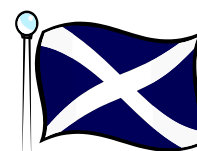


Friday 5th October 2018



Newsletter 6



Every child fulfilling their potential in a nurturing learning environment underpinned by Christian values.

Year 6 Bikeability – Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th October

On Monday and Tuesday, the children in Class 6 will undergo Level 2 Bikeability training. The purpose of the training is to ensure the children can ride on roads safely. The children will begin their training in the school grounds and following an assessment will be asked to ride planned routes around Weston village. The children will carry out further assessments on local roads, such as negotiating road junctions. Each bike will be checked before use. The children can leave their bikes in school Monday evening if they like. Monday and Tuesday will be non-uniform days for children in Class 6



Year 5 Bikeability – Wednesday 10th October

On Wednesday, the children in Class 5 will undergo Level 1 Bikeability training. The purpose of the training is to ensure the children know how to handle a bike safely and how to maintain it. All training and assessments will take place in the school grounds. Wednesday will be a non-uniform day for children in Class 5.



Class 4 Children To Laches Wood

On Wednesday, children from Class 4 will be visiting Laches Wood outdoor education centre. The aim of this residential visit is to offer the children a range of experiences they cannot get in school. They will return to school on Friday afternoon – hopefully not too muddy! Miss Barnacle and Mr Hayward will be supervising the visit and so will not be available on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Monthly Attendance Update

From now on, I am going to report the average monthly attendance of each class. Reception Class and Class 2 have got off to an impressive start. Next week, Class 2 will have an extra playtime. Well done!

Reception Class	99.2%
Class 1	97.3%
Class 2	99.3%
Class 3	98.5%
Class 4	94.9%
Class 5	96.3%
Class 6	98.7%

attendance
MATTERS

Plea for help!

If any parents or carers have a free morning/afternoon each week and would like to volunteer in school; Class 4 need some help with their Star Maths.

Please call into the office to register your interest or catch Miss Barnacle at the end of the school day.



Class 5 Assembly Reminder – Friday 19th October – 2.30pm

On Friday 19th October, Class 5 children will be leading the Friday afternoon assembly. The assembly begins at 2.30pm. They will be sharing things they have been learning this term. Parents, carers and families are very welcome to attend.

Safeguarding Update

Most of you will know Timpson across the UK, for its shoe repairs and key cutting, but you might not know how much they put into supporting vulnerable people. The owners of the company fostered and cared for over 90 young people. They have produced three little books and a pamphlet which may be available from your local Timpson outlet.

- Looking after looked after children
- A guide to Attachment and how it can affect people's lives
- How to create a positive future, Despite a difficult start; and
- A guide to attachment awareness in Schools

Follow this link if you want to find out more.

https://www.timpson-group.co.uk/alex-timpson-trust/free-books/?mc_cid=f594ba031e&mc_eid=6976347ece

Autumnal Prayer

We bless you,
God of Seed and Harvest
And we bless each other
That the beauty of this world
And the love that created it
Might be expressed though our lives
And be a blessing to others
Now and always
AMEN



This Week's Celebration Assembly



The Year 4 girls below came 4th place in their cross-country race. Well done!



This week, we have celebrated:

- The first Bronze merit certificates of the year
- My Lexia certificates
- Years 5 and 6 Olympic Maths awards
- The completion of a Star Maths book
- Cross-country race successes



Term Dates and Events

Autumn Term 2018

Monday 8 October	Year 6 Bikeability Part 1
Monday 8 October	Local Governing Body Meeting – 6.00pm
Tuesday 9 October	Year 6 Bikeability Part 2
Wednesday 10 October	Year 5 Bikeability
Wednesday 10 October	Year 4 children leave for Laches Wood Residential visit
Thursday 11 October	Year 4 children at Laches Wood
Friday 12 October	Year 4 children return from Laches Wood
Friday 19 October	Year 5 Class Assembly – 2.30pm
Friday 19 October	Mid-Term Reports to Parents and Carers
Wednesday 24 October	Parents' Evening – 3.30pm – 6.00pm
Thursday 25 October	Parents' Evening – 3.30pm – 6.00pm

Half-Term Break Monday 29 October – Friday 2 November

Monday 5 November	INSET DAY
Friday 9 November	Remembrance Service – Year 6 children to lead – 10.30am
Friday 23 November	Class 4 Assembly – 2.30pm
Tuesday 27 November	BAG2SCHOOL Collection
Tuesday 27 November	Book Fair Arrives
Friday 30 th November	St Andrew's Day Service – Details to be confirmed
Tuesday 4 December	Book Fair leaves
Friday 7 December	Christmas Fair – 6.00pm
Monday 10 December	Christmas Discos
Wednesday 12 December	Reception Class and KS1 Christmas Shows 1.00pm and 6.00pm
Thursday 13 December	Mid-Trent Directors Meeting – 1.00pm
Friday 14 December	Abecedarian – Special Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 14 December	Mid-Term Reports to Parents and Carers
Thursday 20 December	KS2 Carol Concert – St Andrew's Church – 10.00am TBC
Friday 21 December	Whole School Talent Show
Friday 21 December	End of term - School closes at 2.30pm
Friday 21 December	CHILL closes at 5.00pm

Christmas Holidays Monday 24 December – Friday 4 January

Spring Term 2019

Monday 7 January	School opens
Monday 7 January	Science Week Begins
Friday 8 February	Class 1 Assembly

Half-Term Break Monday 18 February – Friday 22 February

Monday 25 February	School opens
Tuesday 26 February	BAG2SCHOOL Collection
Tuesday 5 March	Book Fair arrives
Wednesday 6 March	World Maths Day
Thursday 7 March	World Book Day
Friday 8 March	Mid-Term Reports to Parents and Carers
Tuesday 12 March	Book Fair leaves
Friday 15 March	Red Nose Day
Wednesday 20 March	Parents' Evening 3.30pm – 6.00pm
Thursday 21 March	Parents' Evening 3.30pm – 6.00pm
Thursday 21 March	World Poetry Day
Friday 29 March	Class 3 Assembly
Friday 5 April	Abecedarian – Special Assembly 2.30pm
Thursday 11 April	Reception Class and KS1 Easter Bonnet Service – 10.00am TBC
Friday 12 April	End of term – School closes at 2.30pm

Easter Break Monday 15 April – Friday 26 April

Easter Sunday 21 April

Monday 29 April	School opens
Monday 6 May	Bank Holiday – School closed
Monday 13 May	End of KS2 SATs week
Monday 20 May	Values week begins
Friday 24 May	Family Picnic Day – Details to be confirmed

Half-Term Break Monday 27 May – Friday 31 May

Summer Term 2019

Monday 3 June	INSET DAY
Monday 10 June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Week
Friday 14 June	BAG2SCHOOL Collection
Friday 21 June	Class 2 Assembly
Monday 24 June	Year 6 pupils visit Isle of Man
Friday 5 July	Sports Day/Summer Fair
Monday 8 July	End of Year Reports to Parents and Carers
Tuesday 9 July	KS2 Performances 1.00pm (Community) and 6.30pm
Wednesday 10 July	KS2 Performances 1.00pm and 6.30pm
Friday 12 July	Abecedarian – Special Assembly 2.30pm
Tuesday 16 July	KS2 and Leavers' Disco 6.00pm – 7.30pm
Friday 19 July	School closes 2.30pm
Friday 19 July	CHILL closes 5.00pm
Monday 22 July	INSET DAY

Summer Holidays Tuesday 23 July – Friday 30 August

Staffordshire County Council Term Dates for the Academic Year 2019/2020

Please note that INSET days have yet to be added.

Autumn Term 2019

Inset day: Monday 2 September
Term starts: Tuesday 3 September
Half term: Monday 28 October - Friday 1 November
Term ends: Friday 20 December
Holiday: Monday 23 December - Friday 3 January

Spring Term 2020

Term starts: Monday 6 January
Half term: Monday 17 February - Friday 21 February
Term ends: Friday 3 April
Holiday: Monday 6 April - Friday 17 April
Easter Sunday: Sunday 12 April

Summer Term 2020

Term starts: Monday 20 April
May Day: Monday 4 May
Half term: Monday 25 May - Friday 29 May
Term ends: Monday 20 July
Holiday: Tuesday 21 July - Monday 31 August

Emergency Telephone Number – 07561821107 – School visits only