

Chilton Primary School



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Dear All,

24th March 2017

Easter Concerts

Early Years and KS1 Easter Performance with Brian Wise - Tuesday 4th April 9:30am - 2 virtual tickets per family are available
KS2 Easter Performance with Brian Wise - Wednesday 5th April 9:30am - 2 virtual tickets per family are available
Easter Service at St. Aidan's Church - Friday 7th April. No tickets required.

Lunchtime Behaviour Expectations - raising standards

As you will know, our children follow a 'Lunchtime Charter' - which sets out the behaviour which we expect should be shown by both children and adults - enabling all pupils and staff to enjoy the dining hall experience provided. Over recent years we have refurbished the dining hall and the lunchtime equipment - and also offer pre-ordering - in order to ensure that lunchtime is a positive place to be. We have also recently introduced new playground and dining hall awards - to reward those children who go the 'extra mile' to help other children or adults. Our lunchtime motto is that 'a smile goes a long way'. ☺ Please note that parents will be informed via a letter if their child's behaviour falls below expected standards. We appreciate your co-operation and support.

Dinner Hall		Playground	
Year 1	Amber	Year 1	Braydon
Year 2	Zac	Year 2	Keaton
Year 3	Kai	Year 3	Sarah
Year 4	Emma	Year 4	Joe
Year 5	Harry	Year 5	Charlotte
Year 6	Macey	Year 6	Hayden

Are you ready to play 'Beat the Streets'?

Tonight, your child will come home with an envelope and other items needed to play the game. 'Beat the Street' is a free, fun game for everyone in Chilton and Ferryhill. Explore our local area, finding 'Beat Boxes' using the online or paper map - then simply 'tap' your card or fob on as many Beat Boxes as you can to earn points for you and Chilton Primary School. Do this on the school journey, to work, on the way to friends, over weekends, at any time you like! You can walk, run, cycle, skip or scoot to tap between the Beat Boxes. Tapping two different boxes earns 10 points! The game will run between 29th March and 17th May, with the top schools winning prizes as well as individual rewards as well. Here is what our reporters - Krystal and Rihanna from Y3 - thought about the project when it was introduced to them at FBEC on Tuesday this week....

'On Tuesday afternoon, we went to FBEC to learn about Beat the Street. Beat the Street is a game, where you can walk, jog, run, ride your bike or go on your scooter. You get a fob and have to travel between different lampposts with special boxes on them to win prizes. We went onto the field and took part in a mini Beat the Street Festival, where we had to run between different boxes and scan our fobs to get points.'

Dance Generation - Ferryhill

New Dance Generation will now offer two new classes to the children of Ferryhill, all classes are at Ferryhill Hub, the studio:-
- Contemporary Technique Class: Monday nights, 4.45pm-5.30pm, beginning 27th March
- Jazz Class: Saturday Morning: 10.30am-11.30am, beginning 1st April



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Attendance winners this week are Scafell Pike and Dartmoor with 100%
Well done!

Weekly awards

Class	Star of the Week	Reader of the Week	Citizen of the Week
Morning Nursery	We were all stars this week on our trip to the farm. Well done everyone for outstanding behaviour!		
Afternoon Nursery			
Ben Nevis - Reception	Ollie	Elijah	Riley
Snowdonia - Reception	Amber	Jacob	Havanah
Cotswolds - Y1	Maddie	Ethan	Abigail
Pennines - Y1	Elle	Stuart Corrigan	Charlie
Lake Windermere - Y2	Ryan	Ethan	Isabelle
Scafell Pike - Y2	Lewis	Bailey	Daniel
Hadrian's Wall - Y3	Jake	Leigha	McKenna
Stonehenge - Y3	Donovan	Millie	Leon
White Cliffs of Dover Y4	Lennon	Faith	Jessica
Lindisfarne- Y4	Zach	Joe	Marcus
Dartmoor - Y5	Holly	Elena	Mckenzie
Giant's Causeway - Y6	Kate	Adam	Rachel
Loch Ness - Y6	Marley	Ciena	Joslin

Football Report

'On Thursday 16th March, the Chilton Primary School football team went to Greenfield Community College to play football in the second round of the SSP League. In the first game, we had loads of chances on goal - however, we were unable to score and the other team scored with their chances. In our second game, we played really well and again had lots of chances. The opposition goalkeeper was really good and so we didn't manage to score any goals with the match ending 0-0. In the final game the team weren't able to come and so we were awarded a 2-0 win and able to play a friendly match against another team. The final score of the friendly ended 2-1 with Taylor scoring both goals. This leaves us with 4 points and all to play for next week.'

Reporter: Lewis (Year 4)

Y6 Family Assembly

A big 'thank you' to those parents who were able to attend the Y6 family assembly this week. We hope you enjoyed the children's performance on the theme of the 'Circulatory System.' (F Hardy / S Dickenson - class teacher)

Friends of the School News

Mothers' Day Daffodils

All children will be taking a Mother's Day gift home today provided by Chilton Primary Friends.

Easter Raffle

Tickets will be going on sale from Tuesday 28th March and the draw will be held on Friday 7th April. A leaflet will be sent out on Monday giving more details about prizes etc. Thank you for your support in advance!

Please do not hesitate to contact me via the main office with any comments, suggestions or queries that you may have.

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Dear Parent/Carer

The NSPCC's *Speak out. Stay safe.* programme is visiting our school to make sure our pupils have the knowledge and understanding they need to stay safe from abuse.

I'm pleased to tell you that we will be working with the NSPCC, the UK's leading children's charity, who'll be delivering their *Speak out. Stay safe.* programme this term. This is a nationwide programme for every primary-school-aged child in the UK and Channel Islands. With the help of their friendly mascot Buddy, they'll be presenting an assembly to the children in our school as well as a workshop for Years 5 and 6.

"NSPCC has helped me to build the confidence to tell people about my worries and problems." *Child's feedback.*

What is the *Speak out. Stay safe.* programme?

Through child-friendly, interactive assemblies and workshops their specially trained staff and volunteers will give our children information about how to keep themselves safe from harm and how to get help if they have any worries, sensitively discussing issues like bullying and sexual abuse, without using scary words or adult language.

We have studied the content of the materials and heard from other schools who have participated and are extremely confident that they are appropriate for primary-school-aged children. By the end of their visit, we're convinced children will feel empowered - knowing how they can speak out and stay safe.

"This service provides important information in a child-friendly way - it should be made mandatory in all schools. A brilliant service!" *Teacher, Wistaston Primary, Crewe*

If you would like any more information about the NSPCC *Speak out. Stay safe.* programme, including frequently asked questions, you can find it on the NSPCC website nspcc.org.uk/schools or please come into speak to me and I can provide more information.

Talking about the Underwear Rule with your children

The NSPCC's work in schools will help encourage conversations about staying safe - and they have a number of child-friendly materials to help you carry on the conversation afterwards. That includes 'The Underwear Rule', a simple way for parents to help keep children safe from sexual abuse - without using scary words or even mentioning sex.

The guide uses the rules of PANTS to teach children that their body belongs to them and them alone. You can find out more and download the free resources at nspcc.org.uk/pants

If you'd like to know more about the NSPCC's work, or take a look at the wide range of information and advice which is available for parents and carers, please visit their website nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/

Yours sincerely,

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