hour fun-packed Family Fun session on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October 10 – 12 or 12.30 – 2.30 at Tarporley Scout Hut

As well as spooktacular glow in the dark slime, we will be getting creative making a pumpkin bag (perfect for trick or treating) in addition to a fantastic dragon themed book cover

Sessions are £25 for an adult and child plus £10 for any additional children (all materials and tuition included)  
Pre-booking essential

'Families that play together, stay together'

**The Creation Station**



WWW.THECREATIONSTATION.CO.UK



**TRUNK OR TREAT**

SAFE TRICK OR TREATING FOR LOCAL CHILDREN

SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER  
4PM - 6PM  
BUNBURY PAVILION CAR PARK

£5 PER CHILD (UNDER 10)  
BUY TICKETS FROM EARLY BIRDS, TILLYS, THE CO-OP OR THE PUMPKIN PATCH AT SCHOOL

IN AID OF EARLY BIRDS PRE SCHOOL

**Early Birds PRE-SCHOOL**

**Bunbury Cards**

£10 for the set of 4

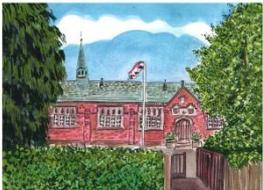
**St. Boniface**



**Bunbury Cottage**



**Bunbury Aldersey CE Primary School**



**R F Burrows and Sons**



All proceeds raised for Early Birds Pre-School

Please contact Charlie on 07920 445666 or Eliza on 07481 820183

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October 10-12 noon**

**JDL Mini MARKETS**



£3.50 per child- £2.50 if prebooked via email below or paypal QR Code.  
£1.50 under 2s

**Stay & Play Half Term Halloween Event**

**Faddiley Goodwill Hall, Faddiley**

Bouncy Castle, Soft Play, Crafts, Scavenger Hunt, Pumpkin Messy Play, A Mascot Visit & a Princess, Biscuit decorating, Halloween games, Glitter tattoos. Plus a few amazing child related stalls & an optional fancy dress competition

Jdlminimarkets@outlook.com  
www.jdlminimarkets.co.uk

## OCTOBER HALF TERM SOCCER CAMP DATES



Monday 24<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> October (Age 6 - 12)



9.30am – 3.00pm



Bunbury playing fields/pavilion



£25 per day, £40 for 2 days, £60 for 3 days

Places are limited so if you would like to book then please get in touch at: [dtsoccercamp@gmail.com](mailto:dtsoccercamp@gmail.com)



# SPORTACULAR HOLIDAY CLUB

OCTOBER 24TH - 28TH 2022

20% DISCOUNT  
DISCOUNT CODE: **OCT22**

BOOK & PAY BY OCTOBER 14TH 2022  
DISCOUNT DOES NOT APPLY FOR ANY PRESCHOOL SETTINGS

### PLAY SCHEME & FOOTBALL CAMPS IN CHESHIRE AND WIRRAL AREA

BISHOP WILSON - HUNTINGTON - MILL VIEW - ST PETERS - THE FIRS - WOODLANDS - WHITBY HEATH - BROMBOROUGH - LISCARD - HELSBY - TARPORLEY

#### THEMED ACTIVITIES

PLAY SCHEME	GHOST HUNT	MONSTER MAKING	APPLE BOBBING	CAKE DECORATING	GLOW IN THE DARK DISCO
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#### THEMED ACTIVITIES

FOOTBALL	CHAMPIONS LEAGUE	PENALTY SHOOTOUT	FOOTBALL TENNIS	SHOOTING	WORLD CUP
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### HOW TO BOOK

1. Login at [s4yc.schoolpal.co.uk](http://s4yc.schoolpal.co.uk) and select "MAKE BOOKINGS" select holiday clubs or preschool.
2. Follow the booking flow - School > Activity > Dates > Child
3. Select payment method - If paying by childcare voucher you will need to login to the voucher providers account and make the payment manually to S4YC. These can take up to 10 days to be verified.
4. Receive Confirmation Email - This may go into junk, please mark it as safe for future emails.

[info@s4yc.co.uk](mailto:info@s4yc.co.uk) [www.s4yc.co.uk](http://www.s4yc.co.uk)

## VENUES, TIMES & ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### PRESCHOOL SETTINGS

2-4 Year Olds 8:00am - 6:00pm  
£50.00 per day

Discount does not apply for any Preschool Settings

#### Venues

Bishop Wilson Primary School, Burton, Neston, CH64 5SE  
Bromborough Nursery, Bromborough, CH62 7BW  
Huntington Primary School, Huntington Chester, CH3 6EA  
St Peter's Primary School, Heswall, CH60 4SA  
The Firs School, Chester, CH2 2HJ  
Whitby Heath Primary School, Whitby, Ellesmere Port, CH65 6RJ



### FOOTBALL CAMPS

Reception - Year 6 8:45am - 3:15pm  
£22 per day

#### Dates & Venues

Helsby Sports Club, Helsby, WA6 0FX  
24th, 25th, 26th October  
Huntington Primary School, Huntington, Chester, CH3 6EA  
26th October  
Mill View Primary, Wealstone Ln, Upton, CH2 1HB  
27th October  
St Peters Primary, Thurston Rd, Heswall, CH60 4SA  
28th October  
Woodlands Primary, Eddisbury Rd, Ellesmere Port, CH66 2JT  
27th October

### PLAY SCHEME SESSIONS

Reception - Year 6 8:00am - 6:00pm  
£31.50 per day

#### Venues

Bishop Wilson Primary School, Burton, Neston, CH64 5SE  
Huntington Primary School, Huntington, Chester, CH3 6EA  
Mill View Primary School, Upton, CH2 1HB  
St Peter's Primary School, Heswall, CH60 4SA  
Tarpoley Primary School, Tarpoley, CW6 0AN  
The Firs School, Chester, CH2 2HJ  
Whitby Heath Primary School, Ellesmere Port, CH65 6RJ  
Woodlands Primary School, Ellesmere Port, CH66 2JT

For children aged 5 & 6 years old ONLY  
Bromborough Nursery, Bromborough, CH62 7BW

### A Typical day:

8:45am Doors Open / Registration  
9:00am Warm up / Ice Breaking Games  
9:30am 1st Skill Session  
10:15am Small Sided Games  
11:00am Break  
11:15pm 2nd Skill Session  
12:00pm Competitions / Penalty Shootout  
12:45pm Lunch  
1:15pm 3rd Skill Session  
1:45pm Mini World Cup  
3:15pm Collection

### A Typical day:

8:00am Doors Open / Registration  
8:15am Breakfast / Games / Free Play  
9:15am 1st Craft Activity / Sports / Games / Free Play  
10:30am Morning Break / Outdoor Play  
11:00am 2nd Craft Activity / Sports / Games / Free Play  
12:15pm Lunch Time  
12:45pm Outdoor Play / Games / Free Play  
1:45pm 3rd Craft Activity / Sports / Games / Free Play  
2:45pm Free Play Indoor and Outdoor Play / Free Play  
4:30pm Light Snack Served  
4:45pm Craft / Games / Outdoor Play / Free Play  
6:00pm Collection

