

Weekly Bulletin no.6

Friday 14th October 2022



Wow this first half term has flown by and there is just one more week in school before we break up at normal time on Friday 21st October.

Please take time to look at the wonderful photos and video on our Facebook page from Joffrey, the Chainsaw bloke.

He is a truly talented individual and the children have loved watching him create wonderful sculptures for our school

Uniform Time Table



Class	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Ladybird Nursery	Uniform	Uniform	Forest School	Uniform	Uniform
Caterpillar Nursery	Uniform	Forest School	Uniform	Uniform	Uniform
Butterfly Class	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	Forest School	Uniform
Dragonfly Class	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	Forest School	Uniform
Centipede Class	PE Kit	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	Uniform
Grasshopper Class	PE Kit	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	Uniform
Bumblebee Class	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	PE Kit	Forest School
Spider Class	Uniform	PE Kit	Forest School	PE Kit	Uniform
Hedgehog Class	PE Kit	PE Kit	Uniform	Uniform	Uniform
Otter Class	Uniform	PE Kit	Forest School	PE Kit	Uniform
Rabbit Class	PE Kit	PE Kit	Uniform	Uniform	Forest School
Squirrel Class	PE Kit	Uniform	PE Kit	Forest School	Uniform
Fox Class	Uniform	Uniform	PE Kit	Forest School	PE Kit
Bear Class	Uniform	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform	PE Kit
Badger Class	PE Kit	Uniform	Uniform	PE Kit	Uniform
Owl Class	Uniform	Uniform	PE Kit	PE Kit	Forest School



Dream, Believe, Learn, Achieve

Dates for your diary...

Monday 17th October

Phonics Show for Year 2 at 2pm in KS2 hall

Tuesday 18th October

Harvest festival in KS2 hall see all different times on next page

Tuesday 18th October

Phonics Show for Year 1 at 2pm in KS2 hall

Wednesday 19th October

Phonics Show for Reception at 2pm in Reception Classrooms

Wednesday 19th October

PTA evening for Adults Only. 6pm in KS2 hall

Thursday 20th October

Free fitness class with Mrs Eaton from 9am - 9.45am in KS2 hall

Thursday 20th October

Fox Class assembly in KS2 hall 2.15pm

Friday 21st October

'Wear it Pink' day to celebrate World Breast Cancer Day



Congratulations to **SPIDER** class!
 They have been awarded 15 minutes of golden outdoor play for having the best attendance last week.

Harvest Celebration Assemblies

We are holding 3 Harvest Celebration Assemblies on **Tuesday 18th October** in the **Key Stage 2 Hall**

Year 1 & 2 classes 9:05-9:25am

Year 3 & 4 classes 9:30-9:50am

Year 5 & 6 classes 9:55-10:15am

You are really welcome to attend but we ask for a maximum of two adults per family. Owl class, Nursery and Reception will be releasing a recorded keepsake celebration for you to enjoy and share with loved ones.

If you wish to donate any tins, packets or long-life food then please send in on Monday 17th October and this will be given to The Salvation Army.



Many thanks to Joffrey for his amazing Chainsaw Carvings.



We love all the carvings of creatures!

Wear it Pink

Friday 21st
 October 2022

Breast Cancer Awareness Day

Any donations would be appreciated and can be handed to class teachers. Thank you.



School Lunches

School lunch menus can be found via our website.

Next week will be **Week 1**



Have you seen the amazing Paddington Bear?



PTA Evening Supper for Grown Ups



Would you like to be involved in the school PTA?

Would you like to help raise money to provide resources, exciting opportunities, and activities for our school?

If so, please come along to our first PTA meeting of this year at school on **Wednesday 19th October 2022** at **6pm** at the **Key Stage 2 Building** on Sandyhill Road. Please email: contact@darnhall.cheshire.sch.uk to let us know you can come! Fish and Chip supper is provided.



Flu Vaccine

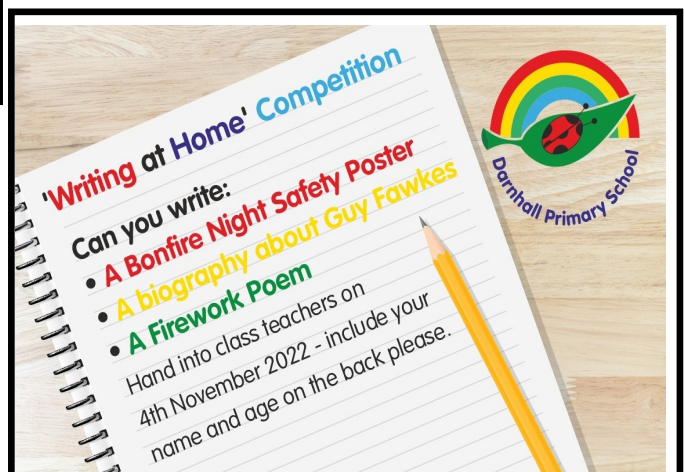
Please all see the email sent out this week about your child's flu vaccine. The Nurses will come to school on **MONDAY 21ST NOVEMBER**. Darnhall has a unique code (CP111133) that you will be prompted to input into the system. Please submit consent by **12 NOON** on **FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER**. Unless consent is given before the deadline, otherwise your child will not be called for their vaccination.

Parents/Carers Evening

for the whole school is being held on **Monday 7th and Tuesday 8th November**. Please go and book your appointments though the school website. Any issues please contact the office.

Year 6 Parents/Carers

Please remember to apply for your child's High School place, deadline is **31st October**



We're so proud a member of **Hedgehog** class was awarded 'Fundraiser of the month' from Alder Hey Children's NHS Foundation Trust. He has raised £857.67 so far and is planning to run a marathon next year.



Autumn 'Stay & Play' Sessions



Friday 21st October 2022

LADYBIRD & CATERPILLAR NURSERY CLASSES

Stay and play sessions are a really useful way of you getting to see the nursery environment and having the chance to share in your child's nursery experience. The stay and play experience is about getting involved in the session and playing alongside your child. It can be a bit daunting for young children if lots of adults just stand at the side of the classroom observing play.

Stay and play times will be **10:30am-11:15am** for AM nursery children and **2:15pm-3:00pm** for PM nursery children (parents/carers of children who stay all day can choose either session to attend).

Please note: absolutely NO mobile phones should be brought into nursery due to safeguarding.



Please let Mrs Perrin or Miss Day know if you would like to attend. Due to limited numbers we are asking for only **ONE** adult per child to attend.



Baby & Toddler Group Sessions



2:00pm - 3:00pm in **KS2 Hall**
(one adult per child)

Enjoy songs, music, movement, physical activity, dance and even some parachute games!

Session Dates

Tuesday 22nd November	Tuesday 13th December
Tuesday 29th November	Christmas Holidays
Tuesday 6th December	

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL

preference will be given to Darnhall families

- To book your place on the Baby and Toddler session, email: contact@darnhall.cheshire.sch.uk with name of adult, name of child and date of session you would like to book.
- Only 15 Places available. Bookings are on a first come, first served basis.

Story Tent sessions are FREE



Mrs Gibson's Autumn Art Competition



Submit any art of your choice that you feel represents autumn! (Paintings, leaf rubbings, sculptures, collage - anything creative and imaginative!)

Entry deadline:
Thursday 3rd November 2022

Age categories: 2-5yrs, 6-8yrs, 9-11yrs.
(Include name/age with entries and hand into class teachers)

Winners will receive an art prize and their work will be displayed in school and on the school website!



Decorate or Carve a Pumpkin Competition



Send a photo via WhatsApp to

07701 316490

(including child's name and class)

Deadline: 5pm, 31st October

Fancy Dress Halloween Discos



Monday 31st October 2022

Early Years Building

Reception Classes:

4:00-5:00pm

Year 1 & 2 Classes:

5:15-6:15pm

Key Stage 2 Building

Year 3 & 4 Classes:

4:15-5:15pm

Year 5 & 6 Classes:

5:30-6:30pm



Just £1 each pay on the door!

Due to the size of the halls and the number of children we have four sessions so it's more enjoyable for the children.

On sale on the night: snacks, drinks and glow sticks

STRICTLY NO MASKS PLEASE OR MOBILE PHONES



Roll up! Roll up!

Come along to a special

Phonics Show

to find out more from your child and the staff about how we teach phonics!

Monday 17th October at 2pm

Year 2 classes in the Key Stage 2 Hall

Tuesday 18th October at 2pm

Year 1 classes in the Key Stage 2 Hall

Wednesday 19th October at 2pm

Reception classes in their classrooms



Please come along as it's a great way to learn together!