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Dear Parent/Carer,

Parking and Safety

Unfortunately, we need to bring the issue of parking to your attention again. This week, we have had an incident where a child has nearly been ran over because of illegal parking on the yellow lines outside of the school gates, where a large black car reversed and had the child not been dragged out of the way, they would have been injured. We are sure you agree that this **cannot** continue. Please can all parents who park their cars do so **safely** and **legally** (on the road and not on the curb).



In addition to this, the school car park is becoming increasingly dangerous in the mornings and after school. We recognise that we have a number of families who have disabilities who need to park in the school car park. Please ensure that you have your blue badge displayed or call into the school office for a permit. If you are registered disabled but are accompanied by an able-bodied person who can collect the children, please could we ask that you park outside the school car park.

We have had some comments regarding parents parking on the school car park who are not disabled. Please remember that disability comes in different forms. Disability cannot always be seen physically and therefore we ask that you respect this.

Please could we ask that all pedestrians walk on the school path and do not cross the car park. Children are much smaller than adults and if staff/parents are coming into the school grounds or reversing, they cannot be seen.

Newsletter and Share in Our Learning Parental Consultation

At Newchurch Community Primary, any chance to celebrate the achievements of our Newchurch Robins will always be welcomed. We are very proud of them.



Currently, we use the following methods to communicate information and celebrations with you:

- Twitter (now X) through @Newchurchcp
- Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/NewchurchCP>
- Newsletter each calendar month
- Weekly letter



As we have welcomed new families into the Newchurch Family, we feel we need to consider the best and most efficient method of communicating with all parents. With this in mind, we would like to invite you to share your opinions via this google form by 21st December:

<https://forms.gle/p5kVRYtKvVQJhZR9A>

In addition, we would like to invite you to be part of a parent board which looks specifically at the response from the above consultation and look at ways forward. If this is something you would like to be part of, please indicate this on the google form. The meetings would be for an hour either online or in school at 6pm.

Parental Workshops



As part of our partnership with you as co-educators of our Newchurch Robins, we would like to canvas your interest in parental workshops to support your child's learning at Newchurch.

In the past, we have delivered workshops after school, in the evening and within the school day. Some have been well attended and others have had limited attendees. In order to capture the views of all parents, please could we ask you to complete the questionnaire below to enable us to see how best to deliver the workshops:

<https://forms.gle/SurpYrEPwbCUvSnVA> We would appreciate your responses by 21st December then we can plan for the delivery ready for the remainder of the school year.

Finally, please see the latest calendar with any additions in red for your ease of reference.

Ho! Ho! Ho! Have a lovely weekend,

Jayne Narraway

Headteacher



Diary of Dates 2023-2024

Autumn 2023

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Friday 1 st December 2023	Christmas Fair	All families
Monday 4 th December 2023	Watching performance at Culcheth High School	Year 5 and Year 6
Wednesday 6 th December 2023	KS1 Christmas Play dress rehearsal	KS1 classes
Thursday 7 th December @ 9:15am	KS1 Christmas Play	KS1 classes and parents
Friday 8 th December 2023 @ 9:15am	KS1 Christmas Play	KS1 classes and parents
Friday 8 th December 2023 @ 11am	Christmas Tree Service at Newchurch Church	KS2 classes
Friday 8 th December 2023	Pokemon and Match Attack swap day	All classes
Tuesday 12 th December 2023	KS2 Christmas Play dress rehearsal	KS2 classes
Wednesday 13 th December 2023 @ 9:15am and 6pm	KS2 Christmas Play	KS2 classes and parents
Thursday 14 th December 2023	Attendance Award Trip to Cineworld to watch Elf!	Year 5
Friday 15 th December 2023 @ 2pm	Children singing at Bents	Choir
Friday 15 th December 2023 @ 2pm	Y3 Museum Trip	Year 3
Wednesday 20 th December 2023	Christmas Dinner, Christmas Jumper and Christmas Parties Day	All classes
Thursday 21 st December 2023 @ 2pm	Christmas Assembly	
Thursday 21st December 2023	School Closes	

Spring Term 2024

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Thursday 4 th January 2024	School Opens	
Thursday 4 th January 2024	Book sharing after school	All classes
Friday 5 th January 2024	Interim Reports Out	All classes
Monday 8 th January 2024	Reception Parental Conferences	Reception parents



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Wednesday 10 th January 2024	Year 1 Parental Conferences	Year 1 parents
Thursday 11 th January 2024	Year 2 Parental Conferences	Year 2 parents
Thursday 11 th January 2024 @ 11:30am	Year 3 Loved One to Lunch	Year 3 parents
Monday 15 th January 2024	Year 4 Parental Conferences	Year 4 parents
Monday 15 th January 2024	Clubs start	All classes
Wednesday 17 th January 2024	Year 3 Parental Conferences	Year 3 parents
Thursday 18 th January 2024	Year 6 Parental Conferences	Year 6 parents
Monday 22 nd January 2024	Year 5 Parental Conferences	Year 5 parents
Wednesday 31 st January 2024	Burtonwood Heritage Museum	Year 6
Thursday 8 th February 2024	Warrington Museum – Art and History	Reception
Friday 9th February 2024	School Closes	
Monday 19th February 2024	School Opens	
Thursday 29 th February 2024	Year 4 Loved One to Lunch	Y4 parents
w/c Monday 4 th March 2024	Book Week – details to follow	All classes
Thursday 7 th March 2024	World Book Day, including lunch	All classes
Friday 8 th March 2024 @ 9:15am	Thank You Service	All classes
Thursday 14 th March 2024	Book Fair	All classes
Thursday 21 st March 2024 @ 2:30pm	Kingswood Meeting	Year 4 children and parents
Friday 22 nd March 2024	Clubs finish	All classes
Friday 22 nd March 2024	Warrington Museum Trip	Year 2
Monday 25 th March 2024	TT Rockstars Day	All classes
Wednesday 27 th March 2024	Easter Extravaganza	All classes
Thursday 28th March 2024	School Closes	

Summer Term 2024

When is it happening?	What is happening?	Who is involved?
Monday 15th April 2024	School Opens	
Monday 15 th April 2024	Book sharing after school	All classes
Tuesday 16 th April 2024	Interim Reports	All classes
Wednesday 17 th April 2024 – Friday 19 th April 2024	Kingswood	Year 4
Wednesday 17 th April 2024	Year 6 Parental Conferences	Year 6 parents
Thursday 18 th April 2024	Year 1 Parental Conferences	Year 1 parents
Monday 22 nd April 2024	Year 2 Parental Conferences	Year 2 parents
Monday 22 nd April 2024	Clubs start	All classes
Wednesday 24 th April 2024	Year 3 Parental Conferences	Year 3 parents



Thursday 25 th April 2024	Year 4 Parental Conferences	Year 4 parents
Monday 29 th April 2024	Year 5 Parental Conferences	Year 5 parents
Wednesday 1 st May 2024	Reception Parental Conferences	Reception parents
Thursday 2 nd May 2024 @ 11:30am	Year 5 Loved One to Lunch	Year 5 parents
Monday 13 th May 2024	Year 6 SATS – SPAG	Year 6
Tuesday 14 th May 2024	Year 6 SATS – Reading	Year 6
Wednesday 15 th May 2024	Year 6 SATS – Maths Papers 1 and 2	Year 6
Thursday 16 th May 2024	Year 6 SATS – Maths Paper 3	Year 6
Friday 24th May 2024	School Closes	
Tuesday 11th June 2024	School Opens	
w/c Monday 10 th June 2024	Phonics Screening Check	Year 1 and some Year 2 children
w/c Monday 10 th June 2024	Multiplication Check	Year 4
Thursday 27 th June 2024 @ 11:30am	Year 6 Loved One to Lunch	Year 6 parents
Thursday 27 th June 2024	Walker Art Museum	Year 4
Friday 28 th June 2024	Clubs finish	All classes
Wednesday 17 th July 2024 @ 9:15am	KS1 Sports Day	Key Stage One classes and parents
Wednesday 17 th July 2024 @ 6:00pm	Year Six Performance and Awards Ceremony	Year 6 children and families
Thursday 18 th July 2024 @ 9:15am	KS2 Sports Day	Key Stage Two classes and parents
Friday 19 th July 2024	Reports Out	All classes
Friday 19 th July 2024 @ 2pm onwards	RobinFest	All classes
Thursday 25 th July 2024 @ 2pm	Leavers' Assembly	All classes and parents
Thursday 25th July 2024	School Closes	



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