# The Acorns Primary & Nursery School



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# DATES FOR THE DIARY

#### May

**Thur 2<sup>nd</sup> –** School is Polling Station but OPEN

#### Wk beginning Mon 13th - SATs week for Y6

Fri 17th – Year 6 Bubble Footie Treat Day

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – Break up for half term

#### June

#### Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – Inset Day, school closed to pupils

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> – Reception & Y6 hearing & vision checks

Fri 14th – Sports Day in the afternoon

Tue 18th & Wed 19th – KS1 classes to Wirral Way

Tue 18th & Wed 19th – Parents Evenings for Y1-5

Fri 21st – Back up Sports Day in the afternoon

Thur 27th – Butterflies Trip

#### July

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> – Thur 4<sup>th</sup> – Year 2 to Tattenhall

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> – Thur 4<sup>th</sup> – Y6 Transition Days TEPCEC

Mon 8th - Fri 12th - Year 6 to Min-y-Don

Thur IIth – Year 5 to Primary College

Wed 17th - PM & Evening performances for Y6

Wed 24th - 2pm Y6 Leaver's Assembly

3:15pm BREAK UP FOR SUMMER!

#### Residential Deposits

(Deadline for Min-y-Don payment in full: Monday 20th May 2024)

(Deadline for Tattenhall payment in full: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024)

# **GIRLS FOOTBALL**

Any Y5 girls who are passionate about football, Chester FC are holding GIRLS Emerging Talent Centre trials on July 8th. If you would like to sign up for the trials, please look up the website below for the expression of interest form. https://form.iotform.com/222064500435343

#### ASK ME ABOUT...

Education is most effective when schools and parents work in partnership. So, this week;

Caterpillars: to sing Hickory Dickory Dock

Butterflies: the magical beanstalk

Reception: staircase number patterns

IMc: the importance of a healthy breakfast

1/2T: 3 things that all living creatures need to survive

2M: numerators and denominators

3U: similes and nonsense poetry

3/4T: scaling numbers by 10

4G: singing in the style of a Viking

51: levers & what happens when the fulcrum is far

from the load

5/6K: St. George; his life and values

6T: how droughts impact people & the environment

# **SCHOOL SPIDER**

80% of our families have now downloaded the Spider App; thank you for supporting the changeover so quickly.

All bookings for Before & After-School club and all payments (swimming coach, visits, clubs, residentials) will now need to be made via School Spider.

WE ARE ALSO NOW ONLY

COMMUNICATING VIA THE APP, so if you are reading this – you have the app! However, if you know people who have not yet downloaded it, please encourage them to do so! We don't want any families missing out on vital information and reminders.

If you have any queries or are having difficulties, please telephone the office or email Mrs Leadley on: <u>admin@theacornsprimary.co.uk</u>

# IS YOUR CHILD EXPERIENCING ANXIETY? COME ALONG TO OUR DROP IN SESSION...

The Mental Health Support Team (MHST) in Ellesmere Port offers support to parents of primary age children who are experiencing anxiety. This would be in the form of a small group for parents.



Small changes, big differences. We are hosting <u>30 minute</u> <u>drop in</u> sessions for interested parents to explain more about the group. Please come along, we would love to meet you!

<u>The same information will be given at each</u> <u>drop in session- so please attend whichever</u> <u>suits you best.</u>

DROP IN DATE & TIME	LOCATION
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 9:30am	Kingsley Resource Centre (Coronation Road, Ellesmere Port, CH65 9AA – by Fire Station / Cherry Bank NHS building)
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> April 9:15am	Woodlands Primary School (Eddisbury Road, Whitby, CH66 2JT)



The next parent anxiety group will run on a Friday morning for 6 weeks – <u>Starting Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2024</u>

