



# PARK ROAD

## COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



# WEEKLY UPDATE

5  
May  
2023



### Next Week in School at a Glance

Monday 8	Tuesday 9	Wednesday 10	Thursday 11	Friday 12
*Dinner Menu week 1 * <b>Bank Holiday - school closed</b>	* <b>Y6 SATS</b> * <b>NO</b> Innov8 Team * <b>NO</b> Clubs	* <b>Y6 SATS</b> * <b>NO</b> Eco Warriors * <b>NO</b> Clubs *	* <b>Y6 SATS</b> * <b>NO</b> Egg raffle * <b>NO</b> Clubs	* <b>Y6 SATS</b> * Y4 and Y5 swimming lessons * <b>NO</b> Clubs

## Value of the half term: **Co-operation**

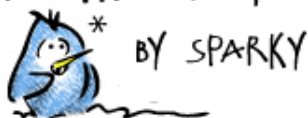
### SATs IMPORTANT—PLEASE READ

As you may be aware, next week our Year 6 class will be sitting their SATS tests. We want to give them as peaceful and relaxing a setting as possible so that they can concentrate fully. **Please could EVERYBODY help us to do this by making sure that you are on time for school each day and that your child has everything they need (bookbag, snacks, glasses, water bottle, swimming kits etc) for the day.**

There will be limited access to the hall and staff room areas which means at certain times it will be difficult to move from one side of the school to the other so please bear this in mind if you are picking up a child and allow extra time.

Good luck Year 6—remember, you are all AMAZING, the only failure would be not to try! Here's a poem that says it all ...

A POEM FOR YEAR SIX



BY SPARKY

DON'T GET STRESSED.

JUST DO YOUR BEST.

REMEMBER, YOU'VE BEEN BLESSED  
WITH SKILLS SATS CAN'T TEST.

# Coronation - Street Party



We hope you enjoyed our 'Coronation' Street Party - what a lovely, (windy!) afternoon we had. Thank you to every one who came along to join in the fun.

We have a lot of people to thank and we think they all merit a special mention ...

Firstly, thank you for the amazing work done by our Park Road Guardian Angels to make our event so special - Kelly H and Jade W from the PFA. You give so much of your time and energy for these events and it is very much appreciated!

Secondly, thank you to the Park Road Choir for their fantastic performance. We are sure everyone will agree, you were all amazing

A massive thank you to Mrs Branigan, mum of Emily in Y3, and Tesco for their generous donation of cakes and biscuits for our event - their generosity allows us to provide our event free of any charges.

An equally huge thank you to Amazon for their generous donation of cakes for our event and to Jennifer, Devender and Natasha for joining our celebrations.

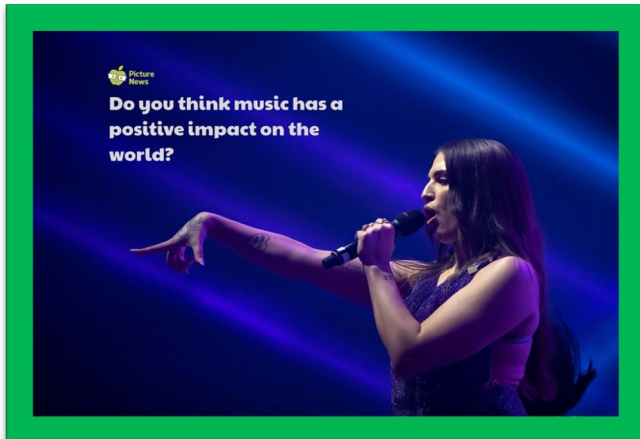
Finally, thank you to Mrs Gemmell who donned her apron to make her delicious cakes!



## **Picture News**

The Picture News topic is

**'Do you think music has a positive impact on the world?'**



For the first time since 1998, the United Kingdom will play host to the Eurovision Song Contest and will do so on behalf of last year's winners, Ukraine, who are unable to host due to the ongoing war. This year marks the 67th edition of the competition and 37 countries have chosen to compete for the famous, life-changing trophy. The city of Liverpool will be hosting this year's event and it's thought that more than 160 million people will be watching!

The Eurovision Song Contest is an annual singing competition, organised by the European Broadcasting Union. The competition started in 1956 and gathers performers, selected at the national level by each participating country, from across Europe.

Things to talk about at home:

- \* Have you watched any Eurovision Song Contests before? Will you be watching it this year?
- \* What types of music do you enjoy listening to? When do you like to listen to music?
- \* Can you play an instrument or is it something that you would like to do in the future?

## **Hot Chocolate and Cake**

This week's winners are:

Reception	Emma K
Year 1	Amelia B
Year 2	Noah S
Year 3	Ashley L
Year 4	William C
Year 5	James T
Year 6	Ryan L

## **Praise for the Kitchen**

Last week, Carol and the girls in the kitchen had a visit from Warrington Borough Council's Development Chef, Jacqueline Virgo. She was very impressed and sent through this lovely message to Carol. We thought it would be nice to share it with you.

"It was a pleasure to watch you and the girls serve up the children fresh homemade appetising food today, giving decent portion sizes including salad and vegetables and it was so nicely presented even though you're all busy. It's great to see you all take pride in your work and this shows.

I always judge it on if it was one of my children coming for a meal would I be happy? I can definitely say the parents at Park Road are getting the very best for their children and great value for money."

## **Families Magazine**

Here is the link to the next issue of Families Cheshire Magazine Mar/Apr 2023. It's loaded with useful information including:

- \* What's On in May & June – family friendly activities in Cheshire during May & June
- \* Teacher gift ideas
- \* How handwriting affects self-esteem
- \* Top children's literature festivals
- \* Creative garden play

[Families Cheshire May/June 2023 DIGITAL by Families Magazine - Issuu](#)



### **Coronation Celebrations**

Thank you to everyone who supported the school and the PFA during the Coronation celebrations yesterday. It was lovely to see so many friendly faces supporting the Choir and enjoying the celebrations.

Well done to our colour competition winners- Jessica H in Year 2 and Holly G in Year 6, who won the KS1 and KS2 prizes respectively for the PFA Coronation colouring competition.

The raffle was drawn and the Royal Gnome was won by Abi Cook and sons - congratulations!

Although this was a free event thanks to the support from Amazon and Tesco with donations of refreshments, the PFA did have some Coronation Party supplies and other fun items for sale. In total you helped us raise £146.82 in profit - thank you!

### **Park Road PFA Summer Fair**

We are very excited to share more details regarding our summer fair. It will be held on Thursday 22 June after school. This year we have reached out to Warrington Youth Zone who will be coming along on the day to provide some activities, there will be the usual tombolas (chocolate, bottle, teddy) and a \*\*new\*\* book/game tombola. There will be refreshments, Ice creams, Splat the (Head!) Teacher, pocket money stall, sweet stall and an inflatable obstacle course and not forgetting our fantastic range of external stall holders.

Please come along and join us for this fun filled event. Everyone is welcome, this event is open to our full school community, your family, friends and neighbours - why not bring your chair to the summer fair!

As always, we can't run the event without volunteers so please if you could spend a small amount of your time to help, please could you sign up <https://volunteersignup.org/EXCBP>.

### **Extra Dates for your diary - no volunteers**

Find us at these events (no volunteers needed!), just come and have fun!

Sunday 11 June - Great Sankey summer fun day - Dakota park

Sunday 9 July - Penketh Carnival - Greystone recreation ground.

Finally, good luck to all of our Year 6 students sitting their Sats next week. You've got this!

Have a lovely weekend

Kelly

Park Road PFA Chair



## Community Pages

### Warrington Youth Zone

Please find opposite the schedule for Warrington Youth Zone's next block of projects on Sunday evenings at the Youth Zone.

Any young people wishing to attend will need a membership which is a one off £5 payment that will last for 12 months allowing them to also access the youth clubs for 50p per session on:

Tuesday 4-8pm

Thursday 4-8pm

Saturday 11-3pm

Membership link: [Junior-Pre-Welcome-Pack-Web-compressed\\_1.pdf](http://warringtonyouthzone.org/Web-compressed_1.pdf)  
([warringtonyouthzone.org](http://warringtonyouthzone.org))

As well as the items on the list opposite, there is also:

Choir 4-5pm

Dance Squad 4-5pm

Performing Arts 5-7pm

### Girls Rugby

Please see attached details of a new girls' rugby session that is taking place at Crossfields Recreation Ground on a Wednesday from 6 - 7 pm. For anyone interested in joining, please follow the link below to register.



## DO YOU WANT TO PLAY RUGBY?

If you are in Year 3 or 4 at Primary school and want to get into Girl's Rugby League come and join our new sessions on a Wednesday Evening.



Crosfields Recreation Club



Every Wednesday -  
Starting Wednesday 3rd  
May



6pm - 7pm

For more information email :  
[warringtongirlsrl@gmail.com](mailto:warringtongirlsrl@gmail.com)

## JUNIORS PROJECT NIGHT

EVERY SUNDAY BETWEEN 4 - 8pm 😊

New sessions starting Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May for young people age 7-12 years. Sessions last 1-2 hours depending on the activity.

Band Practice- no experience needed \*5pm

Choir Practice \*5pm

Dance Squad \*4pm

Lego \*4pm, 5pm & 6pm

Learn a language - Mandarin Chinese \*5:30pm

Martial Arts \*4pm, 5pm & 6pm

Music Production \*4pm

Performing Arts- Summer Show \*5pm

Photography \*4pm

Pokemon \*5pm

Rock Climbing \*4pm, 5pm & 6pm

Science \*4pm

Sewing - Patchwork \*4pm & 5pm

**\*\*Youth Zone Membership is required (£5)  
then 50p per session \*\***

Book on the Warrington Youth Zone Website or at reception  
Limited Spaces available!

For further information email [dawn.dean@wyz.org.uk](mailto:dawn.dean@wyz.org.uk)

**Kat's Crazy Mutt's Dog Walking**

Sole dog walking - Warrington  
30-45-60 minute walks, puppy/older dog visits  
Free meet and greet & trial walk with any new furry friends  
Mobile: 07807868100  
Facebook: Kat's Crazy Mutt's Dog Walking  
Full DBS, fully insured, course qualified, first aid trained, friendly dog owner