



*Delivering an outstanding learning experience for all children so they flourish and thrive; enabling them to achieve their own individual excellence.*



20<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Sunshine at last! Well they say time flies when you are enjoying yourself, and we are now in our final half term. It's lovely to see how the children have grown and developed this year. We can now start to look forward to moving on to pastures new!

### **SPORTS for SCHOOLS**

All the children had a great day raising money for Sports for Schools on 22<sup>nd</sup> May. It was great to see all the children involved in the Sponsored Circuit Training. There was so much energy flowing in the hall!

We also had a great assembly led by Joel Fearon, Olympic Sprinter and Bobsledder. He was really exciting and motivating to listen too – an event I'm sure the children will remember.

The children raised over £1400, a proportion of which goes to the charity and the rest is for us to spend on equipment for school.

Many thanks to all those who supported this great event.

### **Summer Fair**

Just a reminder - Our FOE Summer Fair is being held on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July from 5-7pm.

If any parents would like to offer their help and volunteer either setting up, or on the night, help would be greatly appreciated. Please contact [clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk)

Also, if you run a small, local business and would like to run a stall at the fair, please contact the school on [clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk).

### **Excalibur's Got Talent**

As part of the Summer Fair, we shall be holding 'Excalibur's Got Talent' talent show. Children have already signed up. Your child will be given a timeslot. Please ensure they turn up on time and equipped with everything they need for their act!

### **Gingerbread Socks 2024**

Thank you to all those who purchased a gingerbread sock for Down Syndrome Cheshire. We raised a total of £194.50 for this great charity.

### **Staffing Changes**

You will shortly receive an email outlining the staffing for 2024-25.

Sadly, Mrs Bickerton will be leaving us in July, to move onto pastures new. I am sure you will join us in taking this opportunity to thank her for all her hard work and professionalism.

### **Online Safety**

From 15th July, CEOP Education (Child Exploitation and Online Protection) will be launching Safer Summer Together on social media.

This includes six weeks of tips and activities to help parents and carers keep their children safer online this summer and beyond.

You can follow them on Facebook (CEOP Education) and X (@CEOPEducation)

Look out for their **Tip Tuesday** and **Family Friday** posts focused on these weekly themes:

Week 1: online gaming  
Week 2: socialising online  
Week 3: sharing pictures and videos  
Week 4: protecting personal privacy  
Week 5: harmful content online  
Week 6: getting help

### **#SaferSummerTogether**

### **Safeguarding**

If you have any safeguarding concerns or need safeguarding advice, please contact the school or, alternatively, our website has links to useful phone numbers:

<http://www.excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk/page/supportservices/6049>

### **Safeguarding Policy**

Our safeguarding policy has been reviewed and updated. Please click on the following link for access [http://www.excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk/serve\\_file/20291680](http://www.excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/20291680)

As always, should you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate in contacting us.

Yours sincerely,

**Mrs Jones**  
**Head Teacher**

**Mrs Griffin**  
**Deputy Head Teacher**

### Our Safeguarding Ambassadors

Mrs Jones - Designated Safeguarding Lead  
Mrs Griffin – Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead  
Miss McArdle - Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead  
and Safeguarding Ambassador  
Tilly – Safeguarding Ambassador  
Evie – Safeguarding Ambassador  
Alex - Safeguarding Ambassador  
Harry – Safeguarding Ambassador  
Fenna - Safeguarding Ambassador  
Emma – Safeguarding Ambassador

### Diary Dates

Date	Event
25.06.24	Year 6 Bikeability
26.06.24	Year 6 Bikeability
27.06.24	Year 4 Victorian Workshop
01.07.24	Move Up day
01.07.24	Town Sports
02.07.24	Rock Steady Concert 9:30am
03.07.24	Year 5 trip to New Brighton
03.07.24	Year 6 Transition Day Alsager High
04.07.24	Closed for Polling
05.07.24	FOE Summer Fair 5-7pm
09.07.24	Year 6 Performance 2:00pm
10.07.24	Reception Pirate Day
10.07.24	Year 2 Trip to Llandudno
11.07.24	Year 6 Performance 5:50pm
11.07.24	Reception New Starters Teddy Bears' Picnic
12.07.24	Preschool Glitter Bug Ball
15.07.24	Art of Brilliance Conference Year 5
16.07.24	Year 6 Garden Party
17.07.24	Reception Runway Trip
19.07.24	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 9:15
19.07.24	End of Term