



SCHOOL CHARITY

WORK

Harvest Festival: Thank you everyone who contributed. Four Y6 children joined Mrs Houghton on a visit to the Food Bank to see where our donations go. The children then led our special harvest festival assembly.

Poppies: Thank you to everyone who supported The Royal British Legion. The children attended a special remembrance Assembly and were very well behaved and respectful during the minute's silence.

Children in Need: Children will enjoy a visit from Pudsey on 15th November and we will be having a non-uniform day. Parents are welcome to make their own donations directly to Children in Need if they wish.

BOOKFAIR Thank you to everyone who organised, helped or attended the Bookfair. It generated £398 commission, which is spent on books for school.

PRIMARY ADMISSIONS 2020

If you have a child due to start school in September 2020 please ensure you have submitted the Primary Admissions form by 15.1.20. You can apply online at www.wirral.gov.uk/schooladmissions

TOPICS

Topics for this half term are:
Red- Traditional Tales
Y1/2- Great Fire of London
Y3/4- Field to Fork
Y5/6- WW2

INSET DAY

Please note that due to the General Election school will be closed on 12.12.19 as the school is required as a Polling Station.

E SAFETY

Childnet have updated their parent and carer toolkit that will help parents have conversations about online safety. Their booklet 'Let's talk about life online' includes ten key messages that should be shared with children. The Parent and Carer Toolkit can be found here: <https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/parent-and-carer-toolkit>

CHRISTMAS DATES

21.11.19 Christmas Market
2.12.19 Y2 Hope Journey
4.12.19 Christmas Lunch
5.12.19 Christmas Fun Night
6.12.19 Non-uniform day (Fair donations)
10.12.19 Nativity 2pm
11.12.19 Nativity 6pm
13.12.19 Christmas Fair
16.12.19 Santa Skype
17.12.19 KS2 party
18.12.19 KS1 party
19.12.19 St. Chad's Service
20.12.19 Carol Singing

OTHER DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

11.11.19 Say No to Bullying Week
15.11.19 Non-uniform day for Children in Need
19.11.19 F2-Y6 Flu immunisation
19.11.19 - Phonics Workshops Red class & Y1
21.11.19 Y5 Class Assembly
22.11.19 Choir going to 1000 Voices singing for Britain's Got Talent.



Members of the PIPS committee will be hosting a Christmas Market on Thursday 21st November in school at 6.30pm. There will be stalls and festive treats so please try to support this event if you can. **Tickets can be purchased on Eduspot or on the door.** The children who attended the disco on 24.10.19 had a great time and there were some fabulous costumes. Thanks to everyone involved with making this event successful and for raising £497.

SPORTS NEWS

Football: The Y6 team played in a 6 a side tournament organised by Tranmere and have made it through to the finals after impressively winning their group with three clean sheets. The year 5/4 team played well against Greasby in the Corgi Cup but were sadly knocked out.

Tag Rugby: A team from Years 3/4 took part in a tag rugby competition at Birkenhead Park Rugby Club. They also performed very well and finished in third place overall. They won the fair play trophy for their positive sporting conduct, respect and attitude.

Cross Country: We have entered a number of children into the Wirral Schools' Cross Country Championships. In the three events so far, we have had top three finishes on each occasion for Conor Y5.

Cricket: Y4 and Y6 are enjoying free cricket coaching this term thanks to the Chance to Shine project from Cheshire cricket.

Tennis: Y1 are receiving free tennis coaching thanks to Sue Davies from Heswall Tennis Club

School Games Silver Award: We achieved this award building on our bronze from last year. This reflects the level of activity and engagement in sport at our school.

ECO GREEN FLAG

We are delighted to announce that we have once again been awarded the ECO Green Flag Award.

DATES 2019/20

INSET - 25.11.19

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CHRISTMAS

School closes - 20.12.19

SPRING 2020

INSET - 6.1.20

School opens - 7.1.20

HALF TERM

School closes -14.2.20

School opens - 24.2.20

SPRING BREAK

School closes - 3.4.20

SUMMER

School opens -20.4.20

INSET - Thursday 7.5.20

May Bank Holiday- Friday 8.5.20

HALF TERM

School closes - 22.5.20

School opens - 1.6.20

School closes - 17.7.20

INSET - Monday 20.7.20

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Parking - Please remember to park safely around our school and with respect for residents.

Cycling and scooting- Please remind your children to dismount at the gates.

Jewellery - Please note that jewellery (apart from watches) should not be worn in school.

EARRINGS NEED TO BE REMOVED BEFORE SCHOOL PLEASE.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Please apply if you are entitled (even if you don't want the milk or lunch) as it benefits the school financially. All new FSM will receive a £25 uniform voucher.