London's Burning

Year 2 have been busy learning about the 'Great Fire of London'. Thomas Farriner the owner of the bakery where the fire started on Pudding Lane in 1666 travelled back in time to share his experience with year 2.





The house next also caught fire and because it was so dry and the houses were made from wood the whole street was soon on fire. There was no fire brigade so the people used buckets from the River Thames to put out the fire.

London's burning; fetch the engines





Breakfast Club



If your child currently attends Breakfast Club, please make sure you read and return the letter as soon as possible as we will be using the responses to organize Breakfast club in September.

Thank you



HOLIDAY ACTIVITY FUN IN DUDLEY (HAF)

https://holidayactivitiesindudley.com/ https://twitter.com/DudleyHaf https://www.facebook.com/groups/dudleyhaf/

Booking is Now OPEN!!!!!!

Hello to all our lovely HAF families



Thank you to all those who have booked activities so far, we are sure you will have lots of fun. Don't panic if have not yet booked there is still time to do so. Bookings close on the 8^{th of} July 2022. There are still loads of activities available like days out to Dudley Zoo, Black Country Living Museum and Dudley Canal Trust! Please be aware that the 'Days Out' are one per family only you must book all eligible children in your family for just one day out. Please do not be tempted to book a child for each and pay on the door for additional children as this option is not available this summer. Lots of parents are booking so do check the activity page (link in your HAF emails) as soon as possible so that you have the activities you prefer. Places are going super-fast so book sooner rather than later to make sure you have the activities you want.



When you are booking, please make sure you use the email address you originally used to register your child. If you have changed your email address, please let us know straight away by email to info@dudleycvs.org.uk

This summer, you will also be able to create a family account so that you can access your family details and amend any bookings you make, please use the following information to help you.



To create a family account (you only need to register for one family account not each child) go to https://holidayactivitiesindudley.com/register/ and click on the register button at the bottom of the page. Add the email address you have used to register your children for HAF. Once the system has checked that your email matches your family details then you get a password emailed to your email address. When you have this, you can then go back in as many times as you want (use login this time not register) to check/change details and bookings until the 8th of July 2022.

To cancel bookings - when logged into your account (as described above) there is a button attached to each session. By clicking this button, it will give you the option to "withdraw" the booking. Once clicked you will just need to confirm that you want to withdraw the booking. When withdraw is confirmed you will then be taken back to your account and should see the session has now been removed



Once again, we have worked hard with providers and have some lovely summer activities for everyone across the borough to include sports, dance, drama, gardening, music workshops, arts and crafts, cooking, days out and family activities – even an Escape Room!

As always booking is first come first served so be quick! Booking closes on 8th July 2022. Once you have booked an activity you will receive an email to confirm your booking. Make sure you add your HAF number and email correctly on the booking page no spaces, no email confirmation means that this has not been done or something has gone wrong, try again before contacting the HAF team.



We have just started to work with parents to pilot a HAF Parent Link Helper volunteering programme. We are testing this in a number of schools and will be rolling this out across more schools as we go into the summer. If you want to know more or get involved visit our website Fancy Volunteering for the HAF programme? — HAF (holidayactivitiesindudley.com)

Finally, we don't want anyone to miss out so get your places booked!

Parking Around School





We have, again, received complaints of dangerous driving parking around our school, particularly around our Nursery and Reception entrance with cars mounting footpaths.

If you drive to school to drop off/collect your child (ren), please ensure you are parked legally and are not blocking driveways, footpaths or the road.

As mentioned in previous messages, any member of the public can report parking issues directly to the Police.





Coming up...

PGL Parents' Invited to see photos of their children 27th June 3.30pm

Trip to Dudley Mosque Tuesday 28th June

Transitions to Secondary School 4-8 July

Dojo Reward Trip Wednesday 13th July

> **Sports Day** Friday 15th July

School Reports Monday 18th July

Leavers Prom Tuesday 19th July

Leavers ProductionWednesday 20th July

Last Day of Term Thursday 21st July









SUPERVISION

Watch young children all the time around water as they can drown in less than 2 inches (6 centimetres). 3 LIFE JACKETS/ LIFE VESTS Get proper fitting, a

Get proper fitting, age appropriate, coastguardapproved flotation devices (life jackets/life vests) and use them whenever your children are near water.





SWIMMING LESSONS It's never too early to teach your children how to swim.

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FENCE IN YOUR POOL OR POND

Having a fence between the water and your house will help prevent drownings.

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SKIN PROTECTIO

Teach your children to be Sunsmart. Reapply sunscreen frequently, especially if they are getting wet. Wear UV sunglasses, sunhats, and protective clothing. Keep in the shade, especially when the sun is at its strongest.



KEEP DRINKING

Bables and young children need to drink plenty of fluids to avoid becoming dehydrated (becoming too dry).

Diluted fruit juice, ice, fruit and salads can help to boost fluids. Watch out for the signs of dehydration, which include dizziness, weeing less, feeling sick or being sick.



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KEEP COOL

Keep your children cool and safe during hot weather. Play in a shaded paddling pool. Do not use a blanket or sheet to drape over a pushchair. Run a cool bath before bedtime. Keep your child's bedroom cool during the day by closing blinds or curtains and using a fan. Keep nightwear and bedclothes to a minimum. Monitor the temperature of your baby's room. Your baby will sleep most comfortably when their room is between 16C (61F) and 20C (68F).



For more advice go to www.dudley.gov.uk/summerwellbeing or www.lets-get.com/seasonal-wellbeing







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