

Newsletter 8 8th March 2024

Dear Parents /Carers,

Another busy week has passed at Winsford High Street, and it has been lovely to see your children taking part in a range of computing lessons and celebrating World Book Day.

Word Book Day and Book Fair 2024

It was lovely to see the children wearing such a wide variety of costumes for World Book Day. During the day the children heard stories from different members of staff, participated in book related activities and enjoyed assemblies with stories being read by Mr Joule. A big thank you to all parents for supporting the day, by providing costumes or encouraging the children to wear their pyjamas.

Netball Success

On Wednesday a group of children represented the school in the Vale Royal Schools Netball Finals During the evening, they played really well to finish 4th on the day. The children worked tremendously well as a team, communicating effectively to organise attacking moves and defensive formations. Throughout the tournament they each showed great determination and sportsmanship which led to the team being awarded a School Games Award in recognition of their efforts. A big well done to all!

Tik Tok Bad Word Bathroom Challenge

We have been made aware of a Tik Tok challenge encouraging children to use inappropriate language. Please think carefully about what you post on social media and the values that this demonstrates to your child. The use of inappropriate language in school will be dealt with via the School Behaviour Policy.

Comic Relief Day: Friday 15th March

This will take place next Friday 15th March. For the day we have agreed for the children to come to school in non-uniform. For the privilege of doing so and to raise money for this worthwhile charity, we are asking for a £1 donation from each pupil.

Social Care and Day Services

Please find attached to the Newsletter details on how to access support to help all young people with disabilities fulfil their potential and lead as independent life as possible. The link will take you to the different webinars available.

Costa Coffee Job Opportunities: Winsford/Northwich Work Zone

Winsford/Northwich Work Zone is pleased to announce an agreement for them to work with JCP on a recruitment opportunity with COSTA Coffee opening shortly on Winsford Town Centre as part of the regeneration. We want to find enough claimants/ applicants for up to 12 Jobs on offer, hours as follows:

1. 4 x Barista Maestros (Keyholder, shift leader) 35hrs per week
2. 4 x Baristas, 25hrs per week
3. 4 x Baristas, 15hrs per week

The applicant will need to attend one of three sessions on offer with a guaranteed Job Interview on the second day), they can choose from any of these dates:

1. Session 1: Thu 21st/Fri 22nd March 10am - 2pm (Interviews 2nd day 2pm)
2. Session 2: Mon 25th/Tue 26th March 10am- 2pm(Interviews 2nd day 2pm)
3. Session 3: Tue 2nd/Wed 3rd April 10am - 2pm (Interviews 2nd day 2pm)

To secure a place the applicant will need to be registered with the Work Zone to check their eligibility

For further information or to reserve a space call us on 07766 205389 or email

winsfordworkzone@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Diary Dates: * new dates

Date	Information
Friday 8th March – Wednesday 13th March 2024	3.15pm to 3.45pm Book Fair - open every day
11th March 2024	Year 5 Clonter Theatre visit
15 th March	Comic Relief Day: Non-Uniform
28 th March	School closes for the Easter Holidays
1st April 2024	Easter Monday
15th April 2024	School opens after the Easter holiday
18th & 19 th April 2024	Year 1 Conwy Residential
29th April to 3rd May 2024	Year 3 Anglesey Residential (2 Groups – Group 1, Mon to Weds - Group 2 Weds to Friday)
6th May 2024	May Day
27th May 2024	May Bank holiday and start of the Summer Half Term
3rd June 2024	Inset Day- school closed to children
4th June 2024	School opens after the Summer Half Term
6th June 2024	Whole school photograph
24th June 2024 to 28th June 2024	Year 6 Lakes Residential
Thursday 25th July 2024	Start of the Summer holiday
2nd September 2024	Inset day – school closed to children
3rd September 2024	Inset day – school closed to children
4th September 2024	School opens after the summer holiday
7 th October 2024	Whole School - Individual photographs
28 th October – 1 st November	Half Term
4 th November 2024	Inset Day – school closed to children
5 th November 2024	School open for the new term
Friday 20 th December	3.15pm School closes for the Christmas holiday
23 rd December – 3 rd January 2025	Christmas Holiday
6 th January 2025	School opens for the Spring term

Please note that these dates may be subject to change, although we will keep these where possible.

Should you need to make contact with school, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Joule on:

head@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk or returns@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk and please remember the year group emails if you need to contact your child's class teacher.

However, please note that all email accounts will not be monitored as regularly after 5.30pm each evening or during the weekends, to ensure a work life balance for the staff.

Kind regards

Mark Joule Head Teacher