

# EXCALIBUR PRIMARY SCHOOL



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to welcome you and your family back to a new academic year. Together, we look forward to supporting your child's growth, learning, and success. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued partnership and trust in our school community.

## Parents' evening

Our initial parents' consultation evenings, to discuss how your child has settled into their new classes, are to be held on 8<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October.

Appointments will go live on 24<sup>th</sup> September at 5pm.

## Friends of Excalibur – F.O.E.

We are excited to be relaunching our Friends of Excalibur (F.O.E.) group and warmly invite you to a meeting on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> September to help shape its future. Whether you'd like to be an occasional volunteer or take on a more active role, we'd love to welcome you. If you're interested but unable to attend, please let us know by emailing [clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk).

## Book fair

The Scholastic Book Fair is in school from 9<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> October. This is a great opportunity to buy some new books, while raising money for the school.

If you are able to volunteer to help at the book fair, please let us know on [clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:clerical@excalibur.cheshire.sch.uk).

## Online Safety talk for parents

Online Safety Talk for Parents – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October

We are pleased to invite parents to an important Online Safety Talk on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October, led by Andrew Bevan. With technology evolving rapidly, it's more important than ever to stay informed about how to keep children safe online. This session will provide valuable insights and practical advice to help you navigate the digital world with confidence.

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08.10.25	Parents' Evening 3:30-6:30pm
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15.10.25	Book Fair
14.10.25	Online Safety Parent Talk 5.00pm
15.10.25	Year 2 Trip
16.10.25	Parents' Evening 3:30-6:00pm
21.10.25	Halloween Bake Sale tbc
23.10.25	Harvest Assembly KS1 9:10am tbc
23.10.25	F.O.E. Disco tbc
27.10.25 - 04.11.25	Half Term Break
05.11.25	Academy Photos
10.11.25	Year 5 Class Assembly 9:10am
17.11.25	Year 2 Class Assembly 9:10am
05.12.25	Christmas Fair
09.12.25	Key Stage 1 Christmas Nativity 10:30am and 2:00pm
10.12.25	Fluenz
11.12.25	Reception & Preschool Performance 10:00am
16.12.25	Reception & Preschool Christmas Activities
17.12.25	Year 1 & 2 Party
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## Library Summer Reading Challenge

We were delighted to celebrate the many children completed the Summer Reading Challenge during the holidays.

Well done everyone!



## School Council

Last week we voted for, and announced, our new School Council Class Reps. We look forward to hearing their new ideas as they work together to make Excalibur a better place for all!



## Safeguarding Info

This month's free safeguarding guide looks at cultivating safe and healthy habits in our online lives. National Schools have compiled a list of useful suggestions which could help you and your family strike the right balance and build digital resilience.



Please see the attached document for advice.

## Safeguarding Team

Designated Safeguarding Lead - Mrs Jones  
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead - Mrs Griffin  
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead - Miss McArdle  
Safeguarding Ambassador – Mrs Hilditch

Our new Safeguarding Ambassadors are:

Symphony  
Mikey  
Gracie  
Henry  
Sophia  
George



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## Meet the Governor

We are delighted to introduce Ian White, Chair of Governors. Ian is a former pupil who attended Excalibur when it first moved to Ivy Lane in 1965. He has supported the school through music for almost 15 years, takes regular assemblies and now enjoys being actively involved in day to day life, volunteering each Monday morning.

By profession, Ian is a solicitor. After taking early retirement in 2012, he spent 12 years working with the Methodist Church District. Ian brings extensive governance experience, having served as a governor at Alsager School for 24 years, including ten years as Chair, and was also a member of the Chancery Academy for several years.

Currently, Ian focuses on his role as SEND link governor and is committed to increasing the involvement of Governors in the life of the school.



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 Headteacher

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