

St Philip Westbrook News



Together we aim high and with God's love we can fly.

Friday 28th May 2021

www.stphilipwestbrook.co.uk

School closes on Friday 28th May 2021 & we return on Monday 14th June 2021.

Please remember to top-up your child's Parent Pay account in order for them to receive snack and/or a school lunch.



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Star of the Week

The following children have been awarded Star of the Week for showing our Christian value of:

'HOPE'

RecD - Harrison
RecV/T - James
RecP - Joseph
Y1L - Sophia
Y1B - Harry
Y1C - Aiden
Y2K/A - Thomas
Y2R - Swara
Y2C - Luca
Y3D - Sam
Y3H - Daisy
Y3W - Isabella
Y4D - Dylan
Y4Mc - Lexi
Y4B - Chloe
Y5A - Emmie
Y5T - Isla
Y5S - Blake
Y6H - Joel
Y6C - Millie
Y6W - Parneet

Dates for Forthcoming Events

June

22nd – 4LB Peace Centre residential
23rd – 4LMc Peace Centre residential
24th – 4CD Peace Centre residential



Headteacher Awards



RecD - Iris
RecP - Sienna
RecV/T - Solomon
Y1L - Sophie
Y1B - Noah
Y1C - Oscar
Y2K/A - Athena
Y2R - Aria
Y2C - Georgia
Y3D - Nicholas
Y3H - Ava-Rose
Y3W - Sam
Y4D - Eva
Y4Mc - Ellis
Y4B - Zoe
Y5A - Chantelle
Y5T - Finnley
Y5S - Freyah
Y6H - Brice
Y6C - Oliver
Y6W - Lizzy

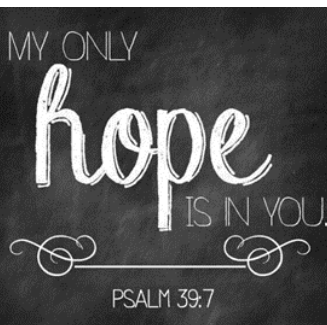
Covid-19 (Coronavirus) - Contract tracing over half term.

Parents should only contact school if their child, who is a pupil at the school, exhibited COVID symptoms up to and including Sunday 30th May and subsequently receives a positive test result. If they were asymptomatic but have had a test up to and including Sunday 30th May and subsequently receive a positive test result, they should also inform school.

Parents / carers will need to leave a voicemail or text on the number 07949 852541 with the following information:

- Child's name / DOB / class / Post Code
- When symptoms started, or the date of the test if asymptomatic
- The test date
- When the child was last in school

This number will only be monitored between 12 noon – 2pm until Thursday 3rd June. All other positive cases of pupils in school will need to be reported via email to stphilips_primary@sch.warrington.gov.uk
Children should not return to school until after 10 days isolation has been completed.



June's 30 day Go Wild Challenge



One of our Year 1 pupils has teamed up with The Wildlife Trust as a Wildlife Champion to encourage us all to get outdoors and experience the wonder that nature

has on offer. The Wildlife Trust have organised a lovely event called '30 Days Wild' which runs for the whole of June. Each day, starting on 1st June, the children will complete a 'Random Act of Wildness' which is a short activity encouraging children to engage with nature and wildlife. The 'Random Acts of Wildness' cards have been uploaded onto Google Classroom for you to use throughout the half term. We look forward to seeing pictures of you exploring all things wild!

Morning Snack

With effect from Monday 14 June the price of the morning snack will be increasing to £2.75 per week.

In addition to a slice of buttered toast, children currently receive a 85ml cuplet of pure fruit juice which is being discontinued and replaced with a 200ml pure fruit juice carton.

If your child is having morning snack please ensure that the weekly payment of £2.75 is on your Parent Pay account no later than 9.00am every Monday morning.



SPORTS STAR AWARD

KS1

Henry, Stephanie, Luke, Heidi, Frankie-Joe, Joseph, Sienna, Sophie, Isabelle

KS2

Leon, Elizabeth, Arthur, Isabella, Jack, Florence, Tejas, Ava-Mae, Khloe, Isabella, Jesse, Chloe



Please do not send any emails into the Office or Admin email addresses as these are not monitored accounts. All emails are to be sent to stphilips_primary@schwarrington.gov.uk as this is monitored on a daily basis.

Information for Parents/Carers regarding PCR tests for primary school children.

A reminder for all parents/carers that if your child displays any symptoms of Covid-19 they will need to have a **PCR test** and a negative result before coming back into school and **not** a rapid lateral flow test.

We are guided by what Public Health tells us. Lateral Flow tests are not accurate and should not be used to test anyone who is asymptomatic but is unwell e.g. do not use if there is a high temperature, a persistent cough or loss of smell and /or taste. PCR tests must be used if any of these three symptoms are in place.

Public Health state that 'symptomatic individuals must order or book a PCR test and not use a lateral flow test. Guidance on this can be found here, Households and bubbles of pupils, students and staff of schools, nurseries and colleges: get rapid lateral flow tests - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk). If you have symptoms of COVID-19, arrange to have a PCR test if you have not already had one. Stay at home while you are waiting for a home self-sampling kit, a test site appointment or a test result. Do not use the rapid lateral flow testing service as this is only for people without symptoms.

Lateral flow testing should be used twice weekly for asymptomatic individuals but for those with one of the three main symptoms they must take a PCR test. We would advise that they remain off school until feeling better to avoid spreading any virus. In particular if this results in more children being required to isolate and seek a test.'

Warrington Borough Council website makes this clear and states; If you have any coronavirus symptoms, no matter how mild, you should not use a lateral flow test and instead self-isolate and book an NHS (PCR) test via gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test.

Pupils are not included in the rapid, regular symptom-free testing in primary school and nursery settings. Primary school aged children should only be tested if they are displaying symptoms, in which case their families should follow the guidance for households with possible or confirmed coronavirus (COVID-19) infection and book a PCR test for the child.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

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Student Recognition



One of our Y4 pupils has been helping his grandad in the St Philips school church garden making sure the flowers continue to bloom.

Thank you for looking after this special place.

EU Settlement Scheme (EUSS)

With the EU Settlement Scheme (EUSS) application deadline (30th June) fast approaching, the Home Office are reminding parents, families, young people and staff that if they are an EU, EEA or Swiss citizen, they and their family members may be eligible to apply to the Settlement Scheme.

It is crucial that eligible parents apply to the Scheme themselves and check whether they need to do so on behalf of their children. Eligible children are required to have an application in their own right and no child of any age is covered by a parent's application to the EUSS. There's [more information on this here on GOV.UK](#).

To provide additional guidance, a very clear EUSS [leaflet](#) has been produced by the University of Liverpool, in partnership with the Home Office. It has been designed with children in mind and is intended to support both children and parents with information to help them apply to the EUSS. A set of accompanying [FAQs](#) are available too.

This leaflet and other EUSS [resources](#) are available to encourage eligible parents to apply on behalf of themselves and their children. A list of organisations providing additional EUSS guidance and information is available [here](#).

Applications to the EUSS are free and can be made online at www.gov.uk/eusettlementscheme, where you can also find out more information about how to apply.

Y3 Ancient Greek Day

Year 3 had a wonderful learning experience this week immersing themselves in Ancient Greek life. The children created tiles using Greek designs and printed them in repeating patterns, they learnt about everyday life in these times, took part in Olympic events and had an Ancient Greek banquet.

They have all loved our latest topic. It has been a very exciting half term.



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Westbrook Big Party

Westbrook & Callands Communities

Invite you to Westbrook Big Party
Hosted by Gulliver's World Theme Park
Friday 18th June 5.30pm - 9pm



Official Opening by the Mayor of Warrington

Food, Drink & Licensed Bar!
A fun time for the family!

Admission
We ask for
£1.00 Donation
per Adult with
Proof of WA5
Residency

School Choir

Stage Dancing

Numbers are limited and pre-booking is essential. See details on page 2

Local Community Groups & Clubs

Come and see what's on in your area



Emergency Service Vehicles

Let the kids look inside a fire engine!



School Choirs and Stage Dancing

Westbrook & Callands



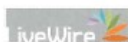
Community Orchard

Penalty Shoot Out

Face some of Cromwell Athletics Finest!

Burtonwood Heritage Centre

Over 50 Years of Aviation History



Free Selected Gulliver's World Attractions

Normal height restrictions apply

How Your Donations are used

Proceeds from the sale of tickets for this year's event will be donated to St Rocco's Hospice in recognition of the impact Covid has had on their finances. In addition, donation buckets will be available on the night if you would like to make an additional gift to this worthy cause.

In previous years, your donations have been used to finance the following community projects:

Westbrook & Callands Community Orchard

This was established in conjunction with The Land Trust & Omega Partnership in January 2018 when forty fruit trees were planted by our unpaid group of volunteers. Since then, we have installed seating benches and raised flower beds. The orchard has now become nicely established and is used as an outdoor classroom for the children of St. Philip's School. It is there for all to enjoy.

Since the introduction of raised flower beds at St. Philip's Church Gardens, our group of volunteers have helped to maintain the area. Funds have been used to introduce more plants for the beds and we'll continue to keep this area maintained for the benefit of all.

Westbrook Library Camera Group

Our Library plays a vital role within our community. In 2019 we established a Camera Group which meets fortnightly on Monday evenings at the Library. The meetings are hosted by Paul Jackson who has a wealth of photography knowledge. A projector has been purchased so that members can show their shots and discuss techniques. In this way they can learn to improve their skills whilst enjoying a fun evening. Meetings were suspended due to the pandemic but will resume later this year.

Covid Guidelines for Westbrook Big Party

It is most important everyone is kept as safe as possible by good practice sanitisation and social distancing.

So, there will be some changes from previous years, the main one being that numbers will be limited, and visitors will have to pre-book via the Gullivers online ticketing system with each adult buying a £1 ticket. Unless you have pre-booked, entry on the night will not be possible.

Please book online using the following link:

www.gulliversfun.co.uk/westbrook

The email confirmation you receive needs to be brought on the night as confirmation of booking in order to gain admission.

Receipts from these sales will go directly to Westbrook & Callands Communities to support local causes. Details appear on pages 3 & 4

Each family group should bring proof of WA5 residence on the night. This is to ensure it remains a festival for local people.

Temperature checks will take place at the admission gate

Masks are required on all rides for anyone 11 years and above.

When queuing outside the gate please respect others and maintain social distancing.

Queuing positions for attractions inside are marked with chevrons.

All rides that are open will have sanitising stations available

If you are interested in becoming involved in any of our groups, details are as follows:

Westbrook and Callands Communities



Westbrook and Callands Communities Association

Email: westcalcom@gmail.com

Westbrook and Callands Community Orchard



Friends of Westbrook Community Orchard

Email: westcalcom@gmail.com



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