



Weekly Newsletter



Belonging

Our children worked really hard last week to produce some stunning work for our new look entrance hall as part of their 'back to school' art project. Using the theme of belonging, which also happens to be one of the Sir John Brunner Foundations core values, we have re-furnished our entrance and library area. We are delighted with the colourful and welcoming area that guests to school see upon their arrival. Our children will also enjoy spending time working in the library over the coming months. Thank you also to our staff who worked on creating this space.

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Class Welcome Meetings

Thank you to those parents who were able to come and meet your child's new class teachers on Wednesday evening. We hope you gained some valuable insight into what their new year groups will be like this year. If you were unable to attend, the PowerPoint slides used will be on the class pages of the website for you to refer to.



Our ROCK values are Respect, Ownership, Caring and Kindness



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Seesaw and Homework

This week, your child will receive homework for the first time this academic year. You will need to set your child up on the Seesaw App to view the homework. Homework is set via Seesaw each week. It is also a fantastic insight into what happens in the classroom. Photographs and information will be uploaded to Seesaw regularly and this is also how you will be able to see photos of the children when they are on class visits / residential. You will have received your login codes at the Class Welcome Meetings and/or you can find them in the front or back of the children's homework book. Please email admin with reference to your class teacher and they will be in touch if you have any problems with this login process .

End of Day Request

May we ask you and your family to vacate school property as soon as possible after the school day? Club Rock use the playground after school so the playground needs to be clear before they can start to play outside. This is part of our safeguarding procedures. We also request that the fitness equipment on the edge of the school field is not accessed after school as we need the playground to be vacated. Additionally, Miss Kennedy requests that families of Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 stand behind or near their allocated cone to support school staff in returning children safely and swiftly to their families at the end of the day.



Coffee Morning for EYFS and New Parents

Just a reminder that we will be welcoming new parents and parents of EYFS into school for our Welcome to School coffee morning on Wednesday 16th September between 9am and 10 am. We look forward to seeing you then and with any luck at all there will be some of Mark's delicious bakes.

Birthday Treats

We understand that some families like to send in a sweet treat for each class member (e.g. packs of Haribos) when it is your child's birthday. We want to continue handing these out on behalf of families at the end of the school day. However, taking account of Benedict's Law, we ask that they are always packaged sweets and children must not open and eat them until they are with parents/ carers. No nuts please.



Fruit Breaks

Our afternoon breaks are a short reset time for our children. We ask that if you provide a snack, please ensure it is simply a fruit/veg option in the afternoon. Please save sweet treats and crisps etc for after school. We are really keen to be encouraging healthy choices, particularly within the school day. Many thanks for your support with this.



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Donations of Materials

Over the summer holidays, we were fortunate to acquire a number of large tractor tyres. These are now situated in our wild area and will be a valuable play resource. However, we are now looking for any donations to potentially fill the tyres. We are looking for donations of pool/pond liner, top soil and/or sand, buckets and spades. If you can help us out, please do get in touch via admin@sandiway.cheshire.sch.uk

News of the Week

In the news this week

Between 2nd and 6th September, more than 100 of the world's best cyclists competed in the Tour of Britain Men. The five-day race began in Lincoln and travelled through Lincolnshire and Yorkshire, before finishing in the Scottish Borders on 6th September. In the men's event, the cyclists cover nearly 900 kilometres, tackling steep hills and challenging conditions along the way. Thousands have been gathering along the route to watch and cheer the riders on.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Can you think of a time when something felt difficult, but you kept going?
- What helped you to persevere?
- Who encourages you when you face a challenge?
- When might taking a break or asking for help be the best next step?



Hot Chocolate Friday

Well done to all our children who all won Headteachers Award on Friday 4th September for showing Kindness.



Year 1—Violet & George
 Year 2—Mia
 Year 3—All Class, Arizona
 year 4—Daisy & Arty
 Year 5—Mina
 Year 6—Thomas
 Office—Raf
 Club - Poppy



Attendance

Weekly attendance

w/c 31. 08. 26

Year Rec	100%
Year 1	97.22%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	93.75%
Year 4	98.81%
Year 5	97.85%
Year 6	98.77%