

Culcheth Community Primary School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

2nd February 2018



Juniors – change of entry door

From Monday, the Junior children will be able to come into school from 8.40am through the white door near to the pond at the front entrance to school. This change has been made after the results of pupil interviews which identified that some children felt uncomfortable walking around the building on their own.

Miss Deakin will supervise the door. As always, queries for teachers can be passed through her, Mrs Dodd at the gate or the school office.

8.15am Club

All children from Y3, 4 and 5 are welcome to come into school from 8.15am each morning to access laptops or i-pads to complete Maths Whizz or Reading Plus.

There is no charge for this club and children do not have to attend every day.

School Meals

The children enjoyed their 'Return to Lunch' themed meal on Wednesday.

Our next themed meals are:

7th February – Spud-u-like, jacket potato with a choice of fillings, Tuna & sweetcorn, cheesy beans or mild chilli beef.

14th February – Valentine special 28th February – Chinese New Year 1st March - World Book Day

Polite reminder that school meals are £2.30 per day and school snack is 50p per day.

Y1 Warrington Museum

Y1 visited Warrington Museum on Monday morning to learn more about their topic of old toys.

PTA

A **cake sale** will take place after school today and will be **run by Y4** parents and pupils. We would be very grateful for **donations of cake** (homemade or shop bought)

Our Valentine Disco is next Friday, 9th February at The Village Club, All-inclusive tickets are available from the school office priced £5 for children(adults do not need to buy a ticket but an adult does need to stay to supervise their child) which includes a hot dog, drink & party games

There will be a 'Name that bear' competition at the event, £1 a go.

Open Mornings

Open Morning for *KS2* is on next Friday, 9th February and *KS1* on Thursday 1st March, from 9 - 11.20am. Parents and carers are welcome to come into their child's class to see teaching and learning.

World Book Day

Thursday 1st March is World Book Day. Details have been sent home by email, a paper copy is available from the office.

The authors for each class are:

Reception: Nursery rhymes/fairy tales

Year 1: Julia Donaldson Year 2: Roald Dahl Year 3: David Walliams Year 4: Oliver Jeffers Year 5: Lewis Carroll Year 6: J.K. Rowling

Maths Whizz

Top 3 w/c 29th January 2018:

1st place: George Y4 & Ella Y6 with 21.1

progressions

2nd place: Rebecca Y3 with 18.4 progressions 3rd place: Peter Y4 with 16.7 progressions

The draw for the **Maths Whizz Competition** took place on Tuesday. The winners have been notified and letters have been sent home.



World Games & French Skipping

On Tuesday 6th March, we have arranged for a skipping workshop for all the children.

During the day the children will learn, in their classes, some new skipping skills including French skipping.

Children will need to have their PE kits in school along with trainers.

French skipping elastics will be available to purchase on the day, at a cost of £4 each. Please let the office know if you would like to purchase one.

Tennis

Y1 & Y2 took part in taster Tennis sessions this week.

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be taking part in the Livewire Tennis roadshow on the morning of Friday 16th February, at school.

Athletics final

Our Y5 / Y6 team took part in the Athletics final on Tuesday at Birchwood High. We came 8^{th.} Well done to all who took part.

Netball

Good luck to our Netball team, who are taking part in the Netball tournament over at Culcheth High School on Monday afternoon.

Commended Awards

Well done to the following children who have been commended!

Reception: Savanna, Finlay, Evie B, Willis, Evie M, Emma, Poppy, Isla, Eva & Carter

Year 1: Jamie, Archie, Crystal & Georgina

Year 2: Megan, Milo & Poppy J Year 3: Theo, Scarlett, Keegan & Ava Year 4: Mia, Mylie, Daisy & Felix

Year 5: Luke E, Ellisha, Amelia & Lacey-Mae

Year 6: Sara, Whitley & Andrew

Attendance – w/e 2nd February 2018

Reception	99.2%
Year 1	98.7%
Year 2	98.3%
Year 3	94.3%
Year 4	88.0%
Year 5	96.6%
Year 6	95.5%
Average	<mark>95.7%</mark>
Reward when average is 97.5% or	
more	

Diary Dates

5.2.18	Y4 & Y5 Swimming
6.2.18	Y2 visiting Culcheth Library
9.2.18	KS2 Open
9.2.18	PTA Valentine Disco
12.2.18	Y4 & Y5 Swimming
13.2.18	Y1 & Y2 Chester Zoo
14.2.18	London – Maths Whizz competition
16.2.18	Finish for ½ term
26.2.18	School re-opens
26.2.18	Y4 & Y5 Swimming
28.2.18	Reception Stockley Farm
1.3.18	World Book Day
1.3.18	KS1 Open morning for
2.3.18	PTA Meeting after school
6.3.18	World games & French Skipping
7.3.18	KS2 Liverpool Philharmonic
9.3.18	Bags 2 School
22.3.18	PTA Film night, more details to follow
29.3.18	Finish for Easter
16.4.18	School re-opens
19.4.18	Y5 Bikeability, Day 1
26.4.18	Y5 Bikeability, Day 2
2 - 4.5.18	Y4 Beeston residential
7.5.18	School Closed – May Day
23.5.18	Cross Country - Culcheth
25.5.18	Finish for ½ term
5.6.18	School re-opens
6.6.18	Y6 Bikeability, Day 1
8.6.18	Y6 Bikeability, Day 2
20.17.18	Finish for Summer

Eagle Runners is a new running group for adults and over 16s in Culcheth.

There are 2 free weekly sessions, aimed at runners with various levels of experience or ability. They take place on Monday mornings from 9:30 and Wednesday early evenings at 6pm. Runs are led by Graham, who is our running club coach and an experienced endurance runner. He is a qualified Leader in Running Fitness, which means he has been trained by England Athletics and has a current DBS check & insurance.

The meeting place for all sessions is the Shaw street car park, next to the Spice Lounge and they last for 45 mins to an hour.

Monday's session is suitable for beginners who want to improve and gradually increase the distance they can run. These are run/walk sessions, covering about 3Km.

Wednesday's early evening runs are suitable for occasional or weekly runners who are happy at 5K or longer runs and want to do a bit more, add some structure to training and/or just fancy running in a group and meet other local runners.

For more information see https://groups.runtogether.co.uk/EagleRunners