



# Rushton CE (VC) Primary School

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**Weekly Newsletter 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019**

## Standon Bowers

The Year 4 children have just spent the last three days on a residential trip to Standon Bowers. They have enjoyed lots of exciting outdoor activities and faced some new challenges. Some children have made new friends and may meet up again at their new schools in September. Miss Mellor and Mrs Cockersole joined the children on their trip and wish to congratulate the children on their good behaviour and enthusiasm. We hope you all enjoy the extended weekend bank holiday and sleep well tonight!





## Time to tell the time

There are quite a number of children (aged 6 onwards) who are struggling to recognise the time using digital and/ or analogue clocks. Please can you support us in helping children to learn how to tell the time by practicing at home throughout the day.

## Sports Club

New for the summer term, is a before school sports club. This is a free of charge activity open to all children. The sports club starts at 08.00; children taking part should come to school in their PE kit ready for the activities and bring a change of school uniform with them for afterwards. On Tuesday lunchtimes, a sports club is also available for the children to play competitive sports. No PE kits are necessary due to time restraints.



## Orchestra



On Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May, the Congleton Youth Orchestra will be visiting. The youth orchestra will play a selection of musical instruments giving us a taster session and some inspiration to perhaps join. The Youth Orchestra is a registered Charity and most people involved are volunteers, it is for this reason that they offer music tuition which is incredibly good value.

## Soccer Lions.

There will be no soccer lions next Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May.

## Golden Mile baseline

On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May, the children in Reception to Year 4 will be taking part in a baseline assessment. The assessment will measure the children's fitness levels as they run around the mile a day track. We will then track their fitness levels over the term to see if their speed and stamina improves the more they use the track.

## PTA News

The spring sponsored walk will not go ahead as planned on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May as not sufficient numbers of people can take part. This will be discussed at the next PTA meeting on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 8.15pm at The Royal Oak, Rushton. Please come along if you can.

### Reminders

- **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May SCHOOL CLOSED FOR BANK HOLIDAY**
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> - Celebration Assembly/Reception children PE session/ Lunch time sports club/Taekwondo after school club 3 - 4.30pm
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> - Football Training 3 - 4.30pm **NO SOCCER LIONS**
- Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> - Before school sport club 8.00-8.30/ Dance after school club 3-4.30
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> - Bags2school
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June - Picnic and Sports Day - weather permitting!
- Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July - Summer Fair

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