

The Oaks Community Primary School

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Forthcoming dates for your diary:

- Breakfast club is open daily from 8:00am priced at 50p per day.
- Theatre Porto are running a 'Family Hangout' every Tuesday from 3:30-5pm. Why not pop along for some creativity, a chat and some fun! Plus there are free refreshments on offer.
- Friday 19th May
Repeat hearing tests for Reception.
- Wednesday 24th May
Years 3 & 4 visit the World Museum in Liverpool.
- Thursday 25th May
*Year 5 & 6 group to Chester Zoo for orienteering activity;
*Year 5 & 6 writing displayed in the school hall at 2:45pm;
*School closes for half term.
- Friday 26th May
Staff INSET day.
- Monday 5th June
Staff INSET day.
- Children return to school on Tuesday 6th June.

Dear families,

I am pleased to announce that on Thursday 8th June, we will be launching an Eco Club in school. The children attending the club will be involved in building a sensory garden, bug hotel and bird bath. They will learn how to create a habitat for insects and other wildlife and be the first children to have a go on our new sensory swing! We can only accommodate 15 children in the club. The club will not run in the last week of the school year. The club is charged at £4. To book a place for your child, please come to the school office with their fee. The club is suitable for children from Reception to Year 6. This will be on a first come first served basis. The club will be run by myself and the Chair of our PTA.

We are having increasing incidents being reported from parents and children that are taking place on WhatsApp and Snapchat. None of the children in our school are of the recommended age for either of these apps. I would like to invite parents to a coffee and chat event to discuss the dangers of the internet and apps and to give some advice on how to manage the increasing demand from children as they get older. This will take place in our school hall on Thursday 25th May at 2:30pm. Please pop along.

Our London trip is fast approaching. We will be holding an information meeting for parents on Friday 9th June at 3:30pm. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

Mrs Louise Roberts-Headteacher

Are you aware that we have access to a fantastic new app which is free, to promote positive mental health with our children? Use this authentication code 134249.

You can download the app via <https://myhappymind.ipages.co/myhappymind-parent-app-introduction/>

It is a really challenging time for households throughout the Borough and families may be worried about the rising cost of energy bills, food, and transport. Families may want help accessing welfare rights, benefits and debt advice, support getting all the money they're entitled to, or simply want to know more about national support put in place. Whatever their money worries may be, the Council has put together some useful information to help which includes a wealth of information. Visit: [Cost of living support](#)

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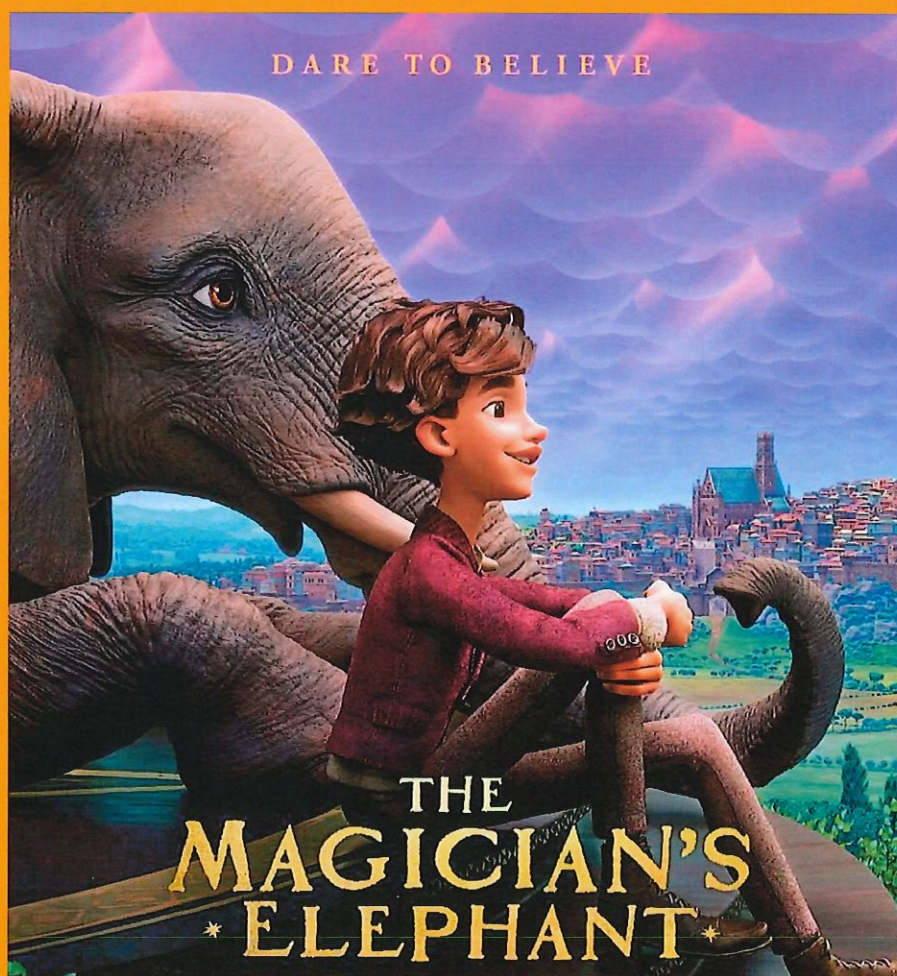
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You are invited to a 'Pop Up' Cinema
evening Saturday 27 May 2023
Watching



6pm in St Thomas & All Saints Church
Popcorn/drinks included
Hot dogs/pizza 50p