



Friday Flyer

Welcome to the 'Friday Flyer' which will be distributed on most Fridays, giving brief details of school life in the week past, and information about the week ahead.

Friday 20th October 2017

We had an amazing time during Science Week with visits from Lorelly Wilson, James Boffin and a visit to Daresbury Laboratory for International Dark Matter Day, as well as Science Club and loads of class based activities. Thanks to the PTA for donating £800 to help us meet the cost of these wonderful opportunities.

We also took part in The Big Draw and our own #BeeMore project. Look out for displays springing up around school after the holidays, sharing our #BeeMore pledges for the year.

Our netball team played their final matches of this half term and tried very hard. Four losses this week, BUT some great learning points and we will be back after Christmas stronger and better!

Outstanding Behaviour Awards:

Class 1: Ted Foster and Sammy Burton

Class 2: Eva Jalal and Dylan Abrahams

Class 3: Kaiden Green and Ruthie Beardsell

Class 4: Mia Bennett and Freddie Davie

Class 5: Millie James and Luke Carter

Super Scientist certificates:

Class 1: Molly O'Connor and Rose Talbot

Class 2: Alfie Dent and Olly Hassell

Class 3: William Lloyd and Alana Rodgers

Class 4: Lottie Harrison and Tobias Baker

Class 5: Teddy Kirkby Waugh and Lauren Martin

Attendance:

Class 1: 99%

Class 2: 95%

Class 3: 95%

Class 4: 97%

Class 5: 96%

School Lunches

The cost of school lunches for the next half term is £97.50 (39 days @ £2.50).

Payment may be made by cash or cheque on a daily, weekly, monthly or half termly basis, in advance. Please do not let your account fall into arrears.

Cheques should be made payable to Cheshire East Council.

Non-Uniform Day

Thank you to everyone who brought their £1 today – we raised £129.70 for the PTA which is amazing!

Sports Ambassadors

Thank you to all the Year 5 children who applied to be Sports Ambassadors. We were very impressed by your letters and your passion. We will find opportunities for all of you to lead in other areas later this year. Our four new Ambassadors, joining the Year 6 children are: Ben Maroney, Luke Carter, Libby Marshall, Abi Parris.



Happy Birthday to the following children:

Robin Blamey, Lily Mellen-Daniel, Althea Kestemont, Vivi Meyer, Megan Mattison, Jonathan Rochford, James Jalal, Diba Koosha

Breakfast and After School Club

We currently have vacancies at Breakfast and After School Club. Please contact Mrs Clark in the office for further details. Booking forms are available on the school website. **Please remember that any pre-booked after school club sessions MUST be cancelled with at least 24 hours' notice or we will need to charge for attendance.** Thanks.

Guitar Lessons

Al, our guitar teacher, has space for one junior pupil to start guitar lessons next half term. Sessions cost £12 each and are billed half termly. Please let Mrs Clark in the office know if you are interested. Guitar lessons will take place on the following dates next half term: 1st and 29th November, 6th, 13th and 20th December as Al is involved in examinations abroad during the middle of November.

Team Points

Class 1: Red and Yellow Teams
Class 4: Red Team

Class 2: Green Team
Class 5: Yellow Team

Class 3: Yellow Team

Red Team: 3109
Green Team: 2881

Yellow Team: 2640
Blue Team: 2822

The week ahead...

Summer / Autumn Menu Week 1

Monday 30th October

- INSET Day – staff only – Emergency First Aid at Work training

Tuesday 31st October

- Multi-agency meeting at 10.00am – Ms Daniel
- Prospective parents x 3 at 1.30pm
- Hymn Practice at 2.25pm
- Staff Meeting at 3.30pm

Wednesday 1st November

- Assembly at 10.00am

Thursday 2nd November

- Church Assembly at 9.00am – all are very welcome!
- Mr Sachro is working with the school's Sports Ambassadors this afternoon

Friday 3rd November

- Ms Daniel is supporting a school in Kirby today
- Good News Assembly at 2.25pm
- PTA Family Beetle Drive 6.00pm-8.00pm

PTA Events

Thanks to everyone who supported the events this half term; the breakfast meeting, PTA meetings, cinema night, Boden evening and non-uniform / cake sale. Next half term we start with our Family Beetle Drive on Friday 3rd November and then we will be preparing for our Christmas Fair on Friday 1st December.

Play Equipment and Parkour Equipment

Could I please ask parents to supervise their children's use of the play equipment and parkour equipment when they are waiting before and playing after school, especially when pre-school age children are using it? We know genuine accidents happen, especially when a large number of children are playing and are of a wide age range.

Digital Kids Event

We have been given a family ticket for this event to raffle on behalf of the PTA. This is worth approximately £100. We will be selling tickets until Friday 10th November at £2 per ticket. Please see Ms Daniel for tickets and your chance to win. Families from our school who wish to book tickets can use the code STANNES10 for a 10% discount.

Operation Christmas Child and The Toy Appeal

This year, as always, we will be supporting Operation Christmas Child and asking children to donate a shoebox gift for other children across the world. Leaflets are coming home with the children today. This has been our charity of choice for many years and has always been well supported by parents. This year we are offering an alternative to parents who would choose to support a charity without a Christian background, and have chosen The Toy Appeal, based in Knutsford. The Toy Appeal provides Christmas sacks filled with toys and gifts to children across Cheshire and Manchester. I have put together a little information flier which is attached to the end of week email giving more information about the items that they currently need. Recipients of the gift sacks are nominated by schools, social care, charities and drop-in centres and they, like the shoe boxes, are put together to reflect a child's age and gender. If you choose to donate an item for a gift sack, please attach a post-it or small label which can be easily removed indicating what the gift is and which gender / age range it is suitable for. We will collect the gifts and arrange for them to be collected by the charity at the end of November.