

Churchtown Chatter

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Newsletter 24

Friday 15th March 2024



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Thank you to parents and carers for the excellent attendance at Parents' Evening and for those parents who have already completed the questionnaire. The feedback is useful to help with our next steps. If you haven't already filled out the questionnaire, please follow the link sent to you via ParentApp or further down in the newsletter.

Thank you also for your ongoing support with Charity Days. Your generosity will contribute towards Comic Relief today. World Book Day was a fun day in school, and a celebration of everything to do with reading. Classes buddied up with different year groups to share books and staff read to different classes. The children enjoyed dressing up and we celebrated all costumes and pyjamas in classes. Please take a look at Facebook if you haven't seen the photographs from the day as yet.

Next week is school discos for Y3-6; there is further information in the newsletter regarding the details of the event.

These events are organised by the PTA and money raised goes to the PTA to support the school. This year that has been for educational visits for all children. There is also the Easter raffle ran by the PTA. Again, more information can be found further down in the newsletter. **Have a lovely weekend – Mrs Payne!**

FRIENDSHIP & FAMILY

This half term, the value that Churchtown is developing is Fun & Happiness. At the end of the half term, value champions will be nominated for each class.



ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS

The year groups with the best attendance this week are:

1st Place – Year 3 (97.7%) - awarded 2 points

2nd Place – Year 5 (96.7%) – awarded 1 point

This week's attendance champions are **Year 3 Elm** for their **excellent attendance (98.3%)** and **100% punctuality.**



BUDDY ASSEMBLY GROUPS

Each week in the 'Friday Praise Assembly' we have been checking the totals of the Buddy assembly groups. Classes and children gain points for super behaviour.

1 st	418	Blue Team
2 nd	406	Red Team
3 rd	403	Yellow Team
4 th	382	Green Team

Learning Champions

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CONGRATULATIONS!

to all of our award winners this week!
Children will bring home their postcard to share with you at home. These awards will also be celebrated in Praise Assemblies on Fridays.



Easter Raffle

The P.T.A. is holding a raffle for the children in school to win Easter treats. Raffle tickets cost £1 and these can be purchased via ParentPay.



Thursday 21st March 2024

Year 3 & Year 4 6-7pm

Year 5 & Year 6 7:30-8:30



£3

DJ, drinks and sweets included in price

Year 3 and Year 5 will enter & exit the disco through the Old Hall doors.

Year 4 and Year 6 will enter & exit through the Year 4 doors.



£3 payment per child, to attend the disco, is to be made via ParentPay prior to 21st March 2024.



Thursday 21st March 2024

World Down Syndrome day, **Thursday 21st March**, is a global awareness day which has been officially observed by the United Nations since 2012.

All over the world, events are held to amplify the voices of people who have Down's Syndrome. In support of this, Churchtown Primary School pupils are invited to **'Rock Your Socks'** by wearing your funkiest socks to school for the day, to symbolise the uniqueness of every chromosome.





Churchtown Easter

Holiday Club

Fun4Kidz Holiday Club is open to all children from Reception– Year 6 and runs from Tuesday 2nd April– Friday 12th April inclusive.

£24.50 per day (siblings £22.50)

The holiday club runs from 8am-5.55pm

Ofsted registered, all childcare vouchers accepted

Holiday club is a fantastic opportunity for children to:

- Have fun!
- Spend time with friends and socialise
- Take part in a variety of sports and team games
- Activities available include cooking, construction, a variety of craft workshops and free play
- Breakfast and a snack tea are provided (a packed lunch is required for lunch)



To book a place or for more information please contact us on

0151 932 9218, email

rebecca.scott@fun4kidz.org.uk or click on this link to make a booking

[Churchtown Easter 2024 Holiday Club - Google Forms](#)



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SEND Coffee Morning & Bulletin

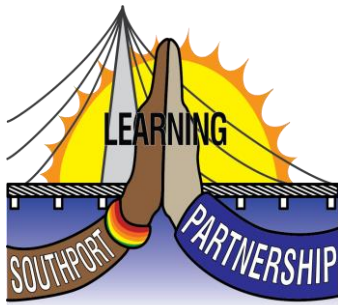
Please click [here](#) to access a copy of the SEND bulletin for the spring term, which contains feedback and information

about our upcoming coffee morning. Following our SEND review in February 2024, we are working hard to ensure we continue to improve SEND provision in our school and how we support learners in order for them to thrive. Please click below to access further information about our coffee morning and the professionals we will have in attendance - <https://forms.office.com/e/c9NaT7GCjt>



We would be grateful if you could click on the link below to complete our **school parental questionnaire**, if you have not already done so:

[Parental Questionnaire - March 2024](#)



Love My Community 2024



In conjunction with Southport Learning Partnership, we held our 'Love My Community' day on Friday 9th February. This was a non-uniform day, where we joined other local schools to raise money for Southport Foodbank.

We are pleased to inform you that all the schools in the Southport Learning Partnership raised £4,622.00 for Southport Foodbank. In addition, several schools also sent significant food donations to them.

We would once again like to thank you all for your kind donations.

Great British Spring Clean Coastal Events

All equipment provided, outdoor clothing & sturdy footwear required.

18.03.2024 - Hightown
10:30am | Blundellsands Sailing Club, L38 9EY

19.03.2024 - Ainsdale
11:00am | Ainsdale Discovery Centre, Shore Road, PR8 2QB

23.03.2024 - Southport
11:00am | Weld Road Roundabout Car Park, PR8 2PP

24.03.2024 - Crosby
10:30am | Mariners Road Beach Entrance, Crosby, L23 6SX

Contact: jordan.scott@sefton.gov.uk for more info.



Churchtown Primary School Term Dates - 2024-2025

Our **2024-2025** term dates are now available on our website –

<https://www.churchtown.org.uk/parent-and-carers/termdates>





Date	Event
Monday 18 th March 2024	Year 1 Hedgehogs Class Performance – 2.30pm
Wednesday 20 th March 2024	Year 1 Squirrels Class Performance – 2.30pm
Wednesday 20 th March 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Thursday 21 st March 2024	Year 1 Rabbits Class Performance – 2.30pm
Thursday 21 st March 2024	P.T.A. Spring Discos Year 3 & Year 4 – 6pm-7pm Year 5 & Year 6 – 7.30pm-8.30pm
Thursday 21 st March 2024	World Down Syndrome day – pupils can wear their funkiest socks to school for the day
Thursday 21 st March 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Friday 22 nd March 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Friday 22 nd March 2024	SEND coffee morning 9.00am – 11.00am - all welcome to attend
Monday 25 th March 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Monday 25 th March 2024	Year 1 Educational Trip to Imagine That! Liverpool
Tuesday 26 th March 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Tuesday 26 th March 2024	Year 3 Matball - Intraschool
Tuesday 26th March 2024	Year 2 Educational Visit to Botanic Gardens
Wednesday 27 th March 2024	Spanish Fiestaval at Greenbank High School – 6-7.30pm - <i>'modern foreign languages celebration'</i> .
Wednesday 27 th March 2024	Sefton Schools Swimming Gala at Dunes
Thursday 28 th March 2024	Easter Assemblies in St. Cuthbert's Church
Thursday 28 th March 2024	Break up for Easter Holidays – 1.30pm
Date	Event
Monday 15 th April 2024	Back to School – Rise and shine, school starts at ten to nine!
Monday 15 th April 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Tuesday 16 th April 2024	Tempest Reception, Year 2 & Year 6 Class Photographs
Tuesday 16 th April 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Wednesday 17 th April 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Thursday 18 th April 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Friday 19 th April 2024	Year 5 Bikeability Level 1 / 2 course
Date	Event
Monday 6 th May 2024	Bank Holiday – School closed

Monday 13 th to Thursday 16 th May 2024	Y6 SATs Week
Thursday 16 th May 2024	Nursery & Reception Educational Trip to Martin Mere
Wednesday 22 nd May 2024	Year 4 Birch & Pine Class Performance – 2.15pm
Thursday 23 rd May 2024	Year 4 Willow & Maple Class Performance – 2.15pm
Thursday 23 rd May 2024	Churchtown Performing Arts Showcase
Friday 24 th May 2024	P.T.A. Mufti Day
Friday 24 th May 2024	School closes for half term – normal times
Date	Event
Monday 3 rd June 2024	Back to School – Rise and shine, school starts at ten to nine!
Monday 10 th & Tuesday 11 th June 2024	Year 4 Educational Trip to The Beatles Story, Liverpool
Wednesday 12 th June 2024	Wally Cain Contemporary Dance Festival 2024
Week beginning 17 th June 2024	Sports week
Monday 24 th June 2024	Year 2 Educational Trip to Blackpool Zoo
Tuesday 25 th June 2024	Year 3 Oak & Fir Class Performance
Wednesday 26 th June 2024	Year 3 Ash & Elm Class Performance
Date	Event
Friday 5 th July 2024	Year 6 Leavers' Performance at The Atkinson
Wednesday 10 th July 2024	P.T.A. Summer Discos Year 2 & Year 3 – 6pm-7pm Year 4 & Year 5 – 7.30pm-8.30pm
Friday 12 th July 2024	P.T.A. Mufti Day
Thursday 18 th July 2024	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly at St. Cuthbert's Church 9.30am Year 6 Leavers' festival on the yard
Friday 19 th July 2024	School closes at 1.30pm for end of term holiday
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