



DAWPOOL CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

... The Abundant Life that Jesus Offers

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NEXT WEEK

Monday 31st March

3.30-4.15pm Choir

Tuesday 1st April

Wednesday 2nd April

2.15pm Easter Service at St Chad's for Y2-Y6

3.30-4.30pm Chess Club Y3-6

Thursday 2nd April

3.30-4.30pm Drama Club Y5/6

Friday 3rd April

Break for Easter



FoDS News

Spring Disco – Tonight

We hope all the children are looking forward to attending the disco tonight, we are looking forward to an evening full of fun. Thank you very

much to all those parents who have volunteered, donated cakes and to the staff who are joining us to help make the evening a success.

Mother's Day

We hope all the wonderful women love their gifts from the children. Have a lovely Mother's Day this Sunday.

Tesco Stronger Starts

It is the last few days to vote with your blue tokens in Tesco – so please pop in if you can. Voting closes on Monday 31st March.

Easter Gifts

Are you looking for fun Easter activities/gifts? We've got some fantastic Easter egg fillers and crafts to keep the kids entertained over the holidays! Be quick though -- our stock is limited, and you won't want to miss out!

Please order online and we will message you when your order is available to pick up at the office:

<https://friends-of-dawpool-school.sumupstore.com/products>

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Tapestry Platform

Last week some year groups experienced issues with the Tapestry Google forms. The settings have since been adjusted and were resent to families by email yesterday.

Please complete the Google form as soon as possible so that we can provide you with access to the platform.

CDAT Fantastic Four Attendance Challenge

As advised earlier this month Chester Diocesan Academy Trust launched the Fantastic Four Attendance Challenge across all of their schools. All schools were challenged to aim for 100% attendance for 4 weeks.

4 reasons to aim for 100% attendance:

- More learning = more confidence!
- More time with friends = happier days!
- More chances to shine = more success!
- More fun activities = more rewards!

100

With just one week to go we ask for parents and children to continue to work together to see how close to this 100% attendance goal we can achieve.

(Please be reassured that we understand that, for some children, there may be extenuating circumstances or illness that may affect their attendance.)

Easter Service 2025
Wednesday 2nd April 2:15pm



Families of children in Years 2-6 are invited to join us for an Easter Service at St Chad's Church on **Wednesday 2nd April at 2:15pm**. Pupils in Y2-6 will leave school after lunch to walk to church. The service is expected to last around 40-minutes and parents have the option of taking their child home after the service. Please can request that no more than 2 people per family attend the service due to space. There will be some seating and a standing area at the back.

Pupils in F1, F2, & Y1 will remain in school to take part in a Holy Week experience which will involve a carousel of activities throughout the school, including arts, crafts, storytelling and singing.

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Athletics Competition



On Monday 19 Year 5/6 children represented the school at the Merseyside Sports Hall Athletics Competition Final in Liverpool, competing against 15 other schools. The boys and girls participated in various track and field events, including sprints, relays, obstacle courses, javelin, long jump, triple jump, and chest press games. They showed great effort and team spirit. Although we didn't win, the children received one of the biggest cheers for the Merseyside Spirit of the Games Trophy. Well done to everyone involved.

Cross Country

A cross country event took place at Arrowe Park on Monday evening. Six pupils from Year 4 represented the school and performed brilliantly in the event. There were record numbers of pupils in this event and each pupil gave a brilliant performance. Congratulations to Seren B, Ella, Ben, Xander, Isaac and Tom who achieved

personal bests and top ten places between them. Thank you also to the parents and grandparents who came to support the event.

Future Yard-Band Club

Please see the attached flyer about a great new and exciting project at Future Yard in Birkenhead for 5–11 years - Band Club!

<https://futureyard.org/band-clubs/>

Full of Beans Holiday Clubs

Attached with this week's Dawpool News are some flyers about Easter holiday clubs that may be of interest. The direct link to book is:

<https://app.joinin.online/#/app/joinin/organisation/shop/4a3b31f8-f811-4c6d-a826-53b48dd51e02>

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

*Mrs McCann
Acting Headteacher*

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CHURCH NEWS

Forthcoming Services

Morning Prayer St Chad's Prayer Room 9.00am MOST Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
(check with Revd. Jane for cancellations due to other meetings or commitments)

EVERY Wednesday 10.30am HC at St Chads

Sun 30th March	9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
Mothers' Sunday	10.30am Holy Communion at St Barts
Sun 6th April	9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
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Sun 13th April	9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's
Palm Sunday	10.30am All Age Service at St Chads

For more information about Services and events at St Bartholomew's Thurstaston and St Chad's Irby, please visit:

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<https://www.thurstaston.org.uk/>

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