





Finham Park Multi Academy Trust Delivering a World Class Education



WEEKLY REPORT FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear Parents & Carers,



On Monday I shared the exciting news that the Finham Park Multi Academy Trust has been approved as an ASPnet school (Associated Schools Network) through UNESCO (United Nations Education, Scientific & Cultural Organisation) the first MAT in the UK to obtain this award. <u>You can learn more about UNESCO, aspnet by clicking this link.</u>

I am very proud of the inclusive culture we have created and continue to develop in our school. The staff strive each and every day to provide the best for each child in each moment. Together we can build an outstanding school.

We have enjoyed some very creative learning this week from 3 Little Ducks, 10 In A Bed and The Three Little Pigs in Nursery & Reception. Math in Year 3 and super creative writing in Year 2. Enjoy reading the newsletter this week!

Please continue to use ParentPay to order your chid(ren)'s lunches and report your child's absence from school everyday via Study Bugs.

The Study Bugs Banner pops up on the right hand corner of the school website and registration is very easy.

Enjoy your weekend.

Best wishes,

Mrs Wallace Head Teacher





IT'S EXCITING TO NOTICE AND CELEBRATE



Congratulations to Peake class who achieved the highest attendance in Key Stage 1 this week **95.4%**



Congratulations to Hopper Class who achieved the highest attendance in Key Stage 2 this week **97.2%**

Overall school attendance this week is below our target of 95%. Total school attendance was **<u>92.4%</u>**

NURSERY 2 YEAR OLDS

In Mother Teresa the rhyme of the week has been '3 Little Ducks'. The children have been singing the rhyme whilst exploring water play, promoting counting to three in correct order and understanding what happens when we take a duck away. We have also explored different materials to create a duck picture.



NURSERY 3 YEAR OLDS

This week our story has been 10 in a bed. We have been counting up to 10. We have been doing this using counting objects such as lollipop sticks in the sand also play dough. We have enjoyed building and climbing outdoors. We have also been doing lots of name writing.



RECEPTION - BEVAN

This week Reception have continued their work on the story The Three Little Pigs. They have made story maps and practised retelling the story.



YEAR ONE - DARWIN

Darwin have been working hard with Mr Finley improving their fundamental skills. They have really made huge improvements since Christmas.







YEAR TWO - PEAKE

Year 2 have started to write their own stories this week. They have worked really hard to learn how to edit and improve their writing.

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YEAR THREE DREW

Drew class have a had another very busy week. We have finished off our maths unit, multiplication and division. The children have been learning how to multiply with column multiplication method and divide using the bus-stop method. We finished off the unit with some correspondence exercises. Well done Year 3!



YEAR FOUR - HOPPER

In this lesson, pupils in year 4 worked with count-controlled loops in a range of contexts. First, they thought about a real-life example, then moved on to using count-controlled loops in regular 2D shapes. We traced code to predict which shapes will be drawn and modified existing code by changing values within the code snippet.















King Class had the annual year 5 Stargazers Sleepover last week. The children arrived back in school at 7pm for an evening of stargazing (100% cloud cover), a mobile planetarium, a fire pit with roasted marshmallows, hot dogs, hot chocolate and an early night ... It was a fun evening with all the children learning a lot about the Solar System. Despite heavy cloud cover all night, we did finally get to see the moon in the morning.



YEAR SIX - FITZGERALD

This week, the children in Fitzgerald have been discussing the purpose and bigger picture of school/further education and its possible impacts on their futures. After matching the children's current interests with a range of potential career choices, they were then lucky enough to interview Mrs Wallace's son about his current experiences at University. Student discount cards and cheaper food - here we come!























You are invited to Live Life Love Life LOL **Live Out Loud**

> Sunday 4th Feb from 11am - 1.30pm

Lillington Community Centre (Access from Valley Road Behind the Library)

FREE Refreshments Family and Dinner included

Crafts Games Quizzes Puppets

Fun -



Have Fun

ALL AGES WELCOME

Hosted by Crown Community Church Also meeting every Sunday 10.30am with breakfast





Learn to cycle as a family

12th February All

Sessions are FREE

Bikeability Family Course 1: Monday 12th February 9am-12pm Course 2: Monday 12th February 12pm-3pm

6 riders Tailored to YOUR family

Maximum

Email pdm@nwschoolsport.org.uk to book your FREE place! Or call 07967751785 for more information.

Venue: Cubbington Primary School CV327JY **Places are limited**





Preparing for school

Is your child over three years of age?

Warwickshire Health Visiting service are offering informative online group sessions to help prepare you and your child for starting school.

For more information and to book a session please scan the QR Code



VARWICKSHIRE

Or Visit http://tinyurl.com/5n6kdehp Or Ring: 01926 567141





Please see attached the email the Brunswick Hub Newsletter, also via the following link:

First Newsletter of 2024 – Brunswick Hub (brunswickhlc.org.uk)

You can also see details of new services and updates of existing services on their FB Page:

www.facebook.com/Brunswickhlc or https://brunswickhlc.org.uk







Half Term at Market Hall Museum, Warwick We are leaping back to Tudor times at Market Hall Museum, dress up, make Tudor crafts, learn how to juggle and party like it's 1559!

Arty Tots in the Museum – Dress like a Tudor King and Queen Tuesday 13th February, 10am - 1pm Let's go back in time to the days of old and dress like Tudor royalty. Create a design for your shield, a crown that will shine and jewellery that will sparkle. Suitable for under 5's. £3 per child. No need to book just drop in.

Party like it's 1559! Wednesday 14th February, 10am – 2.30pm Find out how Tudor Lords and Ladies celebrated with huge feasts and the entertainment they had. Learn the rules of some Tudor games, make decorations for elaborate pies and try on replica Tudor clothes. Join us for a beginner's juggling workshop to see if you could entertain the Tudor Lords and Ladies. £5 per child, includes a 30 minute juggling workshop, pre booking required at www.warwickshire.gov.uk/heritageboxoffice £3 per child, to drop in (does not included juggling workshop) Juggle workshops at 10.20am, 11am, 11.40am, 12.45pm and 1.30pm

The details are also on our website. <u>https://heritage.warwickshire.gov.uk/whats</u>







Join us for a FREE Family Cooking session at Lillington Children and Family Centre! Tuesday 13th February, 2-3.30pm Learn and share new skills with your children and make some delicious Pancakes with fruit fillings! All ingredients provided

Suitable for families with children age 5-11yrs To book your place on Eventbrite https://warwickdistrictcfc.eventbrite.com or scan the QR code.



Children and Fan

Centre

3 Mason Avenue Lillington

CV32 7QE

01926 887597 (option 1





Please book one ticket for every person attending.

Believe in children Barnardo's



The Health & Wellbeing team will be hosting a drop in session every Wednesday afternoon for those that would like their help & support.

1 - 3PM

They can offer advice and help with a variety of matters including:

- + Wellbeing support + Benefit checks
- + Filling in forms + Housing issues
 - + Foodbank & related resources

Starts Wednesday 10th January 2024

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL 01926 422123



98-100 Shrubland Street. Leamington Spa, CV31 3BD Let your children know we are the good guys and will protect them.

Don't make your children scared of the police

The police

will keep

you safe

BOLICE Warwickshire

Please don't tell your children that the police will 'lock them up' or 'catch you if you are naughty'. We want children to come to us if they are scared, lost or in danger, not run away from us.

POLICE

If you are in trouble, lost or scared, the police can help. We're here to catch the baddies and to protect you. Please don't be scared of us. If you see us in the street give us a wave.

www.warwickshire.police.uk 🚯 warwickshirepolice 😢 @warkspolice 🔞 @warwickshirepolice





Coventry and Warwickshire Youth Orchestra's next family friendly concert is "Collaboration Concert" and is held on Sunday 11th Feb at 7.30 pm in Stratford Play House.

We are happy to announce that this time we will hold our concert with our music partnership LSOM from Ireland.

Tickets can be purchased from the link below. Tickets cost £5.00 . A limited number of tickets will be available on the door.

https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/stratfordplayhouse 2/collaboration-concert/2024-02-12/19:30/t-gaezn















Calling all active 4 to 12 Year Olds!

Monday 12th to Thursday 15th February 2024 ! 9 am to 4pm each day! At Central Ajax Football Club, Warwick, CV35 8HA.



Choose from our range of camps including:







Please find below the Parenting Project February Newsletter:

https://mailchi.mp/add52ed90a7a/parentingprojectfebruary-2024-newsletter-13573044

Kingsway Children & Family Centre, Baker Avenue, Leamington Spa CV31 3HB, Telephone : 01926 336793 <u>www.barnardos.org.uk</u>

Follow us on Facebook at: https://en-gb.facebook.com/warwickchildrenscentres/

Follow us on Instagram at: https://www.instagram.com/warwickcfc/

To register with the Children and Family Centres please click here











Please find below the link to an Early Years practitioner 21.5 hours post.

Barnardos | Careers

Closing date: 25.02.24

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CHILDREN AND FAMILY CENTRES

A coordination of services for children and families 0-19 and upto 25 with SEND.





Job Opportunity at SYDNI



The SYDNI Centre is a community centre in the heart of the Sydenham estate in Learnington Spa.

We are a registered charity which is needs led, provides a wide range of services and activities for the local community and beyond. We work collaboratively with a wide range of partner organisations, external organisations, and community volunteers to support people to gain confidence and improve their economic, social / cultural, health and wellbeing outcomes.

We have a vacancy for a **Finance Administrator** which is for 15 hours a week. SYDNI's Finance Administrator will play a key role in the operation of the charity and its projects. The Finance Administrator will maintain accurate day to day financial records for the SYDNI Centre activities and services and work closely with the Centre Manager.

Contract: The role is externally funded and will be for an initial 12 months on a fixed term contract. The post will require an Enhanced DBS Check.

Salary Details: £25,350.00 FTE which equates to £10,140.00 per annum pro rata for 15 hours.

Closing date for Applications is Monday 19 February 2024 at 1700.

Holiday Entitlement (pro-rata): 20 days annual leave plus 8 bank holidays per year (this is incremental depending on length of service).

Experience: The successful candidate must demonstrate a keen interest to work within a community environment. It is essential to have a working knowledge of accounting systems. You must have excellent people skills, be approachable, motivated and a sense of humour.

For more details and an application form, please contact Helen Jones, Centre Manager, The SYDNI Centre, Cottage Square, Sydenham, Learnington Spa CV31 1PT. Tel: 01926 422071.





Volunteer Fundraising Researcher - Role Description

The Parenting Project

We provide parents, young people and family's vital mental health support at a time when it is most needed. We have developed a Family Wellbeing Pathway, through which we deliver 1-1 counselling, Family Support, Group Work and Parent Mentoring.

Our strategy is to increase income and awareness of the charity; ensuring professionals and families are aware of our services and referral routes and also to increase income to the charity through corporate funding, new funding opportunities, social media campaigns, and events.

Do you have great research and communication skills?

Overview of the role:

The role would suit a person looking to gain experience in fundraising and research in the not-for profit sector, and/or someone seeking work experience before returning to work after a career break, you would be supported by and report to the Parenting Project Development Manager.

We can tailor the role to your own interests but here are some things you could be involved in:

- Varied and interesting aspects of fundraising and research ٠
- Development of consultation / surveys and focus groups ٠
- Researching to identify businesses and groups who may support the Parenting Project and set up initial meetings
- Identifying potential new supporters, donors and benefactors
- Setting up talks with local community groups, who could raise money for the Parenting Project
- Research Charity of the Year partnership opportunities with businesses and companies

Time Commitment:

Porentin9 Project The role is very flexible, time commitment of approximately one day per week, hybrid, volunteering from home or in our Office base in Kenilworth.

Agreed volunteer expenses are paid for.

Requirements:

Strong organisational skills

Previous experience of research

- Good IT skills
- A confident communicator
- Experience working within the voluntary sector

Interested? Please contact The Parenting Project via: headoffice@parentingproject.org.uk Closing date 29th February 2024





Marketing Volunteer - Role Description

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Overview of the role:

The role would suit a person looking to gain experience in marketing in the not-for profit sector, and/or someone seeking work experience before returning to work after a career break.

The role would provide opportunities to get involved in varied and interesting aspects of marketing and promotion of the charity, including campaigns, website administration, stakeholder relation management, event planning and social media management working with and reporting into the Parenting Project Development Manager.

Time Commitment:

Approximately one day per week, hybrid, volunteering from home or in our Office base in Kenilworth

Agreed volunteer expenses paid.

Requirements:

- Marketing experience, both online and offline
- Good IT skills
- A confident communicator
- Familiarity with social media platforms
- Experience working within the voluntary sector

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Closing date 29th February 2024



School menu Week commencing Monday 5th February 2024

Vegetable accompaniments change to reflect seasonal availability

MENU – WEEK 1

the content of dishes and products on our menu

Educaterers - Please click here to see your school menu

CHOICE/JKT/COLD A vegan meal is available on request on days when (vg) is not shown as a choice on the menu. educaterers October 23 Weekly Menu STORY All our fish is natural whole fillet and although great care has been taken to remove all bones, some may remain. Week one Week three Week two Warwickshire, Coventry06/11, 27/11, 18/12, 22/01, 04/03 Warwickshire, Coventry: 20/11, 11/12, 15.01, 05/02, 26/02, 18/03 Warwickshire, Coventry: 13/11, 04/12, 08/01, 29/01, 19/02, 11/03 Oxfordshire: 06/11, 27/11, 18/12, 22/01, 04/03, 25/03 Oxfordshire: 13/11, 04/12, 08/01, 29/01, 19/02, 11/03 Oxfordshire : 30/10, 20/11, 11/12, 15/01, 05/02, 26/02, 18/03 Leicestershire: 30/10, 20/11, 11/12, 15/01, 05/02, 26/02, 18/03 Leicestershire: 06/11, 27/11, 18/12, 22/01, 12/02, 04/03 Leicestershire: 23/10, 13/11, 04/12, 08/01, 29/01, 11/03 Choose a main meal. hoose a main meal. Choose a main meal. MONDAY MONDAY MONDAY (h)Chicken Biryani with vegetables (su) tish Pork Sausages with Gravy & (vg) Veggie Sausage with Gravy & ashed Potatoes (G.SU) Mashed Potatoes On the side ... (v) Cheese and Tomato Pizza Wedge On the side.. On the side ... Fresh Salad Ba Fresh Salad Bar with Potato Wedges (D.G) Fresh Salad Bar (v,h) Cheese and Baked Bean Pasty (v,h) Mac 'n' cheese with Freshly Vegetables of the Day Vegetables of the Day Vegetables of the Day with Diced Potatoes (G.D) Baked Wholegrain Baguette (D.G) Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). For dessert. For dessert. Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). For dessert. Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). (v) Homemade Chocolate Cracknel (G) (vg) Homemade Flapjack (v) Homemade Jammy Cookie (G) Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (v) Cheddar Cheese Bap (G.D) Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit with Fresh Fruit Wedges (G) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit v) Cheddar Cheese Bap (G.D) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit (v) Cheddar Cheese Bap (G.D) Choose a main meal... TUESDAY TUESDAY TUESDAY Choose a main meal... choose a main meal. (h) British Beef Bolognaise with Garlic (h) Minced Beef Burrito with Herby Diced h) Chicken & Sweetcorn Pasta Bake On the side ... Bread (G/ cheese D) Potatoes - mildly spiced minced beef, salad and with Garlic Bread (G.D) On the side. On the side. Fresh Salad Bar grated cheese in a wrap (D.G) Fresh Salad Bar (vg) Veggie Plant burger in a High Fresh Salad Bar Vegetables of the Day (v) Plantball Melt with Potato (vg) Breaded Vegetable Fingers Vegetables of the Day Fibre Bun with Diced Potatoes (G) Vegetables of the Day Wedges- plantballs in a finger roll topped with Herby Diced Potatoes (G) with rustic tomato sauce and grated cheese For dessert For dessert. Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), For dessert. (G.D) Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). (v) Strawberry Mousse with Fruit (D) Jelly with fault Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (v) Homemade Toffee Apple Sponge Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans with Custard (D.G.E) (v) Homemade Crunch Cookie (G) Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), (v) Ginger Cookie (G) Tuna Mayonnaise Bap (F.E.G) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Fresh Fruit (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit Tuna Mayonnaise Bap (F.E.G) British Roast Chicken Bap (G) Choose a main meal... WEDNESDAY ROAST Choose a main meal ... WEDNESDAY ROAST Choose a main meal ... WEDNESDAY ROAST British Roast Beef, with Traditional British Roast Gammon Steak British Roast Chicken Fillet, Sage and Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy (D.E.G) On the side. On the side... with Gravy Onion Stuffing and Gravy (G) On the side ... Fresh Salad Bar Fresh Salad Bar Fresh Salad Ba (vg) Quorn Roast with Gravy (G) (vg) Quorn Roast with Gravy (G) (vg)Quorn Roast with Gravy (G) Vegetables of the Day Vegetables of the Day Vegetables of the Day Crispy Roast Potatoes **Crispy Roast Potatoes** Crispy Roast Potatoes For dessert... For dessert. For dessert. Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), (vg) Homemade Jam Tart with Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D) (v) Homemade Chocolate, Pear & (v) Homemade Chocolate Crunch Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Custard (D.G) Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Apple Crumble with Custard (G.D) with Pink Custard (G.D) (v) Chocolate swirl Mousse (D) (v) Ice Cream (D) Tuna Mayonnaise Bap (F.E.G) Fresh Fruit British Roast Chicken Bap (G) Fresh Fruit Fresh-Fruit-British Roast Chicken Bap (G), Choose a main meal Choose a main meal... Choose a main meal... THURSDAY THURSDAY THURSDAY Gluten Free British Pork Meatballs in a Chicken Burger in a High Fibre Bun h) Chicken and Country Vegetable le with Herby Diced Potatoes (G) On the side Rustic Tomato Sauce with Pasta (SB. On the side. with Spicy Wedges (G) On the side ... Fresh Salad Bar SU.G) (vg) Quorn Dippers with Herby diced Fresh Salad Ba Fresh Salad Ba (v,h) Tomato Pasta Bake with Vegetables of the Day (v,h) No Beef Taco with Spicy Potato Vegetables of the Day Potatoes (G) Vegetables of the Day Freshly Baked Wholegrain Baked Beans Wedges - Taco shell filled with mildly spiced Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), Baquette (D.G) uom vegan beef strips, salad and grated cheese For dessert... For dessert.... Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (D.E) For dessert. (v) Homemade 'School Favourite' Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), Jelly with Fruit Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D). Tuna (v) Mini Waffle with Toffee sauce British Ham Bap (G) Sprinkles Sponge Cake (G.E) Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (vg) Homemade Carrot & Orange (F.E)) Baked Beans (GEDSB) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit Cookie (G) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit British Ham Bap (G) British Ham Bap (G) (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit Choose a main meal... FIBHY FRIDAY Choose a main meal... FISHY FRIDAY Choose a main meal ... FIBHY FRIDAY FRIDAY FRIDAY FRIDAY msc) Salmon and Sweet Potato msc) Gluten Free Breaded Fish Fillet (F) (msc) Breaded Fish Fillet Fingers (F) ishcake (G.F) with Chipped Potatoes with Chipped Potatoes On the side On the side ... On the side ... with Chipped Potatoes (v,h) Vegetable Crumble with a Fresh Salad Bar Fresh Salad Bar Fresh Salad Bar (v,h) Cheese and Potato Pie with Cheesy top (G.D) (v) Cheese and Tomato Pizza Wedge Peas or Raked Reans Peas or Baked Beans Peas or Baked Beans Freshly Baked Wholegrain Baguette **Chipped Potatoes** with Potato Wedges (D.G) For dessert... For dessert... (D.E.G) For dessert... (v) Cheddar Cheese, Crackers and Apple (v) Homemade Oaty Shortbread (G) Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), (v) Homemade Shortbread (G) Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D), Jacket Potato - (v) Cheese (D) Wedges (G) (v) Ice Cream Tub (D) Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (v) Yoghurt (D) or Fresh Fruit Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans Tuna (F.E) or (v) Baked Beans (v) Ice Cream (D) **Fresh Fruit** (v) Cheddar Cheese Bap (G.D) **Fresh Fruit** (v) Cheddar Cheese Bap (G.D) (v) Egg Mayohnaise Bap (G.E) Fruit Cordial or Fruity Water from the Hydration Station. Semi Skimmed Milk & Fresh Bread are also offered daily ALLERGEN KEY G = Gluten / Wheat F = Fish (♥)≞ M = Masterd E = Egg SU = Sulphiles SB = Soys Vg = Vegan V = Vegetarian lease contact your school cook for information regarding S - Searce

Spring Term celebration menus

Chinese New Year Thursday 8th February 2024

World Book Day Thursday 7th March 2024

Please remember to tell school if your child has an allergy or food intolerance. Thank you!