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NEXT WEEK

Monday 16th May

3.30-4.30pm Summer Sports Club
Y3-Y6

Tuesday 17th May

Wednesday 18th May

3.30-4.30pm Chess Club Y3-6

Thursday 19th May

3.30-4.30pm Athletics Club F2 Y1 Y2

Friday 20th May

FoDS Jubilee Family Festival

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We look forward to seeing you all next Friday at the Jubilee Family Festival

Grab your picnic blankets and camping chairs, fill your picnic basket with food and drink, and come along for a relaxed evening of fun and entertainment for all the family.

Jubilee Family Festival

FoDS cordially invite you to join us in celebrating the
Queen's Platinum Jubilee

FRIDAY 20th MAY 2022
5pm to 8pm

FoDS

Grab your picnic blankets and camping chairs, fill your picnic basket with food and drink, and come along for a relaxed evening of fun and entertainment for all the family.

Your Fun-Packed **Free Festival Includes:**

- DISCO** hosted by DJ Milky
- Award-Winning Street Magician Aaron Hayes
- A Giant Inflatable Slide
- Plus: Cream Teas, a Jubilee Trail, Craft Tables, Family Games, Tattoos, School Choir Performance and Year 6 'Great Britain' Themed Egg Display

Optional Extras Available to Purchase:

- Authentic Sourdough Restaurant-Quality Pizza from Forza Pizza, West Kirby
- Ice Cream from Hyacinth Vintage Ice Cream Van

THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE 2022

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The choir will be singing at this event at 6.30pm and if your child is involved could they be at school in plenty of time and meet outside the Year 1 classroom. Many thanks.

Design a Plate

This week all the children have been invited to enter a competition to design a commemorative plate for the Queen's Jubilee. One winner in each class will be chosen to have their design made into a real plate. The winners will be announced at the **Jubilee Family Festival on Friday 20th May**.

Non-Uniform Day

During w/c 23rd May we will be holding a range of exciting curriculum activities to commemorate the Queen's Jubilee, culminating in a red, white and blue non-uniform day on **Friday 27th May** for a £1 donation to FoDS.

Jubilee Bank Holiday

Due to the additional Jubilee bank holiday falling during the May half term holiday, schools are permitted to take the bank holiday at another time. Please note that Dawpool has chosen to take the bank holiday on **Monday 6th June** and the school will be closed on this day. We then have an INSET day on Tuesday 7th June; therefore, the children return to school on Wednesday 8th June.



SUMMER FAIR

Thank you to those who have responded to the letter sent requesting help with organising a Summer Fair this year. In the next few days the committee will be looking at whether it is viable to hold the fair and we will update you as soon as possible.

Jubilee Tea Towels

The jubilee tea towels have been sent home this week. We think they are fabulous. We hope you agree!

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Uniform Order

A uniform order will be placed shortly so if you wish to order anything please place your order by **Monday 23rd May**.

A reminder of the school uniform.

All year options

- White shirt, either long or short sleeved, worn with a school tie
- Grey or navy trousers
- Navy skirt
- Navy pinafore
- Navy jumper, with or without the school logo
- Navy cardigan, with or without the school logo

Summer term options

Uniform should be worn as above, but the following options may be worn instead:

- White polo short, with or without the school logo.
- Grey or navy shorts
- Navy/blue check dress

Please note that ties, water bottles, book and pump bags, with the school logo, are available via the school office.

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11 + Registration – Year 5 Pupils

Please note that online registration for pupils to sit the 11+ examination in September 2022 opened on 1st May. Please register at <https://www.wirral.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions>. We have sent home leaflets to parents with more information. Please note that the registration window closes on **31st May**. If parents are unable to register online, they can obtain paper forms by calling the Call Centre on 0151 666 4600.

Parents who do not wish their child to sit the 11+ examination do not need to register. Upton Hall School, St Anselm's College and Birkenhead High School Academy have their own testing arrangements and parents should contact the schools directly for more details.

If you have any questions about registering for the 11+ or the selective testing process, please contact mainstream admissions on 0151 666 4600.

All secondary schools are now advertising open events for the summer term, so please contact the schools directly for more information.

Summer Sports Events

Parents and carers are invited to join us for this year's sports events. These events took place in school as normal during the pandemic, but sadly we were unable to invite families to watch. It is therefore lovely that we can invite parents and carers to join us this year. We are hoping for fine weather however, if we have to postpone an event due to bad weather, we will do our best to reschedule it before the end of term. Further information about these events will be sent home nearer the time.



Wednesday 22nd June at 2:00pm
The Big Toddle – F1 & F2

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Parents or carers of children in **F1 and F2** are invited to attend school for the Barnado's Big Toddle on **Wednesday 22nd June at 2:00pm**. All of the children will be taking part in this short, sponsored walk and families are welcome to come along and join in.

Wednesday 29th June – Y1 & Y2 Sports Afternoon.

Parents and carers of children in **Y1 and Y2** are invited to attend school to watch the children participate in an afternoon of sport and fitness on **Wednesday 29th June at 2:00pm**.

Tuesday 5th July – KS2 Sports Afternoon.

Parents and carers of children in **Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6** are invited to attend school to watch the children participate in an afternoon of competitive sport on **Tuesday 5th July at 2:00pm**.

Church News

SERVICE DETAILS FOR THE NEXT FORTNIGHT

Sunday 15th May
9.00am BCP HC at St Bartholomew's
10.30am MW at St Bartholomew's

Sunday 22nd May
9.00am BCP HC at St Bartholomew's
10.30am HC at St Chad's
with Junior Church

Sunday 29th May
9.00am BCP HC at St Bartholomew's
10.30am HC at St Bartholomew's

Wednesdays 10.30am HC at St Chad's

Special Service to celebrate
the Queen's Platinum Jubilee
10.30am Sunday 5th June
St Bartholomew's Thurstaston



**St Chad's Church
Sunday 5th June 2022**

**Bring your own picnic (& rug) and
join in the fun.**

12 noon Arrivals
and children's jubilee themed crafts
1.00pm Time to picnic together
2.00pm Fun family games
3.00pm Best home-made
crown competition
3.30pm Celebration cake will be shared
4.00pm Depart

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Have a good weekend.

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