



# SCHOOL NEWS

## Value for Spring term: Respect

### Star of the Week



**Rec:** Annie-Rose

**Year 1&2:** Gabriel

**Year 3&4:** Renee

**Year 5&6:** Fifi

### Writer of the Week



**Rec:** Alba

**Years 1&2:** Felicity

**Year 3&4:** Tristan

**Year 5&6:** Alex

### Dates for the Diary

•16th-18th Mar, Y5/6 Condoover Hall Residential

•19th Mar, Y3/4 Cross County at THS

•23rd Mar, Dance Club to perform at Cheshire Schools' Gotta Dance at Crewe Lyceum (7-9pm)

•26th Mar, Y3/4 Hockey Competition at Deeside Ramblers. **Gum Shields & Shin Guards needed. 10am—12pm. Parents welcome to watch.**

•27th Mar, FoU Easter Bingo at School from 4pm.

•30th Mar, KS1 Parents Maths Operations Workshop. 3.40pm – 4.40pm

•2nd April, Y1/2 Cross Country at THS

•3rd April, School breaks up for Easter

### Y3/4 Residential to Condoover Hall



On Monday, 18 Year 3/4 pupils set off for a 3-day action packed residential to Condoover Hall in Shropshire.

The children had an amazing time, learning new skills and trying activities such as abseiling, high ropes, trapeze, caving. The children were an absolute credit to the school and I know from speaking with Mr Penny and Mr

Heritage, they all had a fantastic time.

Our Year 5/6 residential to Condoover Hall will still take place on Monday. We hope all the children have a wonderful time. We will be updating our Facebook page each day, so please do keep checking for updates.



### Friends of Utkinton Easter Bingo



Friends of Utkinton would like to invite all children and parents/ carers to an Easter Bingo event which will take place on **Friday 27th March from 4pm**. We will be hosting 2 rounds per hour 4-5pm 5-6pm and 6-7pm with breaks in-between. If you can't attend at

4pm, you are more than welcome to join us for the later rounds. Hot food and a bar will be available on the night. Please save the date!

### Own Clothes Day

We will be holding an own clothes day **next Friday (20th March)** in exchange for children to bring in an Easter Egg or an Easter gift for the Easter Bingo event.



## Year 3/4 Hockey at Deeside Ramblers

Year 3/4 class will be participating in a hockey tournament at Deeside Ramblers on Thursday 26th March from 10am until 12noon. Children will need their sports kit, warm coat, water bottle as well as shin guards and gum shields to school. We will be transporting pupils to and from the hockey club via the school minibus. Parents are welcome to come and watch and we have been advised by Deeside Ramblers that refreshments will be on sale during the morning.



## KS1 Parents Maths Operations Workshop

Mr Coker would like to invite all parents of Year 2 children to a Maths workshop taking place at school on Monday 30th March, starting at 3.40pm. This workshop will look at the 4 Mathematical operations and explains how we teach them in school. The workshop should not last more than 1 hour.

## Cheshire Schools' Gotta Dance



Our after school dance club have been entered into the Cheshire Schools 'Gotta Dance' event at Crewe Lyceum Theatre on Monday 23rd March. Annie from House of Dance has been working with the children on a specific routine each week and the children have been working hard practising the routine in and out of school. If you would like to come and support our fabulous dance club, parents can buy tickets in advance direct from Crewe Lyceum Theatre. We shall update you with how they get on very soon.

## Cheshire Phoenix Basketball



On Thursday, the junior classes welcomed representatives from Cheshire Phoenix Basketball Club to school. The Cheshire Phoenix were at school promoting their forthcoming fixtures and a letter has been given to each child in Year's 3,4,5 and 6 inviting them to a Basketball coaching day on Sunday 22nd March. If your child would like to attend this, please complete the RSVP and return to by Thursday 19th March.

## Friends of Utkinton Art Competition



Calling all budding artists! Friends of Utkinton would like to invite all children to design the new programme cover for the Utkinton & Cotebrook Garden Fete, which will be held at Tirley Garth on Saturday 27th June 2020.

The artwork needs to encapsulate the fun of the event, with lots of colour and imagination thrown in. It does not require any text, we want background artwork to which we can add the text at a later date. The artwork needs to be on A4 paper and either:

1 piece of A4 - portrait format with the same image to be used on the front and back cover

1 piece of A4 - landscape, folded in half as A5 front and back programme cover

Children have free reign to be as creative as they like!

The working artwork will be printed on the programme for all visitors to Tirley Garth to enjoy. The winning artist will receive named recognition in print on the programme.

**All art must be submitted to Mrs Wright by Friday 20th March. Good luck!**