

Dates for your diary:

Monday 17th July: Year 3 to Chester Zoo
Monday 17th July: Build a sea-side town (morning)
Monday 17th July: Leavers' Party afternoon
Tuesday 18th July: Bexton's Seaside Report
Tuesday 18th July: Cygnets end of term Sing-along 9.30am
Wednesday 19th July: Swans Graduation Ceremony 1.30pm
Thursday 20th July: Y6 Leavers Concert 6.30pm
Friday 21st July: School Closes for summer. Dress down day in aid of Ethical Enterprise. £1 donation.

Goodbye!

We are sad to say farewell to Miss Beeston next week who is leaving us to return to university to train to be an educational psychologist. We wish her lots of luck with her studies. We are also saying goodbye to Miss Bradbury from the nursery as Mrs Smart has returned from her maternity leave. We wish her lots of luck in her new job. Thank you also to Miss Snook and Mr Fletcher who have supported the children in reception and Year 2 this term. We've loved having them.

Ethical Enterprise 2017-18

We are delighted to announce our first charity for next year. The charities are chosen to link carefully with our curriculum. More information is [here](#) on our website. We will be working with the Fire Fighters Charity in the autumn term.



Reading

Knutsford Library has started the Summer Reading Challenge and we are encouraging all children to join up. Click [here](#) for more information. If you only do one thing over the summer holiday, we ask that it is reading to and with your child. This will give them a really strong start in their new year group. Please see this [link](#) for an exciting free activity for the summer holidays linked to books. When the KS2 children return in September we will have a revamped library waiting for them- we look forward to sharing it. Thank you for all the lovely book donations sent in this week.

KS2 Performance

We were so proud of the Y3, Y4 and Y5 children last week- their performance of 'Goldilocks' was absolutely brilliant. Many parents have commented that this was the best performance they've ever seen. Many thanks for the donations in our Ethical Enterprise buckets- this raised a super £296.50.

Year 6 Leavers

Year 6 parents should have received a letter regarding the Leavers' Service on Thursday evening. Children should arrive at 6pm to start the performance at 6.30pm.

Dates for your diary:

September 4th & 5th: INSET days (staff only)
Wednesday 6th September: Children return to school
Thursday 7th September: Parents Welcome Session 2.30-3.20pm
Friday 8th September: Parents Welcome Session 8.50-9.30am
Wednesday 20th September: Reading Information Evening 5-7pm (A crèche will be available for a small donation)
Friday 29th September: Grandparents' Day 9.30 -11.30am grandparents visit classrooms 1.30pm & 2.30pm Concerts
Tuesday 10th October: Individual Photos
Thursday 19th October: Open day for prospective reception 2018 parents 10.30 & 1.30pm
Friday 20th October: School Closes for half term
Monday 30th October: Children return to school
Thursday 9th October: Parents Evening 3.45-6.15pm
Wednesday 15th October: Parent Forum 7pm
Thursday 16th October: Parents Evening 3.45-6.15pm
Friday 1st December: Christmas Fair
Tuesday 12th December: Infant Nativity 10am (pre-school children allowed)
Wednesday 13th December: Infant Nativity 2pm (no-pre-school children allowed)
Thursday 14th December: Infant Nativity 10am (no-pre-school children allowed)
Monday 18th December: KS2 Dress Rehearsal @St John's Church
Tuesday 19th December: KS2 Concert @St John's Church 1.30pm
Wednesday 20th December: KS2 Concert @ St John's Church 6.30pm
Thursday 21st December: Christmas Parties
Friday 22nd December: School closes for Christmas
Monday 8th January 2018: Children return

RNLI

This term's Ethical Enterprise project has raised approximately £900 for the RNLI. The Year 1 & Year 2 sales raised £287.55 and this includes Luca's £6 book sale donation- thank you Luca! Well done and thank you to everyone who contributed. All the children have learnt about staying safe near the water this term- we hope they remember these important lessons during their summer holidays!



Build a sea-side town day (Bexton's Seaside Resort)

A reminder that the children are designing their models for their seaside town today and making the models tomorrow. We are hoping parents will be able to see this on the playground at the end of the day. This will be weather dependent.