



Saughall All Saints Primary School

Newsletter 07th March 2025

We have had a very busy first two weeks back. We celebrated World Book Day on 25th February and it was wonderful to see so many children dressed up. Thank you to all the parents/carers who have clearly worked hard in helping them.

Attendance

The class winners for the highest attendance were:

10-14th February – Miss Blythin 96.7%

24-28th February – Miss Choi and Miss Blythin 100%

Very well done!

The overall attendance for the school for this academic year is currently 95.92%, which is below our target of 96.2%

Please ensure your child/ren attends school every day, unless they are too poorly to do so. If your child is not able to attend, please ensure that you **telephone** the school office before 09:15 to advise. If you are calling before school opens, please leave a message as directed on the answer phone.

Punctuality is equally important:

Arriving 5 minutes **late** every day adds up to over 3 days lost each year = 20 lessons **missed**.

Arriving 15 **minutes late** every day adds up to 2 weeks absence a year = 55 lessons **missed**.

Arriving 25 **minutes late** every adds up to 19 days absence a year = 123 lessons **missed**

Homework

With the increase in homework that is being emailed to school, please may we remind you to clearly state which teacher it is to be sent to. If this information is not detailed, we may not be able to forward it in a timely manner. School will not be able to reply to each email.

Appointments during the school day

If your child has an appointment during the school day, school will request to see confirmation of the appointment in the form of a letter, text, card etc.

If you are collecting your child for any other circumstances, we request that they are collected between 12 and 1pm so as not to disrupt lessons. An absence request form must also be completed prior to the date.

Speed and Parking

We have had a number of residents raising concerns around the speed at which people are driving in and around school. Please be reminded that it is a 20mph zone for the safety of the whole community. When driving on to site, please keep your speed to 10mph maximum. Additionally, please be respectful to local residents when parking – do not block driveways as this is causing upset and frustration.



Thank you for your co-operation.

Non-Uniform Day - Friday 14th March

For non-uniform day, we are requesting donations of chocolate, eggs, biscuits, Easter toys and crafts etc. for school to make up Easter Hampers.



VE 80th Anniversary Celebrations Thursday 8th May

We will be celebrating the 80th VE Day anniversary in school and are asking that children come to school dressed in something red, white or blue with a donation of **80p** for school fund. There will be party food served for lunch.

Dates for your Diary

2024/2025 Term Dates

School Opens for Pupils	School closes for pupils at the end of the day
Monday 24th February 2025	Friday 4th April 2025
Wednesday 23rd April 2025	Friday 23rd May 2025
Tuesday 3rd June 2025	Tuesday 22nd July 2025

School has checked and the return date after Easter next year is Wednesday 23rd April 2025.

INSET DAYS

Monday 02nd June 2025

Wednesday 23rd July 2025

Bank Holiday 05th May 2025

Other Dates for your Diary (please also check the calendar on the website):

12/03/25 – Year 5/6 Royal Liverpool Philharmonic trip

14/03/25 – Non-uniform day for Easter Hamper donations

18/03/25 – Parents Evening – 4-7pm

20/03/25 – Parents Evening – 4-6pm

24-25/3/25 – Year 2 Tattenhall

26-28/3/25 – Year 4 PGL

03/04/25 – Easter Service Year 5 in Church 9.30 – Parents/carers welcome

08/05/25 – VE Day 80th Anniversary Celebrations

21-23/05/25 – Year 6 Conway

Cheshire **KIDS** FUN DUATHLON

SAT 10TH MAY 2025

- RUN, BIKE, RUN FUN EVENT FOR 5-16 YEAR OLDS
- ALL ABILITIES WELCOME, ENTRY FROM £18
- CYCLE & RUN COURSES ALL ON GRASS
- LARGEST KIDS DUATHLON IN THE UK
- FANTASTIC KIDS FINISHERS MEDAL

Alderford **KIDS** FUN TRIATHLON

SAT 14TH JUNE 2025

- SWIM, BIKE, RUN FUN EVENT FOR 7-16 YEAR OLDS
- ALL ABILITIES WELCOME
- FRESHWATER LAKE SWIM
- ALL WITHIN THE GROUNDS OF ALDERFORD LAKE
- FANTASTIC KIDS FINISHERS MEDAL

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 University of
Chester
Sign up by contacting
freeclasses@chester.ac.uk

Free of charge
Minimum age 18
You can join at any time

Practise Speaking, Reading, Listening & Writing in a fun environment

Starting March 25th 2025 until July 2025

2-hour classes – on Tuesdays and Thursdays; you can come either day!

Lower Classes (A2) – online

Higher Classes (B2+) – in Chester on Exton Park campus

Taught by highly-qualified teachers or trainee teachers under
close supervision



JUNIOR BAKE OFF



JOIN THE CLASS OF 2025!

JUNIOR BAKE OFF

**... IS LOOKING FOR BRILLIANT BAKERS, AGES
9-15 FOR THE NEXT NEW AND EXCITING
SERIES!**

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE
SUNDAY 23RD MARCH**

APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK



Interested bakers can apply online at - www.applyforjuniorbakeoff.co.uk

4TH-5TH
JULY 2025

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AJ & CURTIS
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TOPLOADER | DAVE PEARCE | ARTFUL DODGER

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USE CODE: SCHOOL20

**ON THE EDGE MOTORBIKES | LOCO LEO CIRCUS | AQUAPARK | PADDLESPO RTS | FUNFAIR
DOODLE ALLEY | JUNK JODIE STORYTELLING | PLUS MUCH MORE TO COME**

LUKE JERRAM

MARS

AT THE MUSEUM

FAMILY FUN!

28th JANUARY - 9th MARCH 2025

www.nortonpriory.org/mars-at-the-museum

- Clangers-inspired space garden craft workshops, Discover Sundays 2nd, 9th and 23rd February
- Juan Solo's Excellent Adventures in Space! with Ignacio Lopez, Saturday 8th February
- HALF TERM extended hours from 10am on Saturday 15th - Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th - Sunday 23rd February
- HALF TERM Space Crafts, Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th February
- "Stories from out of this World" with Rogan Mills, Wednesday 12th and 26th and Discover Sunday 23rd February
- BLAST OFF! Family Fun Day, Sunday 16th February
- Astro-NORMA and the Cosmic Piano! with Fladam Theatre, Wednesday 19th February
- Lego Rovers with the University of Liverpool, Wednesday 19th February

LUKE JERRAM **MARS** 28 JANUARY - 9 MARCH 2025

VISIT THE RED PLANET AT NORTON PRIORY

SEE WWW.NORTONPRIORY.ORG FOR MORE DETAILS

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PRIORY
MUSEUM & GARDENS

Musical Theatre Production - High School Musical AUDITIONS

As the song goes 'this could be the start of something new' We are doing our full-scale amateur production of High School Musical to be performed at the StoryHouse Theatre in August 2025.

Casting at Majestic is fair and considered. We are committed to equal opportunities for everyone irrespective of sex, race, sexual orientation, gender, disability, marital status, religion or any other criteria not related to skills or abilities.

Everyone is 100% welcome to audition.

We always ensure that everyone is given a fair and equal chance.

Rehearsals will generally be held Saturdays (between 1:30pm-4:00pm and some Tuesdays) at Majestic Academy of Performing Arts in Chester, Occasional Tuesdays will be for adults only. Please note younger cast and adult cast will be training together on Saturdays as we want to include all and for all to learn the songs and dance choreography and get the full experience. Tuesdays will be adults only. **Now 'let's get our head in the game' and do something with a difference.**

It is vital that you are available for training/rehearsals. If you have any prior commitments or clashes you **must** declare this on your registration form.

Please click on the google link to register prior to coming too your audition.

<https://forms.gle/8fJ7dcNcmsyjEYkA9>

Monologues are available, please note it doesn't matter which monologue you choose, you will be considered for all roles, including ensemble.

Song choices: When choosing a song for a musical audition, consider your vocal range, the character you want to portray, and the style of the musical you're auditioning for; some popular choices below all of which offer strong emotional depth and showcase vocal ability's please note you can also choose a song from High School Musical. (35-40 seconds of the song choice only)

Start of Something New

On My Own" from Les Miserables

Defying Gravity" from Wicked

I Dreamed a Dream" from Les Miserables

Don't Rain on My Parade" from Funny Girl

For Good" from Wicked

Audition dates:

(Only required one date - options given)

8th March @4pm

15th March @4pm

22nd March @4pm

If there are any questions or clarifications needed, please send a message to info@majesticacademyofperformingarts.co.uk and we will reply at our earliest convenience.

Thank you for taking an interest in this production.

Good luck!

Joanne Saunders
Principal & Producer