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Online Safety

According to Ofcom's most recent research, a significant proportion of children are already online by the time they start school, with 17% of 5-year-olds owning their own mobile phone and 50% using messaging platforms. It is essential that trusted adults recognise both the benefits and the risks of infants and toddlers going online.

[In this guide](#), you'll find tips such as how to manage screen time, block in-app purchases and use devices together.

Golden Table Awards

F2 - Charlie Sell

Year 1 – Charlotte Ellison

Year 2 – Marcus Gray

Year 3 – Adam Peers

Year 4 – Isabelle Edwards



Year 5 – Noah Hewitt

Year 6 – Florence Cookson

Stars of the Week

Pre School - *Not taking part yet*

F2 - Sofia Johnson

Year 1 - Elliot Stronghill

Year 2 - Hugo Burke

Year 3 - Nathaniel Atkinson

Year 4 - Xavi Thind

Year 5 - Evelyn-Grace Furlong

Year 6 - Zara Forsyth



School Values and Growth Mindset Awards

Pre School - *Not taking part yet*

F2 - Oliver Barwise

Year 1 - Ophelia Clarke

Year 2 - Douglas Ferrey

Year 3 - Charles Robinson

Year 4 - Annabelle Phillips

Year 5 - George Dowd

Year 6 - Joshua Walker



Attendance



Good attendance at school is very important. If you are not here, you can't learn! We always aim to have an attendance percentage of 100%!

The table below shows you the attendance percentage this week:

F2	100
Year 1	98
Year 2	98.3
Year 3	91.3
Year 4	97.9
Year 5	93.4
Year 6	94.2
Whole School	96.1

Next School Week

Monday 30th October

- School re-opens 8.40am

Friday 3rd November

- Celebration assembly - 2:35 pm
Parents of children who have been notified that they are receiving awards are invited to attend

BPS Vision Statement

'Inspiring, engaging and nurturing our children to achieve and flourish as citizens of today and the future.'

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Welcome Back, Mrs Neal!

We are delighted to welcome back Mrs Neal on Monday 30th October following her maternity leave. Mrs Neal will resume her responsibilities as Year 3 class teacher (alongside Mrs Goodchild and Miss Cook) and school SENCo (Special Educational Needs Co-Ordinator).



For those of you who don't already know Mrs Neal, you can make contact with her regarding any questions you may have relating to SEN via the SENCo email address (senco@brookdale.wirral.sch.uk).

You can also find out more about SEN provision at Brookdale on our school website here:

<https://www.brookdaleprimaryschool.co.uk/page/send/54298>

Football Team

Our Year 6 football team had a stellar evening on Tuesday, winning the first stage of the Tranmere Rovers Football Tournament, winning all three of their games: 2-0, 2-0, 1-0! The team will now go through to the finals night on 7th November. They played amazingly well and did Brookdale proud as always! Well done, *#TeamBrookdale*.

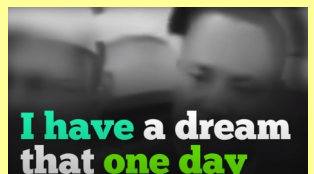


Black History Month

We celebrated Black History Month in assembly on Tuesday and have followed this up with work in our classes. We listened to this story and thought about the content of Dr Martin Luther King's speech and how it brought hope to the crowds. You can watch the story and the speech and home by clicking on the images below:



click for story



click for speech

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F2 & Year 1 Welly Walk

Our Year 1 and F2 children enjoyed a wellie walk around the local area on Wednesday afternoon. The Year 1 family were superstars in looking after their F2 buddies. Thank you to all those grown ups who generously gave their time to accompany the group.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Pop me on your notice board or fridge to remind you what's on this Christmas!

Saturday 4th November Greasby Farmers Market @ Greasby Community Centre 9am -12pm

Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th November Bellway Children's Bauble Painting Parties 1pm - 5pm*

Saturday 11th November Macrame Angels Making 6-9pm*

Sunday 19th November 3-6pm

Storytime with Father Christmas *

Festive Lantern Parade & **THE BIG SWITCH ON**

Saturday 25th November Macrame Angel Making 6-9pm*

Thursday 30th November Adult Bauble Painting 8-10pm*

Saturday 2nd December Greasby Farmers Market @ Greasby Community Centre 9am -12pm

Saturday 9th December Adult Bauble Painting* & Macrame Angel Making* 6-9pm

*These sessions need to be booked in advance lightupgreasby@gmail.com



LIGHT UP GREASBY

We are back for 2023 even bigger and better than before!

Help support your local community and make Greasby sparkle this Christmas!

WE CANT DO IT WITHOUT YOUR HELP

All funds for the Greasby Christmas Lights are raised through generous donations from our local community. If you would like to support us this year, you can do so:

ONLINE

www.justgiving.com/campaign/lightupgreasby2023

CASH Donations can be made at Jones & Chapman & by **CARD** at Greasby Farmers Markets



Scan our QR code with your smartphone camera to donate now!



GET INVOLVED!

Make sure to take part in one of our fab activities

Keep your eye out for our grown up sessions!

Bellway

BAUBLE PAINTING PARTIES

SATURDAY 4TH & SUNDAY 5TH NOVEMBER @ GREASBY METHODIST CHURCH

CHECK OUT FACEBOOK OR INSTAGRAM FOR MORE INFO

LANTERN MAKING KITS

GET READY FOR OUR FESTIVE LIGHT PARADE!

CRAFT KITS AVAILABLE AT **BEAUTIFUL CARDS & GIFTS** & **HEIFLOWERS**

@ AT GREASBY FARMERS MARKET, GREASBY COMMUNITY CENTRE ON NOVEMBER 4TH 9AM-12PM

£5

E-mail lightupgreasby@gmail.com or call 07943 509640 to book your place

Macrame Angel

Greasby Community Centre

Saturdays 11th, 25th November & 9th December 6-9pm

£15

Make & Take Home

Tuition & materials provided

STORY TIME WITH FATHER CHRISTMAS AT **THE MANOR**

SOLD OUT

Three sessions available from 3pm, to book check our socials for more info.

THE BIG SWITCH ON 2023

Sunday 19th November 3-6pm

Here's what's in store in and around Greasby Community Centre!

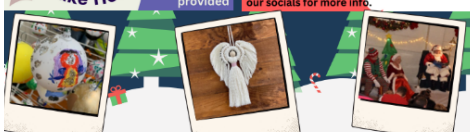
- Christmas Market with Celestial Events
- Story Time with Father Christmas @ The Manor
- Live Music & Entertainment
- The BIG SWITCH ON RAFFLE!
- Refreshments from Chip'd, North Shore Shack & Cloud Coffee
- Fair rides from Sharlands Amusements

KEY TIMES

5pm - Festive Lantern Parade (starting at Old Pump Lane)

5.30pm - THE BIG SWITCH ON

THANK YOU to everyone who has helped make this possible



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Play Soccer ⚽ Learn Soccer ⚽ Love Soccer

SOCCKER@SCHOOL

October Half-Term

Soccer School
@ Co-Op Bebington High
School
Monday 23rd October
till
Thursday 26th October

Girls Only 1 Day

Soccer School

Soccer School
@ Co-Op Bebington High
School
Friday 27th October

- ⚽ 4 Day course from 9am till 3pm
- ⚽ £80 per course or £20 per individual day
- ⚽ Open to Boys and Girls aged 4-14 years

- ⚽ 1 Day Girls Only course from 9am till 3pm
- ⚽ £20 per player
- ⚽ Open to Girls aged 4-14 years

Book online

www.soccerschoolwirral.co.uk

Play Sport 🏀 Learn Sport 🏀 Love Sport

SPORT@SCHOOL

October Half-Term

Multi-Sport Course

@ Co-Op Bebington High
School
Tuesday 24th October
till
Thursday 26th October

- 🏀 3 Day course from 9am till 3pm
- 🏀 £60 per course or £20 per individual day
- 🏀 Open to Boys and Girls aged 4-14 years

🏀 Multi-Sport Course will consist of a rotation of sporting activities, for those who want activity and variety!
Try as many different Sports including dodgeball, tennis, hockey, cricket, tag rugby, netball, rounders, badminton, basketball and more! 🏀🏏🏐🏑

Course will be led by Miss Gerrard, a qualified teacher.
The aim of the course is to try a range of sporting activities,
have fun and meet new friends!!

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flu: 5 reasons to vaccinate your child

- 1. Protect your child.** The vaccine will help protect your child against flu and serious complications such as bronchitis and pneumonia.
- 2. Protect you, your family and friends.** Vaccinating your child will help protect more vulnerable family and friends.
- 3. No injection needed.** The nasal spray is painless and easy to have.
- 4. It's better than having flu.** The nasal spray helps protect against flu, has been given to millions of children worldwide and has an excellent safety record.
- 5. Avoid costs.** If your child gets flu, you may have to take time off work or arrange alternative childcare.

What should I do?
Contact your GP if your child is aged two or three years old and you haven't heard from their GP by early November. If your child is at primary school and is eligible, the school will send you a consent form. Please sign and return it. If your child has a health condition that puts them at greater risk from flu, they are also eligible for the flu vaccine.

For more information visit www.nhs.uk/child-flu

STAY WELL THIS WINTER

Flu Vaccinations

For children of statutory school age (F2 to Year 6), vaccinations will be administered at school on **14th November 2023**. In order for your child to receive their vaccination, you will need to complete the online consent form (one for each child) using the link below:

<https://www.wchcimms.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

Our school code is WC105028

Further information about the vaccination process has been sent to parents via School Spider this week. Your child will not be vaccinated if you do not complete a consent form.

Eat DRINK AND Be SCARY

PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE OCTOBER HALF TERM 2023

moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

<p>MORRISONS Spend £4.49 and get one free kids meal all day, every day.</p> <p>M&S CAFES Spend £5 & get one free kid's meal Mon - Fri during the Oct Half term (various dates)</p> <p>SAINSBURYS CAFES Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.</p> <p>ASDA Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.</p> <p>BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!</p> <p>THE REAL GREEK Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult</p> <p>TRAVELEDGE & PREMIER INN Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free</p> <p>SIZZLING PUBS Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.</p> <p>TGI FRIDAYS Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase any adult meal (Via App)</p> <p>PRETO Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms</p>	<p>YO! SUSHI From Monday 16th October - Friday 27th 2023 kids eat free with every £10 adult spend</p> <p>GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants</p> <p>BILLS 2 kids eat FREE Monday - Friday from Monday 23rd October - Friday 3rd November 2023</p> <p>BELLA ITALIA Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.</p> <p>WHITBREAD INNS Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased</p> <p>TABLE TABLE Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!</p> <p>PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm</p> <p>IKEA Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am</p> <p>HUNGRY HORSE Kids eat for £1 on Mondays</p> <p>FUTURE INNS Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.</p>
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Lunchtime Menu for Week Beginning Monday 30th October

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Hot Option Hot Dogs Either pork or Quorn sausage served in a finger roll with potato wedges and peas.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Filling Or</p> <p>Del. Option Design your own to include wrap, bapin or sliced bread filled with your selection from ham, turkey, tuna, egg, or cheese plus a choice of salad.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Dessert Raspberry & Vanilla Arctic Roll Or Fresh fruit, yogurt or cheese & crackers</p> <p>And</p> <p>A Drink Blackcurrant or orange juice, milk or water</p>	<p>Hot Option Chicken Goujons Strips of breaded chicken or Quorn goujons served with rice and sweetcorn.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Filling Or</p> <p>Del. Option Design your own to include wrap, bapin or sliced bread filled with your selection from ham, turkey, tuna, egg, or cheese plus a choice of salad.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Dessert Flapjacks Or Fresh fruit, yogurt or cheese & crackers</p> <p>And</p> <p>A Drink Blackcurrant or orange juice, milk or water</p>	<p>Hot Option Chilli Con Carne Choose either beef or Quorn chilli served with rice, nachos and broccoli.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Filling Or</p> <p>Del. Option Design your own to include wrap, bapin or sliced bread filled with your selection from ham, turkey, tuna, egg, or cheese plus a choice of salad.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Dessert Iced Chocolate Cake Or Fresh fruit, yogurt or cheese & crackers</p> <p>And</p> <p>A Drink Blackcurrant or orange juice, milk or water</p>	<p>Hot Option Roast Grouse Dinner Or</p> <p>Quorn Dinner Or</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Filling Or</p> <p>Del. Option Design your own to include wrap, bapin or sliced bread filled with your selection from ham, turkey, tuna, egg, or cheese plus a choice of salad.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Dessert Shortbread Or Fresh fruit, yogurt or cheese & crackers</p> <p>And</p> <p>A Drink Blackcurrant or orange juice, milk or water</p>	<p>Hot Option Fish Fingers Salmon Fillet or Vegetable Nuggets served with chips, peas, or baked beans.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Filling Or</p> <p>Del. Option Design your own to include wrap, bapin or sliced bread filled with your selection from ham, turkey, tuna, egg, or cheese plus a choice of salad.</p> <p>And</p> <p>Dessert Vanilla Cookies Or Fresh fruit, yogurt or cheese & crackers</p> <p>And</p> <p>A Drink Blackcurrant or orange juice, milk or water</p>

[Click here to go to our website for the full 3-week menu](#)