



## DAWPOOL CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

*... The Abundant Life that Jesus Offers*

### DAWPOOL NEWS ISSUE 4 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025

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## NEXT WEEK

### Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February

### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February

3.30-4.30pm Filmmaking Club Y4/5

### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February

3.30-4.30pm Chess Club Y3-6

### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Morning break Cake sale in support of fundraising for Alder Hey

3.30-4.30pm Drama Club Y5/6

### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February



**FoDS News**

### Wonky Bar Sale

In the style of Roald Dahl's Charlie and the Chocolate factory, we will once again be running our hugely popular "Wonky Bar" (galaxy) chocolate bar sale.

This year, there will be a competition to design the wrapper!

We are asking children that would like to, to get creative and design the chocolate bar wrapper themselves. We will be sending a template out very soon, so get your thinking caps on.

There will be one winner from EYFS & KS1 (F1-Y2) and one from KS2 (Y3-Y6). The winner will receive a special prize, and their design will be printed and used on the chocolate bars we sell.

We have a number of prizes that have been donated by local business including Freedom and Chill Factor that are up for grabs!!

Further details to follow next week.

### Bag 2 School

Our next collection is on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February** so please save any unwanted clothes, paired shoes, handbags, belts and accessories. The items can be sent in **at the time** in any bags but Bag 2 school collection bags have been sent home. Many thanks for your support.

### Children's Mental Health Week

We have had a wonderful Children's Mental Health Week! Children are already bringing in their fabulous "Personality Posters."

We learnt so much about having a growth mindset from the Mental Health team, and a really interesting workshop for parents from Next

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Chapter. Well-being walks in the woods and making class gratitude jars have helped us be thankful for all around us.

Thank you for all your support!

Mrs Barrick



#### Cross Country Years 4, 5 and 6

Lunchtime Cross Country practices will resume from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February until the Easter break. All pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6 are welcome to attend training even if they are unable to attend race events.

#### Race dates:

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March – Arrowe Park

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March – Birkenhead Park

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April – Arrowe Park Relay Event  
- By invitation

Further race information will be provided nearer the time.

## WORLD BOOK DAY

This year we will be celebrating World Book Day in school on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March**. All children are invited to attend school dressed as their favourite book character, but please do not go to any expense. A simple accessory works just as well. This year's theme is 'Read Your Way'.

'Read Your Way' encourages everyone to let go of reading pressures and expectations, and lets children find fun in reading. Families can find out more and access activities using the following link:

<https://www.worldbookday.com/families/>

There will also be a special World Book Day lunch menu. Details went home this week.

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### World Book Day 2025 Menu

**Mains**

Fantastic Mr Fox's Chicken Burgers  
or  
Farmer Boggis' "No Chicken Burger"  
*served with*  
Augustus Gloop's Smokey Baked Beans and Charlie's cube potatoes  
or  
Grandpa Joe's Jacket Potato  
(With Tuna, Beans or Grated cheese toppings)

**Desserts**

Danny's Sugared Doughnuts  
or  
James Peachy Fruit Salad

**THURSDAY 6TH MARCH**

### Activity for All

We have attached some flyers from Activity for All detailing some events they have planned during February half term that may be of interest.

*Wishing you a restful weekend,  
Mrs McCann  
Acting Headteacher*

## CHURCH NEWS

working with the school on "The Growing Faith

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

**Website:**

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

**Email:**

[office@thurstaston.org.uk](mailto:office@thurstaston.org.uk)

**Facebook:**

<https://www.facebook.com/stchadsstbarts/>

**Twitter:**

<https://twitter.com/StBartsStChads>

#### 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 9th February 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's  
10.30am All Age Service at St Chads

Sun 16th February 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's  
10.30am Morning Worship at St Barts

Sun 23rd February 9.00am BCP Communion at St Bartholomew's  
10.30am Communion with Junior Church at St Chads

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