



# We are a Nut/Peanut Free School

## Ravenbank CP School Newsletter Thursday 28th September 2023



To celebrate Black History Month 2023, we want to honour the amazing achievements and contributions of black women in various fields – from literature, music, science, politics, and social care to campaigners, nurses, and everyday heroes who have made a difference to our lives. Therefore, we are introducing our involvement in a nationwide poetry competition. If any children would like to submit an entry, please craft your poem and hand in to Mrs Evans (Y5) by Wednesday 1st November. More information about entries can be found here: <https://www.blackhistorymonth.org.uk/black-history-month-poetry-competition-2023/>

### Learning Reviews - Update

Further to the learning review information provided in the last newsletter we have changed the booking method as below

**Tuesday 7th November - 3:30pm-6pm** Face to Face appointments book via SchoolCloud

**Wednesday 8th November - 3:30pm-6pm** Virtual appointments book via SchoolCloud

We are unable to mix and match virtual and face to face appointments on the same day.

Further information will be emailed home nearer the time.



### Parking

Please can we remind parent/carers to park considerately when dropping off and collecting the children. Ravenbank Mews (the new builds) is a private road where access is required at all times. Please can we ask that you do not park your car on this road. We have advised the residents to contact the appropriate authorities if this continues.

The School Photographs are available to view and place an orders online . Please visit <https://mikemossphotography.gotphoto.co.uk/> and enter your individual access code from the cards handed out on photo day. Or, simply scan the unique QR code from the card with your mobile. You can also register online and receive a notification from the photographer once your pictures are available. Multiple access codes can be entered into one order to link sibling pictures together.



The early discount code is valid until the 1st October, and the deadline for orders to include free batch delivery to School is the 8th October. After this date there will be an additional P&P charge on each order.

### Diary Dates

#### Thursday 28th September

PTA Social at The Spread Eagle

#### Monday 9th October

1:30pm - meeting for prospective Reception parents

#### Wednesday 11th October

1:30pm - meeting for prospective Reception parents

#### Thursday 12th October

Warrington Guardian in for Reception new starters 2023 edition

#### Thursday 19th October

2:15pm - Year 5 Assembly

#### Friday 20th October

9am - Year 5 Assembly

#### Thursday 26th October

PTA Spooky Disco

#### Friday 27th October

Harvest collection for Warrington Foodbank

**School closes for half term and re-opens on Monday 6th November 2023**

#### Tuesday 7th November

3:30-6pm - Learning Reviews - face to face appointments

#### Wednesday 8th November

3:30-6pm - Learning Reviews - virtual appointments

#### Friday 10th November

R-Y6 Flu Nasal Spray Vaccination

#### Thursday 16th November

2:15pm - Y4 Assembly

#### Friday 17th November

- 9am - Y4 Assembly
- Children In Need



### Flu Vaccination for Reception—Year 6 children

### Protecting your child against flu

Flu immunisation in England

The Flu Nasal Spray Vaccination letter was emailed home yesterday which included a link to opt in or out. Please complete this ASAP and if you have any queries contact them directly. Thank you

### Reporting Absence

When you are reporting your child as unwell, please can you give a brief description of the illness so we can monitor any patterns etc. Thank you



### School Charity

The school council will soon be considering nominations for this year's school charity. If you have a charity that is close to your heart please email a short written nomination labelled 'School Charity' to the school office by Friday 29th September.

### After School Clubs

After school clubs will be re-starting week beginning 2nd October. Information has already been emailed home.



**Invitation to all Parents  
of Children Starting School in September 2024**  
**9th & 11th October 1:30pm start**  
**with a short presentation from the Headteacher**  
**then a tour of school**



No booking is necessary for these events. Please contact school if you are unable to attend these dates. Tel: 01925 753926 email: ravenbank.primary@thebeamtrust.co.uk

## **First Admission to Primary School**

### **Reception class 2024**

If your child was born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020 you need to apply for a primary school place for September 2024. You should have received a letter from your child's nursery setting. If you haven't please visit Warrington Borough Council's school admissions website.

You can apply online at <https://www.warrington.gov.uk/primary-school-admissions> from 1 September 2023 up until midnight on 15 January 2024.

### **Applying for Year 7 place for September 2024**

All Year 6 children can now apply for a Year 7 place for September 2024 online at

<https://www.warrington.gov.uk/secondary-school-admissions>

A letter with further information was emailed home on 12th September.



## **JUNIORS PROJECT NIGHT**

New sessions starting Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October for young people age 7-12 years

Sessions last between 1-2.5hrs depending on the activity

Badminton \*4pm

Basketball \*5pm

Book Club with author Curtis Jobling \*4pm

Dance Squad \*4pm

Fundraising Makers Market \*5pm

Guitar for beginners \*4 & 5pm

Gym Fitness \*5pm

Hamma Beads \*6pm

Podcast \*6pm

Pokemon \*5pm

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

Roller Skating- bring your own skates or use ours! \*7pm

Study Buddy Homework club \*4pm

Sewing \*4pm & 5pm

\*\*Youth Zone Membership is required (one off £5 payment) 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

# A PLACE TO



# REACH FOR THE SKY

## Unlock your child's potential

**Stagecoach Warrington**

Singing, dancing and acting classes for 4 - 6 year-olds

🌐 [www.stagecoach.co.uk/warrington](http://www.stagecoach.co.uk/warrington)

☎ 07782299557

📍 Bridgewater High School, Lower Campus, WA4 5JL

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**Warrington Athletics Club - Neville Jones Schools Cross Country League at Walton Hall and Gardens, Warrington**

Ravenbank School has registered to enter the above Cross Country competitions. The dates for your diary are:

- Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2023
- Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2023
- Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Open to years 4, 5 and 6.

Timings are as follows:

10.30 Years 4 & 5 Girls 1.4k (1 Lap)

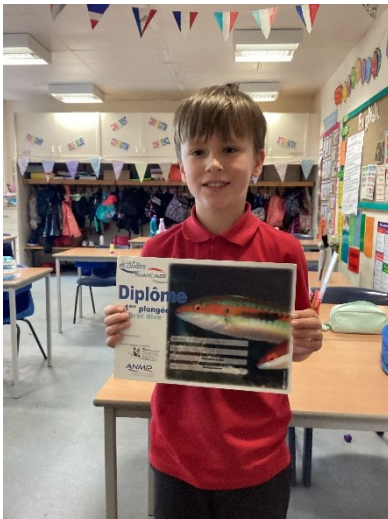
10.50 Years 4 & 5 Boys 1.4k (1 Lap)

11.10 Year 6 Girls 2k (1 Loop + 1 Lap)

11.30 Year 6 Boys 2k (1 Loop + 1 Lap)

Please confirm with Mr Williams if you are attending this event. Please note that children will need to be supervised by parents/carers at this event.

**Celebrating Sporting Success**



Congratulations to Hugo G (Year 5) for completing a diving course in France. He thoroughly enjoyed learning a new skill this summer.

Remember to let Mrs Spencer know of any exciting sporting success to go on the newsletter.

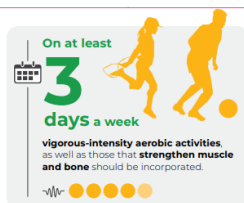


## European School Sports Day

### Physical activity guidelines for 5-17 years children and adolescents

Doing some physical activity is better than doing none!

Source: WHO guidelines on physical activity and sedentary behaviour



We have signed up to take part in this day on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September. The focus theme of 2023 ESSD is “Joy in Sport and Physical Activity”. There are many ways to encourage youth to be physically active in an enjoyable way and we would like to encourage parents and carers to get active with their children too.

For more information please visit the website <https://www.essd.eu/focus>

## Sporting dates for your diary:

Rugby World cup - We hope you will enjoy watching the rugby. The last match score:



The next England Match:

