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NEXT WEEK

Monday 4th March

Tuesday 5th March

Y1 and Y3 Visits to Irby Library
Y5 Visit to Liverpool Philharmonic Hall
3:30pm-4:25pm Tennis Club
3:30pm-4:30pm Chess Club
3:30pm-4:30pm Brixmania Club

Wednesday 6th March

3:30pm-4:30pm Chess Club

Thursday 7th March

World Book Day
3:30pm-4:30pm Shadow Dance Club

Friday 8th March



FoDS News



The school disco will take place next

Friday 8th March

5:15-6:30pm: KS1 Disco

7:00-8:15pm: KS2 Disco

Tickets will be sent home early next week. If you have not yet ordered your ticket please send your request in by **Monday** at the latest. Thank you.



Sunday 24th March 2-4pm

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Preparations for this year's Easter Eggstravaganza are well underway.

Please remember we would like Easter Egg donations, any size to be **sent in next week** to use for one of our new attractions, chocolate bingo!

As previously mentioned there will be an Easter Bonnet parade. As simple or detailed as you wish. Here are a few ideas:



Plus games, quizzes, BBQ and bar amongst the usual attractions and of course the display by Y6 of their egg creations.

We are always grateful for offers of help on the day so please either fill in the slip on the letter sent home before half term or let Helen Cross, Rachael Manley or Mandy Parr at the School Office know you are available. Thank you.

Silver Smarties



Hopefully you all got a lot of help with chores over the recent weeks whilst we were running our 'Silver Smarties' fundraiser. It is now time to send in any tubes and we will let you know which class raised the most and they will receive a visit from a coastguard crew as a reward for their efforts. Additionally the funds raised will go to FoDS and a percentage will go to that class's nominated charity. Hopefully we'll have a great result!

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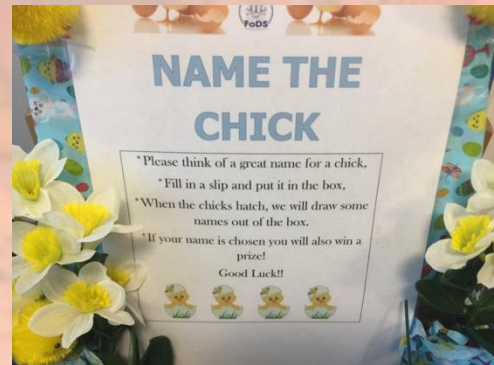
We have sent home again the information about Amazon Smile. A simple and easy way to help FoDS if you do any online shopping through Amazon. Please register if you haven't already done so.

Clucky's



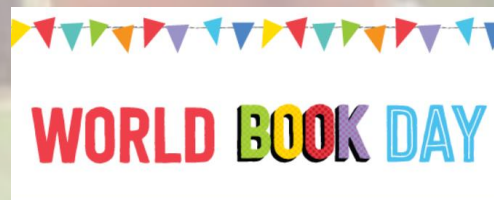
Thank you to FoDS for funding our egg incubator. We have 6 eggs and are looking forward to seeing them hatch in 3 weeks' time. FoDS are running a free to enter 'name the chick' competition and

the lucky winners will each receive a small prize.



Cake Sale

Bethan, Esme, Ella and Emily from Year 4 had a very successful cake sale for Shelter, the homeless charity before half term. The amazing sum of £169.50 was raised. Thank you everyone for your generosity.



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We are looking forward to participating in a range of fun-filled activities for World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March**.

Next week Year 1 and 3 will be visiting Irby Library and they have received a letter with further information regarding this. This year we will be supporting Book Aid International. We hope to be able to reach out to the thousands of people who don't have the books they need around the world by asking every child to bring in a **£1** donation on the **7th March**. Thank you for supporting this worthwhile cause.

A reminder that pupils may come to school dressed as a book character on World Book Day if they wish, please note that a costume is not compulsory.

Comic Relief – Friday 15th March

You will be aware that Comic Relief takes place on **Friday 15th March**. Children should come to school in uniform as normal on this day, but can wear a comic relief accessory (e.g. nose) if they wish. If you would like to make a

donation to comic relief you may do so through their website:

<https://donation.comicrelief.com/>



Claire House Charity Day

On **Wednesday 24th April** we will be having a fundraising day in aid of Claire House. All children may wear non-school uniform and should bring **£2** to participate in a range of activities to support this local charity.

Claire House will be visiting school on the day to deliver workshops for the children and Year 4 will be leading a class assembly.

School Money Update

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Parents can now customise their School Money password once they log into their account. The new password must contain at least 8 characters, at least 1 capital letter and at least 1 number. If you have more than one child when you change your password the change will apply to all of your children who attend Dawpool. Any problems please see Mandy Parr at the School Office.



We are delighted to announce that Mrs Heron gave birth to a beautiful baby girl called Alice Elizabeth on the 23rd February. She weighed in at a healthy 9lb 4oz. We look forward to meeting her soon.



"Every little bit helps when recycling plastic."

As part of our commitment to reduce plastic waste, Dawpool has decided to collect plastic bottle tops for 'LUSH UK' in a bid to help the environment. These bottle tops will be melted down and reused for useful things from new plastic products to furniture and even beehives. They have also been used to make a play area for children at a refugee camp in France.

All you need to do is drop off your washed plastic bottle tops into school and we can send them off on your behalf.

Thank you for your support.

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MOMO Challenge

You may have seen some stories on social media and in the newspapers regarding the 'MOMO challenge' which seems to have gained attention from parents and pupils. Please visit the [Parents' Tab](#) of our website for further information and guidance.



Online Safety – Guidance for Parents

Parents are encouraged to visit the Wirral Children Safeguarding Board (WCSB) website for guidance on keeping children as safe as possible when online. Our best single bit of advice is to be curious about what your children are doing online, take an interest in their activities and regularly check what they are doing.

Please visit:

<https://www.wirralsafeguarding.co.uk/online-safety-guidance-parents/>

School Lane

We have been approached by a number of parents with concerns about traffic and parking on School Lane. The Governing Body met this week to discuss these concerns and will be writing to parents next week with further information.



Learning Hero Awards
Friday 1st March 2019

Embodying the work of Jesus

Foundation 1

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Charlotte Parry

Foundation 2

Jacob Reynolds & Finlay Law

Year 1

Jasie-Mai Cole & Myla Deaville

Year 2

Austin Morgan

Year 3

Matthew Eland

Year 4

Ewan Steele

Year 5

Joshua Stirling

Year 6

**Oliver Norton-Jones,
Charlie Fletcher &
Danny Liggett**



Fruit of the Spirit Awards
Friday 1st March 2019

Embodying the person of Jesus

Foundation 1

Evan Nolan

Foundation 2

Olivia Perischine

Year 1

Daniella Tyrer

Year 2

Max Williams

Year 3

Eleanor Hiton-Earles

Year 4

Luca Perree

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Year 5
Franklin Crocker

Year 6
Max Heaps

Parish Church News
For Church information visit



Sunday Service 3rd March 9.30am Family



Don't rub it in, rub it out

Our worship this week has continued to focus on being HeartSmart. We want

children to know that when they get hurt they often want to get even. The drive to make things fair is strong. They want to rub it in, get their own back, let that person know that they're not ok. But this ends up hurting themselves. The only way through hurt is to rub it out. Forgiveness is the best gift that they can give themselves and it's an important theme in the Bible, it even finds its way into the Lord's Prayer.

Have a lovely weekend,

*David Burrows
Head Teacher*



VISION STATEMENT

The Dawpool community are united in their ambition to create a school which embodies the person, love and work of Jesus Christ: a school which enables Christian values to flourish and where all children may experience the abundant life that Jesus offers.

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