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Next week

Monday 3rd July

Selected children to St George's Hall for
Chess competition

Tuesday 4th July

3:30pm Last Tennis Club

Wednesday 5th July

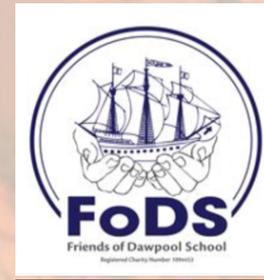
Y1 Trip to Transport Museum
3:30pm Chess Club
3:30pm F2/KS1 Football Club

Thursday 6th July

3:30pm Fine Art Club

Friday 7th July

3:30pm Netball Club
3:30pm Spanish Club



FoDS News



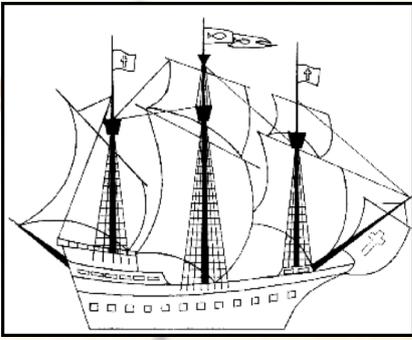
Summer Fair 1st July 1-4pm

Any cakes for our fair can be delivered on Saturday morning from 9am plus if you have any more bric-a-brac please deliver that then too. Many thanks.

This year we have some new attractions with a fidget spinner challenge and a new inflatable for the younger children.

We look forward to seeing you on Saturday from 1-4pm.

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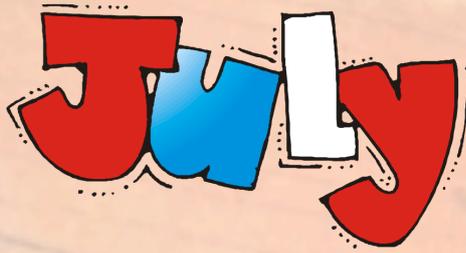


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1:00pm – 4:00pm
Summer Fair

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Merseyside Chess Competition at St George's Hall.

Wednesday 5th July

Year 1 visit to Transport Museum

Monday 10th July

9:30am: Year 5 11+ Familiarisation

Tuesday 11th July

7:30pm: FoDS Meeting at The Anchor

Wednesday 12th July

9:00am: Year 6 Secondary School Induction Day

Wednesday 12th July

9:00am: Year 3 visit to Claremont Farm

Wednesday 12th July

09:30am: F1 Performance of 'Noah's Ark' to parents

Wednesday 12th July

1:30pm: Pupils meet their new teachers in school.

Friday 14th July

School reports sent home

Monday 17th July

2:30pm: Year 4 Ukulele Performance for Parents

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3:30pm: Open afternoon for parents to view children's work.

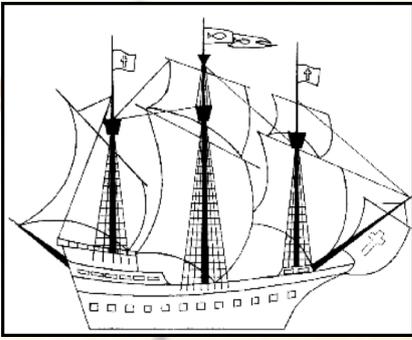
Tuesday 18th July

9:00am: F2 Visit to Ness Gardens

Tuesday 18th July

2:00pm: Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

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Wednesday 19th July

9:30am: Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

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6:00pm: Year 6 Performance of 'Aladdin Trouble'

Monday 24th July

9:10am: Class Prize Presentations

Tuesday 25th July

9:10am: Year 6 Leavers' Service

Tuesday 25th July

School Closes for Summer

Please note that the first day back for pupils in September is Tuesday 5th September.

After School Club/Breakfast Club and Pre School Payments

The final invoice for this academic year is due next week. Please ensure

payments are made promptly and the paperwork that was enclosed for those attending After School and Breakfast Club, regarding September places, should also be returned by next **Friday 7th**. Many thanks.

INSET Days

All of the term dates for the new academic year can be viewed on the school calendar on the website. There will be 5 INSET days during the academic year 2017-18 as follows:

Monday 4th September 2017

Friday 22nd December 2017

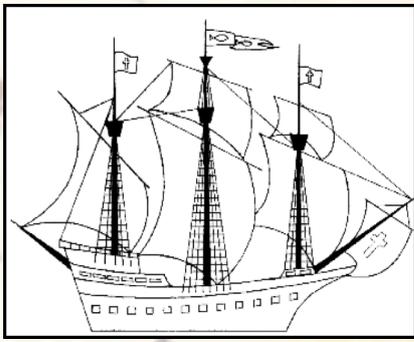
Monday 8th January 2018

Monday 26th February 2018

Thursday 3rd May 2018

We have included below the term dates

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until **Summer 2019**. These are also on the website calendar.

Please be aware of the school term dates when booking your family holidays. Requests for leave of absence must be put in writing to Mr Burrows. It is unlikely that family holidays will be granted in term time unless they meet 'exceptional circumstances' criteria. If our pupils are to achieve their potential, good attendance and punctuality is essential. Thank you for your co-operation.

SUMMER HOLIDAY 2017

(Finish Tue 25.07.17)
First Day: Wed 26.07.17
Last Day: Mon 04.09.17
(Return Tue 05.09.17)

OCTOBER HALF TERM 2017

(Finish Fri 20.10.17)
First Day: Sat 21.10.17
Last Day: Sun 29.10.17

(Return Mon 30.10.17)
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY 2017

(Finish Thurs 21.12.17)
First Day: Fri 22.12.17
Last Day: Mon 08.01.18
(Return Tue 09.01.18)

FEBRUARY HALF TERM 2018

(Finish Fri 16.02.18)
First Day: Sat 17.02.18
Last Day: Mon 26.02.18
(Return Tue 27.02.18)

EASTER HOLIDAY 2018

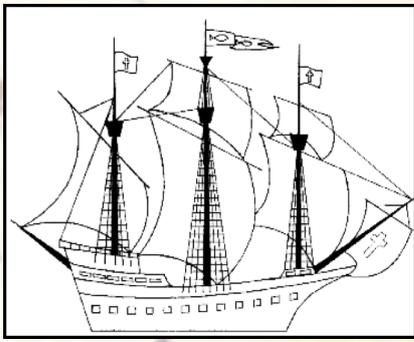
(Finish Thurs 29.03.18)
First Day: Fri 30.03.18
Last Day: Sun 15.04.18
(Return Mon 16.04.18)

May Bank Holiday 7th May

SUMMER HALF TERM 2018

(Finish Fri 25.05.18)
First Day: Sat 26.05.18

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Last Day: Sun 03.06.18

(Return Mon 04.06.18)

(Return Mon 25.02.19)

SUMMER HOLIDAY 2018

(Finish Tue 24.07.18)

First Day: Wed 25.07.18

Last Day: Mon 03.09.18

(Return Tue 04.09.18)

EASTER HOLIDAY 2019

(Finish Fri 29.03.19)

First Day: Sat 30.03.19

Last Day: Sun 14.04.19

(Return Mon 15.04.19)

OCTOBER HALF TERM 2018

(Finish Fri 19.10.18)

First Day: Sat 20.10.18

Last Day: Sun 28.10.18

(Return Mon 29.10.18)

SUMMER HALF TERM 2019

(Finish Fri 24.05.19)

First Day: Sat 25.05.19

Last Day: Sun 02.06.19

(Return Mon 03.06.19)

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY 2018

(Finish Fri 21.12.18)

First Day: Sat 22.12.18

Last Day: Sun 06.01.19

(Return Mon 07.01.19)

SUMMER HOLIDAY 2019

(Finish Wed 24.07.19)

First Day: Thurs 25.07.19

Last Day: Sun 01.09.19

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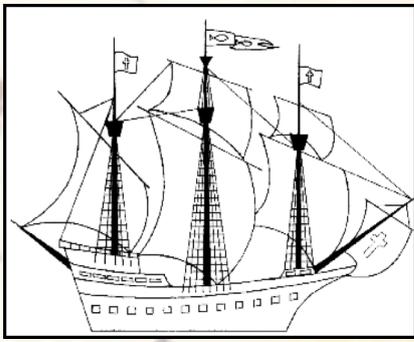
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Y4 Trip to Liverpool

Year 4 had a fantastic day out as part of their topic 'Why is Liverpool a cool place to live?'

Year 4 went on a City Sightseeing bus looking at how Liverpool has changed over time. Then they visited the Museum of Liverpool. The highlight of the day was a visit to St John's Radio City Tower for a panoramic view of the city. It was a very informative and exciting day. Thank you to all the parents who offered to help with the trip.

Chess Success!

This week we have celebrated the many recent achievements of Dawpool's Chess Players. Congratulations to our Under 9 team who have emerged Wirral Junior League 2017 Champions!

Some of our KS2 pupils will participate in the Merseyside Chess Championships this Monday, 3rd July at St George's Hall, Liverpool. We wish them the very best of luck.



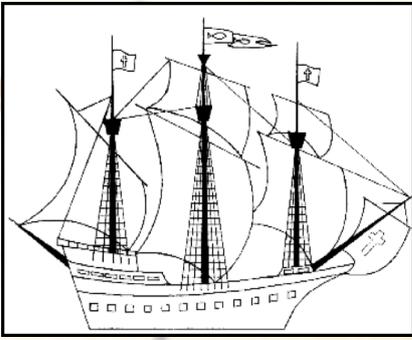
Music Concert

Thank you to all who attended our Music Concert this week. There are lots of pupils now enjoying music tuition and I am sure you will agree that the children performed magnificently. A big thank you to our music tutors: Mr Harper (keyboard, piano & guitar), Mrs Darlington (Strings), Miss Laird (Brass) and Mr Thomas (Woodwind). Well done to our Year 4 pupils who also sung so beautifully.

We will be shortly writing to parents with information regarding music tuition for the new academic year.

Year 4 Ukulele Concert

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Year 4 parents are invited to attend a ukulele concert in school on **Monday 17th July at 2:30pm**. The children are looking forward to performing. We hope you can make it.

We are placing a uniform order in readiness for next term and would be grateful to receive any orders by **Monday 10th July**.

Staffing Arrangements 2017-18

A letter was sent home last week detailing the staffing arrangements for the new academic year. If you didn't receive a copy, you can download it from the 'Dawpool News' tab on the website.

11+ Familiarisation

The Local Authority have informed school of the children who have been entered for the 11+ examination in September. We confirm that the familiarisation booklets have arrived in school and we will administer these materials during the morning of **Monday 10th July**.

Uniform

Wirral FUSS & FUPS

Do you need school uniform for your child? But find it hard to afford?

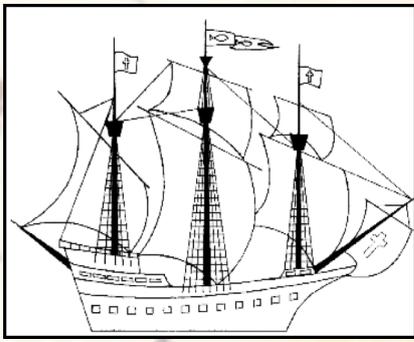
Are you concerned about the environment, our 'disposable society' and 'only new will do?'

Do you want to take part in a Wirral-Wide Recycling Project?

Wirral FUSS & FUPS (Free Uniform for Secondary and Primary School) is committed to distributing good quality school uniform for re-use – FREE – regardless of family circumstances, AND to reducing textile landfill.

Your local hub can be contacted on irbyhub@gmail.com

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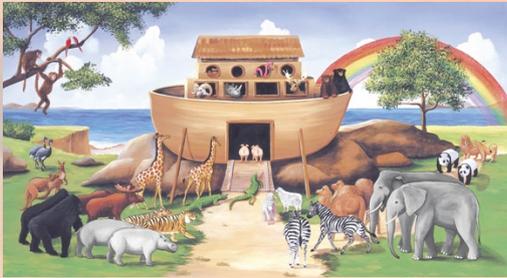
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Visit the website www.wirralfuss.co.uk or contact wirralfuss@yahoo.co.uk, or phone on 632 6524 for more information.



For Church information, please visit www.thurstaston.org.uk

Sunday 2nd July

9.30 am Morning Worship and Junior Church at St Chad's.

11.00am Eccles Parish Church – Special Anniversary of Ordination as a Priest – All welcome.

8.00am and 11.15am services at St Bartholomew's

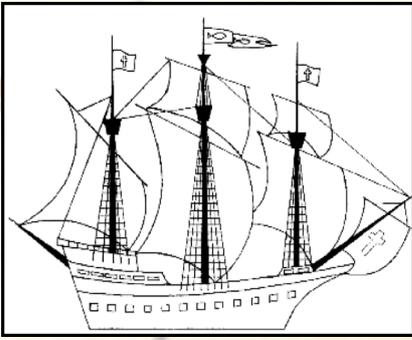
F1 Presentation to Parents **Noah's Ark**

Foundation 1 parents are invited to the children's performance of 'Noah's Ark' in school on **Wednesday 12th July at 9:30am**

Parish Church News

Learning Hero Awards
Friday 30th June 2017

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Year 4
All Year 4 Pupils

Year 5
Beth Whibley

Year 6
Christina Kazakeos

Congratulations to the following pupils who have demonstrated outstanding effort during the week and have applied our learning powers:

Foundation 1
Nathaniel Hedderick

Foundation 2
Max Williams

Year 1
**Joshua Hughes
& Joseph Cheeseman**

Year 2
Alisia Sinnott

Year 3
Ellie McCoy

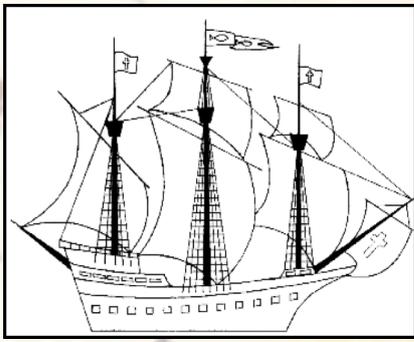
Fruit of the Spirit Awards Friday 30th June 2017



Thank you to the following pupils who have shown our 'Fruits' in action during this week:

Foundation 1
William Hamilton

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For showing such generosity when sharing fruit he had grown at home.

Foundation 2
Charlie Bibby

For being a kind and faithful friend to everyone

Year 1
Holly Robinson

For being kind to a friend and lending her spare coat when it was raining. Good girl.

Year 2
Brea Jackson

For showing love and kindness to others.

Year 3
Ryan Fowlie

For showing joy and love in the playground.

Year 4
Oliver Norton-Jones

For showing kindness and gentleness to others.

Year 5
Will Johnson

For showing love and joy in lessons. Keep up your enthusiasm, Will!

Year 6
Zara Middleton

For always demonstrating kindness and thoughtfulness to others. Good girl, Zara.



We look forward to seeing you at the Summer Fair on Saturday.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend
My very best wishes

David Burrows
Head Teacher

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