

SANDBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Weekly News

SUMMER 1, WEEK 3

8TH MAY 2015

Special points of interest:

- Curriculum Testing
- Scarecrow
 competition
- Parent Assembly
- Litter Picks
- Fundraising
- Fostering Service
- Bike Marking events

Dates for your diary:

w/c 11th May National Curriculum Test week

Fri 15th May 2:45 pm Year 1 Parent Assembly

Mon 18th May Year 6 visiting Liverpool Cathedrals

> Fri 22nd May non-uniform day in support of Wirral Autistic Society

Friday 22nd May 9am Coffee morning in family room

> 3 - 6 June Year 6 Barnstondale

National Curriculum Tests

Next week is National Curriculum Testing week for Year 6 and the start of assessments for Year 2. We will do our best to ensure children are not feeling stressed or pressured during this time, but we would ask you please ensure your children are in school and on time every day so as not to cause unnecessary delays.

National School Grounds Week

This takes place in early June. In readiness for this Miss Blakemoore is organising a Scarecrow competition. All children are invited to make a scarecrow (maximum 4ft)and bring it into school. Scarecrows will be displayed around the school grounds. Closing date for entries is Wednesday 20th May.



Parents of children in Year 1 are invited to assembly on Friday 15th May at 2:45 to enable the children to showcase their learning.

Keep your area tidy - Reminder

We have been asked to highlight that there is a community litter pick on Saturday 16th May (11 - 1) in Upton Park. Any help greatly appreciated. Please note - This is not a school organised event.

Families and Teachers Together

You should have received a copy of our Issue 1 Families and Teachers Together newsletter last week. If your child was off, please visit the website to see what you missed. If you feel you are able to contribute to any of the ideas put forward, please speak to Ms Temple or Mr Mervyn or let the office know so we can start to move these projects forward. Our next coffee morning will be at 9am on Friday 22nd May.

Wirral Fostering Service

We have been asked to send out a letter on their behalf. Please see overleaf for details.

Wirral Fostering Service

Wirral Fostering Service is looking for people just like you to foster children and young people in Wirral. Foster Carers make a real difference to a child's life, providing support at a difficult time for a child or they offer a home for that child to grow up in. Fostering is both rewarding and fulfilling and Wirral's Fostering team will provide you with ongoing support.

Foster carers come from all walks of life. They can be single people, couples, people with children, people without children, people of all ages and from a wide range of different backgrounds.

It is important that we have a range of foster carers available so that each child can be offered the right care.

We particularly need carers that can look after teenagers and help them move forward positively into independence. Your patience and interest will give them the support they need. We also are looking for people with the space and time to look after brothers and sisters together so they can be placed with their siblings and not separated at a difficult time.

Remember, there is no such thing as a typical foster carer, to find out more visit <u>www.wirral.gov.uk/</u> <u>fostering</u> or call 606-2400 for an information pack or to request a home visit. We also have current foster carers who can share their experiences with you and answer any questions you may have.

British Transport Police Bike Marking

There are a number of sessions coming up at local train stations for you to have your bike security marked:

Sat 9th May 2015: 4pm - 7pm : New Brighton

Tuesday 19th May 2015: 4pm - 7pm : Conway Park

Tuesday 9th June 2015: 9am - 12 noon : New Brighton

Holiday dates remaining for this year

Summer Term

Half TermMonday 25th May 2015 - Friday 29th May 2015School OpensMonday 1st June 2015Children Break upMonday 20th July 2015Inset Day 5Tuesday 21st July 2015

