

Overleigh St Mary's CE Primary School

MESSENGER

Tuesday 23rd July 2024



Dear Overleigh Family,

What a wonderful year we have had at Overleigh! Thank you to all the children and staff for your fantastic hard work and dedication to reaching our ambitious standards for everyone, Many thanks to all our families and community for your support and kindness throughout the year. Together we make our school a really special family to be part of.

As mentioned last time Miss Flanagan, Mrs Delgarno and Miss Jephcott will all move on to pastures new in September. Miss Odunaiya has also successfully reached the end of her student teacher training with us. We have really enjoyed working with them and hope it is not too long before our paths cross again.



You're off to
Great places!
Today is your day!
Your mountain
is waiting, so...
Get on your way!

- Dr Scafe -

Y6 have rounded their time off with us in style with a wonderful performance of the musical—Bugsy Malone. Later in the newsletter you will see photos of the show. We are so proud of all the hard work they put in to making it such a memorable event. Everyone played their part brilliantly.

Thank you to all the staff for your patience and dedication in keeping the show on the road! The children are more than ready now for their transition to Y7 and we look forward to hearing of their future achievements. Over 2/3 of the families from Y6 will also leave with their children, lots have been with us for many, many years, including one proud grandma who told us she has had 35 years (she does not look old enough) of bringing her own and then grandchildren to Overleigh.

For many it is certainly an end of an era and we would like to share a special thank you to these families for playing your part in our school improvement journey.

New staff joining us in September are Mrs Adam, Mrs Ellison and Mr Chesters, all joining as Teaching Assistants.

School e-mail address important information

We have taken the decision to shorten our email address for ease of communication. This will be effective from 01.09.24. For 3 months any email sent to the old addresses will forward on but after that we will no longer receive these emails. Please update your phones etc. from 01.09.2024. As follows:

admin@osm.cheshire.sch.uk

Attendance

This week awards were presented for outstanding and excellent attendance. Well done to



everyone for your determination to be punctual and attend every day.

Attendance and Punctuality 24-25

As we have mentioned previously, the systems for monitoring and holding families to account for maintaining excellent attendance and punctuality have been tightened up considerably by the Department for Education. We are unable to authorise ANY term time travel abroad or holi-



days. Please do not abuse staff regarding these rules, they are what we have to follow. Therefore please be very careful to book time away in the school breaks. The breaks and In-set days are included again below to help you in this. We also strongly advise that you do not call in to report your child sick as you take them away on holiday. Children will usually let it slip and if not them their class mates, it is not a fair position to put children in and we have been instructed to not authorise the absence if there are strong grounds to suggest the child was on holiday.

Children are expected to be on site from 8.30am.

Doors open at 8.40am

Doors close at 8.50am and registration is completed.

Any child arriving after 8.50am is LATE and will need to be signed in at the school office by their parent.

If a child arrives from 9.00 onwards, they are late after the close of registration and receive a U mark in the register which counts as 1 absence.

Each 1/2 day or session missed is + 1 absence so a full day away from school counts as 2 absences.

Parents can currently be fined £60, rising to £120 if not paid within 21 days, for unauthorised absences. In September, this will increase for the first time since 2012 to £80 (rising to £160). The money from fines does not go to the school but instead goes to the Local Authority.

We will be required to consider fines when children miss more than five days - or 10 half-day "sessions" - at school in any 10-week period.

This would mean an unauthorised holiday or trip abroad lasting 2 weeks ie 10 school days, could mean 2 x £80 fines per parent which would amount to £320. The fine would be for each child, so a family with 2 children could be fined £640 for a 2 week break away. Also parents should note that if parents are separated both parents would still be fined even if only one determines to take the child away.

In the same way if a child is late after registration and receives a U mark on 10 occasions, the parent can also be fined.

Obviously it is a very punitive system and at Overleigh we would like to think we can support families to ensure excellent attendance for their child(ren). If you are having particular difficulty with punctuality or attendance in general do please contact our Attendance Champions: Mrs Redmayne, Mrs Martell and Miss Drew via the school office who are available to speak to in confidence and offer support where they can.

Our school website also has some helpful links and ideas that families may find useful.

UNIFORM

When getting ready for September, please remember we have a good stock of uniform that has been donated and is in good condition. Sweatshirts and cardigans with the logo are available from Uniformity in Handbridge but do remember plain red sweatshirts or cardigans from supermarkets are absolutely fine.

All children need to wear black school shoes—not trainers. We have a selection of spare shoes that any child wearing the incorrect footwear will be given instead.

Jewellery— Please remember that only a watch and one set of stud earrings are permitted for school. Children cannot wear watches or earrings for PE, including swimming, so they need to be able to remove these for themselves. We cannot just put plaster over them, therefore the best time to get ears pierced is over the summer break so they can remove them when they return to school.

Pencil Cases and Toys—Children do not need to bring these to school, instead keep them safely at home to enjoy. We provide all the pens and pencils they will need.

School Bags / PE kits—Please send your child with their PE kit on the first day of term in a small draw string bag. They should have a white T shirt, with or without the logo, black shorts and pumps or trainers. They can also have black jogging bottoms for the colder months. Please do not send large back packs, there is no room for us to store them. Ideally, please leave your child's PE kit in school for the half term and then take home to wash in the break so they always have it when needed. PE is part of the curriculum and also a way for the children to support their physical health & wellbeing. Therefore children are expected to participate. If they forget their kit, we will provide them with a spare and if they cannot do PE they must have a note from a parent.



SNACK

We have taken the difficult decision to stop serving a break time snack option. This is because, while we try and keep a healthy option in the items sold at school, it is impossible to them monitor the range of snacks children bring from home. Over this last year we have had a large number of children bringing sharing sized packets of crisps, packets of biscuits, chocolate bars and highly sugared cereal bars. As well as children raiting their lunchboxes. Therefore, although we understand there will be some disappointment we will cease school snack and revert to our pre Covid FRUIT ONLY break time option. This means KSI & EYFS receive free fruit option every day and KS2 may bring a piece of fruit from home to enjoy.

On the odd occasion a family have had a home emergency and there has not been time for breakfast, we are able to provide some toast if you let us know as your child arrives.

Phones / Walking Home without Parents

As children reach upper KS2, you may decide they can walk home without you. In which case you need to send written permission to school to allow us to release them at the end of the day. If they walk to and or from school without a parent, they may bring a mobile to school to provide added safety for you / them. However, they must turn their phone off as they arrive in the playground, having sent agreed message to yourselves, and hand it in to the class teacher who will keep it until the end of the day. Again, you need to inform the class teacher you will allow your child to bring their phone and that you understand it is at your own risk and not covered by our school insurance.

Other children who are allowed phones on the way to school should hand them to their parents as they enter the school grounds.



Our first day back, Tuesday 3rd September, we will be focusing on our Christian Value of Love. For the remainder of the week we are using an Oliver Jeffers book to theme our PSHE and start of year learning.

We have previously enjoyed using other books by this author. They are often full of messages and challenge about the way we choose to lead our lives and are always beautifully illustrated. Begin Again, is no

exception. It will help us reflect on and plan to begin a new school year with positive intent where we all are mindful of others and are READY, RESPECTFUL & SAFE.

At the start of the book Oliver Jeffers has chosen a wonderful quote from Mary Oliver that we also plan to use as a reoccurring theme for the year ahead.

It is such a privilege to work with children during their time with us and see them grow emotionally and academically as well as physically! Their lives are very precious to us all and we look forward to another year of exciting planning ahead!

As well as wishing some staff goodbye we also have a number of children moving across the city or beyond and wish them and their families all the best. As we like to say, once you have been part of the Overleigh family, you are always part of us!

Thank you for all the kind gifts staff have received at the end of the year. It is never expected but very much appreciated. It has been especially lovely to see one of our community favourites, Mr Flynn being recognised for the vast contribution he makes to school life.



Sad News

We were extremely disappointed to receive a complaint into school today, from a member of the public, that a number of Overleigh parents have been racially ridiculed on their bus journeys. Sadly, it was reported to us that it was possibly parents of other children at Overleigh who were involved. We sincerely hope that this was not the case as one of our core Christian Values at Overleigh is respect. We would hope that this value was not only present within the school grounds but transcended throughout our wider caring and loving school community, with parents in particular setting the correct example to children. Hopefully, there will be no further incidents, as we will have no option but to report further occurrences to the police.

Academy

The process of our conversion to Cheshire Diocese Academy Trust continues on track to be completed on 01.10.24.

In September we will update you but in practical terms you shouldn't notice any difference in our day to day working arrangements.

We are sure everyone, not least the staff, are very much looking forward to the summer break, we hope everyone has a wonderful time.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back on TUESDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER, including our new Nursery and Reception children and their families as well as children joining in

Key Dates For 2024-25

Monday 2nd September	INSET Day for Staff
Tuesday 3rd September	First Day of Autumn 1 Values Day: Christian Love
Wed 4th-Fri 6th Sept	PSHE Themed Days Begin Again
Mon 14th to 16th Oct	Y6 Residential at Barnstondale
Mon 14th-Thurs 24th Oct	Zoom Parents Meetings
Thursday 24th Oct	Last Day Autumn 1 3,20pm Finish
Friday 25th October	INSET DAY SCH CLOSED
Monday 4th Nov	INSET DAY SCH CLOSED
Tuesday 5th Nov	First Day Autumn 2 Values Day: Hope
14th & 15th Nov	Anti-Bullying & Anti-Harassment Focus Days
Friday 20th Dec	Last Day Autumn 2 2.15pm Finish
Monday 6th Jan	INSET Day for Staff
Tuesday 7th Jan	First Day Spring 1 Values Day: Respect
Friday 14th Feb	Last Day Spring 1 3.20pm Finish
Monday 24th Feb	First Day Spring 2 Values Day: Integrity
Friday 4th April	Last Day Spring 2 2.15pm Finish
Wednesday 23rd April	First Day Summer 1 Values Day: Service & Stewardship
Friday 23rd May	Last Day Summer 1 3,20pm Finish
Monday 2nd June	First Day Summer 2 Values Day: Thankfulness
Tuesday 22nd July	Last Day Summer 2 2.15pm Finish
Wednesday 23rd July	INSET SCHOOL CLOSED

Ruby. Ruby. Ruby

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Flynn, two invaluable members of our staff team, who recently celebrated their Ruby Wedding Anniversary. All at school were delighted to share their best wishes with the lovely couple.



Secrets to Success

We had a wonderful afternoon party celebrating the fabulous achievements in our Secrets to Success awards this year. To present the awards we were honoured to have a very special guest, Jessica Robbins, who is a BBC Radio journalist and producer.



The children enjoyed celebrating with their family after the presentation.



Well done to all children that took part in the challenges. Completing them will certainly help you in your academic and personal development in preparation for a life as a successful adult.



Art Competition

We had more than 100 entries for our Quentin Blake Art Competition. There were so many excellent illustrations submitted by all year groups, it was very difficult to decide the winners.



After lots of deliberation, Miss Noakes and Mr. Mander finally managed to decide on the first, second and third placed entries.



First Place - Jemima, Year 2
Prize - Painting Set

Second Place - Grace Year 4
Prize - Painting Book

Third Place - Monty, Nursery
Prize - Painting Book

Down at the Beach

Y2 at West Kirby





Clwb Cymraeg had a great time celebrating a fun packed year learning Welsh.





Thanks to the PTA and Mr Skinner for organising the event. Also massive thanks to all who took part and supported the children from home.



Melody Class Rainbow Run!

More RAINBOW RUNNERS



From Allotment to a Lot of Salad



Gardening club continued with their excellent harvesting of their hard work. They dug up or cut the salad crops from the school garden and prepared a delightful salad bar for the children's canteen. Well done everyone in Gardening Club and thanks to the canteen staff for helping with the food preparation.



I can do... Taekwondo

Congratulations to Charles on achieving his Green Belt in the martial art of Taekwondo. A terrific achievement demonstrating Charles' disciplines and skills in a difficult art form to master.

Cheshire West & Chester Council

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Take a look at all the fun things happening across
Cheshire West and Chester over the Summer Holidays.

Please use your smartphone to scan the QR code below to access the
School Holiday Activities page



Or please search - 'Cheshire West and Chester, School Holiday Activities'
and click on the page to access all the information in one place.

Cheshire West and Chester Website –
[https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/news-and-views/
campaigns/school-holiday-activities](https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/news-and-views/campaigns/school-holiday-activities)

*Information for activities and events have been provided by our partners. We may
therefore not be aware of any changes made to their programme last minute due to
circumstances beyond their control. For further information please contact
the providers putting on the events.*

We hope you have a lovely summer break!



Internet Safety Parental Controls Information

The following link has been provided for all parents regarding internet safety with specific support of how to manage:

Children's devices, games and social media, including snapchat, Roblox, YouTube, IOS and more!

Use this link to find out more:-

<https://>

www.knowsleyclcs.org.uk/online-safety-videos/

Hello,

This week we have launched our Childcare Survey for parents and carers who access or would like to access childcare in the borough. The survey is voluntary and touches on the following areas:

- Childcare usage.
- Awareness and accessibility of support available to help with childcare costs.
- Satisfaction with childcare provision in Cheshire West and Chester.

We are asking that you please share this survey with the families who you are working with so that we can gain as many responses as possible to inform the Childcare Sufficiency Assessment update for 2024. If you yourself are a parent or carer and access or would like to access childcare in the borough, please also complete the survey.

Resident responses will help us better understand what the childcare market looks like from a parent and carer perspective and will help us to work with childcare providers across the borough to better meet the childcare needs of people living, working and/or studying in west Cheshire.

The survey should take around 10-15 minutes to complete and is mainly multiple-choice questions. All information provided will be treated in the strictest of confidence and no information will be released that could identify an individual or household.

The closing date for the survey is **Friday 9th August**. For further information on the survey or childcare in specific areas, families can contact ey.providers@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk.

[Here is the survey link >](#)

Thank you in advance for your support, as always.
Best wishes,
Children and Families

Communities and Engagement Team, Chester.

Cheshire West and Chester Council

Email: chesterlocality@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Visit: www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Information from Cheshire West and Cheshire

PTA UPDATE



MONDAY 30 SEPT 2024
3.15 PM

WELCOME COFFEE & AGM

Please come along for a free cuppa and find out more about our exciting plans for the new school year

SAT 09 NOV 2024
FIREWORKS BONANZA

A first for our PTA!

Plenty of volunteers needed to help make this a evening to remember!!

More details to follow in September



Sponsored Rainbow Run Update:

We have raised a phenomenal

£4,300

and still counting some of the late sponsorship!

There are no words to described how amazing and supporting our families in school are and this will truly make a huge difference to all pupils in school.

Thank you to everyone who took part and for your generosity!

Huge congratulations to
Year 1 & Year 3

who have raised the most sponsorship and won a free ice cream as a thank you for their efforts!

THANKS



GLOW & SPRING DISCO



CINEMA NIGHT



CAKE SALE



RAINBOW RUN



Amazing!

Each of these events organised by the PTA this year contributed to raising funds for the development of our children.

Thanks to your generosity, this year we have raised a grand total of

£8,400

Friday Certificates 12.07.24



Class	Value	Comment
Crotchet Miss Evans	Service and Stewardship	Agnes for always being a positive role model and supporting everyone in Reception. She always has a welcoming can-do attitude and is a pleasure to teach. She has been like a sponge this year and soaked up every learning opportunity. She has been enjoying our writing book based on Supertato and is always enthusiastic bringing new exciting ideas to class discussions.
Minim Miss Burns	Wisdom	Alice has developed a brilliant attitude for learning over this past week and has wowed her teachers with her excellent ideas in our healthy and safe learning. Alice tries her best in all that she does and perseveres even when things may be a little bit tricky.
Ballad Mrs Birchall Mrs Barnes	Integrity	Termeh for the most amazing writing. Termeh always puts in maximum effort into every piece of writing and recently wrote a fabulous story setting for the story of 'Bringing the rain to the Kapiti Plain'. It included some wonderful descriptive words and amazing punctuation. Well done Termeh you are a fabulous writer.
High Note Miss Hunter	Love	During healthy and safe week, it was lovely to see Mert's love and passion for football! Mert is a keen football player and is very quick on the pitch, it was wonderful to see him be able to showcase his skills and interact with a player from Chester football club. We hope that Mert's passion continues, as he shows great potential...well done Mert! - you are a superstar!
Melody Miss Morgan	Integrity	This week's nomination is to Bobby for integrity. Bobby is always a superstar! Every day he comes in school ready to learn, and I can always count on him to be ready, respectful and safe. He has his hand up across all subjects to join in discussions and has been working really hard on his handwriting. I am so pleased with the progress he has made, and please keep it going through into Year 3. Well done, Bobby!
Glissando Miss Griffiths Mrs Jones	Integrity	Flo is such a kind and respectful member of our class. She has been working really hard on her reading and reads with such beautiful expression and it's a joy to listen to her.
Harmony Miss Holdstock Miss Odunaiya	Justice	Casey is my star of the week for the value of justice. He has been working brilliantly as part of a team and showed true sportsmanship during sports day. Keep up the hard work it's been lovely to see!
Maestro Miss McFaul	Wisdom	Henri has been working extremely hard this week, engaging in all the new learning that has been happening in the classroom for Healthy and Safe week. He is always contributing to class discussions and asking insightful questions that have been helping everyone to learn. Keep up the hard work Henri, you are really showing that you are Year 4 ready!
Note Miss Noakes	Friendship	Ruby is the star of the week in Note class for the Christian value of Friendship. Ruby is always kind and caring towards others in the class. She is also a good friend to teachers, she is respectful and polite and is always keen to offer to help with classroom tasks. Well done Ruby!
Maestoso Mr Mander	Wisdom	Blake always has well thought out answers, and is increasingly doing this in the correct way and has been concentrating hard to complete his work to a good standard. I'm really proud of how you have matured this year Blake, Well done!
Pizzicato Mr Pillow	Wisdom	The nomination for Pizzicato class this week is Sam. I've been pleased with how hard he's been working on his maths looking at converting units of measurement and how much his problem solving is solving. Well done Sam, you are a superstar!
Allegro Miss Axam	Service and Stewardship	Lewis has been making sensible choices in the classroom and really focussing on his work. He has worked well on his writing, coming up with some great ideas independently. Keep up the great work.
Joyeux Miss Jones	Integrity	Hari has settled in so well since joining last week, and he is a pleasure to have in our class. Hari is always seen to be doing the right thing and already on his first day, was very respectful and polite to the adults he met. He has impeccable manners and has come in everyday with a smile on his face. Well done Hari, joining a new school is difficult and you have certainly taken it in your stride!
Heptatonic Mrs McGoldrick Mr Skinner	Integrity	Please can we nominate Theo for integrity. He always gives 100% to whatever he does... from being a kind friend, to trying his best at his work... from singing and dancing in our practices to finally keeping us all up to date with the Euros results! You're such a great member of our class, Theo - well done and thank you!
Finale Mrs Dickson Mrs Flanagan	Integrity	Omer always does the right thing, even when nobody is watching. He sets an example of excellence in behaviour and participation both inside and outside of the classroom. Omer is an asset to Finale class.

Friday Certificates 19.07.24



Class	Value	Comment
Crotchet Miss Evans	Trust	Rowan is an all-round star! He is always focused during teacher inputs, always listens attentively and always tries his best in everything he does. I know I can trust Rowan to be a role model for Reception and everyone always looks to him to do the right thing. He has been a sponge this year and soaked up all new information with ease. His writing is fantastic and he often extends his own sentences using conjunctions independently. Well done on working so hard Rowan - you should be so proud of yourself.
Minim Miss Burns	Love	Ava has really stood out this term for showing love and compassion towards her peers. She is regularly seen showing kindness to all members of the class and offering a helping hand to those who need it. I can always count on Ava to work well with any member of the class. I am so proud to have a lovely girl like Ava in Minim class.
Ballad Mrs Birchall Mrs Barnes	Service and Stewardship	It's a very tricky one as they are all fantastic! Olivia for an amazing attitude to learning and school. Olivia has had a fantastic term, engaged in every aspect of the school curriculum. She always tries her hardest and encourages everyone around her. She is a kind and caring member of our class and will always ensure everyone (including staff) has a smile on their face. Well done Olivia, you have had a fantastic term.
High Note Miss Hunter	Respect	The whole year in Year 1, Adam has shown respect in every way. He is respectful to all of his peers, teachers and always looks after his classroom environment, walks beautifully around school and is polite and friendly to everybody. Adam, is an absolutely gorgeous boy and a model student, always trying his best. I can't think of any more deserving student for this badge, Adam's respectful nature shines. Today, is also Adam's last day at Overleigh as he will be leaving us to move to a new school. He will be missed very much by his class family. Well done for all of your hard work Adam, you will be greatly missed, we wish you all the best in your new school - you will be a superstar!
Melody Miss Morgan	Wisdom	Lilah is a model pupil who shows kindness and compassion towards everyone, including adults. She has been incredibly welcoming to all our newcomers this year. Lilah always shares her wonderful thoughts and ideas with the rest of the class in every lesson and is always willing to lend a hand to those who may find it difficult. We would also like to thank her for her continuous help around the classroom. What a superstar!
Glissando Miss Griffiths Mrs Jones	Wisdom	We are so proud of the progress that Billy had made this term. He is making wise choices with his learning, which has resulted in him producing some excellent pieces of work. He has also made wise behaviour choices and he is always making sensible and kind choices. Well done Billy!
Harmony Miss Holdstock Miss Odunaiya	Love	Chloe is an absolute superstar ALL the time and I can always count on her to be following our school rules of ready, respectful and safe. She is a model student that demonstrates all our school values and is also a wonderful friend to everyone! Well done Chloe!
Maestro Miss McFaul	Compassion	Neela is always thinking about others and how she can help and support her friends. She always comes to school with a smile and readiness to join in. She has been a superstar in the classroom as well, helping to do little jobs to help make our classroom a wonderful place to be. Neela is definitely ready for Year 4! Keep being a superstar Neela!
Note Miss Noakes	Integrity	Rowan can always be relied upon to be doing the right thing. He is polite and respectful to everyone and a kind friend to others. His fun sense of humour means that he brings a smile to people's faces and I especially appreciate how conscientious he is in helping to keep our classroom neat and tidy. Well done Rowan on being such a great member of our class!
Maestoso Mr Mander	Integrity	I have been so impressed all year with Leila's attitude to her work. She works tirelessly, always wanting to improve what she is doing and has made great progress as a result. She also helps other people and gets on with others with no fuss.
Pizzicato Mr Pillow	Respect	The nomination for Pizzicato class is William for the value of respect! Will can always be relied on to give his best in every lesson and always wants to learn and improve. He is also always incredibly kind and polite to everybody around school.
Allegro Miss Axam	Service and Stewardship	Elinor has thrown herself into every opportunity that school has offered her, participating in many clubs, competitions and performances. She also relishes every opportunity to learn something new in lessons. This is such a fantastic approach to school and life in general it is easy to choose her as star of the term. Well done Eli, keep up this excellent attitude in Year 6
Joyeux Miss Jones	Integrity	Nuriyah has had an exceptional year at Overleigh. You would never have thought she joined in Year 6, it feels like she has been a part of our school community forever. Every single day, she has and continues to make the right choices and follow the school rules, being a fantastic role model to those around her. I know that Nuriyah will continue with her positive attitude when she goes to High School and she will achieve great things. Well done, Nuriyah, it has been an absolute joy being your class teacher!
Heptatonic Mrs McGoldrick Mr Skinner	Respect	We are so pleased with Charlie's attitude towards his learning, peers and teachers this half term. He has turned his attitude towards school around and has been an absolute pleasure to work with, talk to and watch in recent weeks. Well done...we feel confident and happy sending this version of Charlie off to high school! We're really proud of you!
Finale Mrs Dickson Mrs Flanagan	All values	Phoebe - all our values! - Phoebe has had an incredible year in year 6 and consistently embodies all our core values day in and day out. She works independently with maturity and a quiet determination to do her very best in every single lesson. An outstanding role model for her peers, we are incredibly proud of the way Phoebe conducts herself both in and out of the classroom.

Year R



In Reception we have been busy learning how to stay safe online, on the roads and how to keep our teeth healthy. We have also learned how to be nice to our friends, how all families are different and the importance of saying sorry.



Year 6

Goodbye and Good Luck Year 6!
All of the Year 6 Team and Staff
at Overleigh wish you all the best!



Year 6

We have had such a busy couple of weeks in year 6!

In the last week, we have:

- attended Chester Cathedral for our end of year 6 leavers service
- performed our end of year show, Buggy Malone, to the entire school.
- performed Buggy Malone to our grow-ups!



We are REALLY looking forward to our end of year 6 treat this Thursday... a boat trip and yummy pizza in Chester!



Year 6

This week, Year 6 have had such a fantastic final week!

On Wednesday, Year 6 performed their leaver's production. The children were all fantastic and the parents, pupils and staff were so proud of their efforts. Particularly of the children who performed their solos! We certainly have some budding actors, actresses and singers in Year 6!



On Thursday, we had our Year 6 Leaver's trip! The sun was shining and the day was filled with lots of smiles and laughter, with lots of lovely memories made!



Year 6



Congratulations to Rory, Devon and Reuben for being recognised for their outstanding work in various areas of English during Year 6. They became the first winners of a new end of year award promoted by one of our kind volunteers, Mo.



Lion Salt Works Museum

Summer Activities

Free drop-in activities held at
10.30-3.30

Every Wednesday & Thursday

31st July & 1st August

Hot Air Balloons

7th & 8th August

Mini beach diorama

14th & 15th August

Dreamcatchers

21st & 22nd August

Ducks

28th & 29th August

Pirate Ship



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**WEST CHESHIRE
MUSEUMS**

Explore Nature, Art,
Science and
Technology this
summer across Lion
Salt Works and
Weaver Hall Museum
at our brand new,
exciting Northwich
Explorers club!



£5 per session, to book call Weaver Hall Museum on: 01606
271646 or Lion Salt Works on: 01606 275066

Wednesdays at:



31st July: Investigate fossils and
make your own piece of history

7th August: Investigate Acids and
Alkali and make a red cabbage
indicator

14th August: Electric Circuits

21st August: Lava lamps!

28th August: Make a clay character
from history, film or fantasy.

Fridays at:



2nd August: Make your own Salty
bathbomb

9th August: Make a rubber band-
powered vehicle and see how far it
will run

16th August: Slime!

23rd August: Electrical Circuits

30th August: Investigate fossils and
make your own piece of history.




THE
READING
AGENCY Summer Reading Challenge

Marvellous Makers

Northwich Library
Drop in Crafts

Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

29 & 30 July - Bees and Bugs 

1 & 2 August - Sunflowers

5 & 6 August - Superhero Masks

8 & 9 August - Pack Your Suitcase

12 & 13 August - Handy Dinosaurs

15 & 16 August - Roundhouses

19 & 20 August - Busy Birds

22 & 23 August - Sundials

27 August - Penguin Pop Ups

29 & 30 August - Victorian Parlour



Cheshire West & Chester Council

Libraries



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Grosvenor Museum

Summer Activities

Free drop-in activities held at
10.30-12.30

30th & 31st July & 1st August

Greyscale Landscapes

7th & 8th August

Gorgeous Georgian Pockets & Purses

13th, 14th & 15th August

The Wonderful Wizard Tree

20th 21st & 22nd August

Sarmatian Dragon Standards



GROSVENOR
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Some additional
Summer Activities
Advertised