

THE WEAVERHAM NEWS

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For the village and its people

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Welcome to the Autumn edition of the Weaverham News - the weather has certainly warmed since the June edition.

Again, much has been happening at the Trust and the village.

On the domestic front and to mark 25 years of the Trust, the Jubilee afternoon Tea proved to be a great success with the event again being near capacity. We had great reports from those who attended, and huge congratulations are due to Margaret Musson and her team who spent many hours (not just on the day) putting on the event. A special thanks to all who supported the event including George the Butcher and the Hollies Farm Shop.

Weaverham Trust raises all its funds through donations and events such as these which enable us, in turn, to fund ventures such as the ongoing maintenance of the Bottom Pitch by John Wilson and his Volunteer Force and a small contribution to the group of volunteers who do so much improve the village with their planting and maintenance work.

You are probably aware that the Trust own the Bottom Pitch site (adjacent to the Army Cadet Hall on Owley Wood Road) and maintain it as an

area of parkland for the use of all Weaverham residents.

The maintenance of this area is carried out each Thursday morning by a small number of volunteers. However, time marches on and age, infirmity and family commitments of some of the volunteers in the current team will bring their brilliant contribution to a close. We are looking for some new volunteers to help out with the maintenance (mowing, hedge cutting, dry hedge laying, tree work etc) of this area. If you are interested and able to spare a couple of hours on a Thursday morning to be part of the team helping with this maintenance, then please come down to the site on any Thursday morning between 8.30am and 10.30am to have a chat with us. You will be made most welcome (all equipment is supplied)

Our aim is to ensure this area is maintained in a good condition for all the residents of Weaverham but to do this we do rely on voluntary labour, so if you are able to support this worthwhile cause please do not hesitate to contact us.

The new PCSO Simon Donnelly is now with us and active in the area. He reminds us all not to use disposable BBQs during this hot, dry spell. It will help keep recreational areas such as bottom pitch and other woodlands safe.

The litter picks organised by Jane Sharples and her team are now a well-established part of village life and this September we are coming together to take part in World Clean Up Day and help make our village cleaner, greener and a place of which we can all be proud.

The event is on Saturday 19th September, 10am-12pm. Please meet at the Pld Youth Club on Withens Lane (next to the Community Centre). Everyone is welcome. Equipment is supplied but please bring your own gloves if you can. Whether you can spare the full two hours or just a little of your time, please come along, get involved and help us make a real difference to our village.

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The greatly anticipated return of the Weaverham and Acton Bridge Show was on Saturday 8th August and proved to be great success with public and exhibitors alike. We look forward to the 2027 edition. Once again, we ask all residents of the village to join us. Membership details are on our website <https://weaverhamtrust.co.uk>. Your membership fee will aid us in supporting just causes.

The Parish Council are now working hard drafting a new Neighbourhood plan. This plan will prove invaluable in the forthcoming decisions being taken regarding potential housing development in the village.

Residents' views are important. Get involved by completing a questionnaire which is available both online on the Parish Council website weaverhamparish.gov.uk or from the Clerk to the Council at the Community Centre on Russett Road. In addition, a number of drop-in sessions are being held, also in the Community Centre, where questionnaires will be available to complete. The Parish Council have made involvement in the questionnaire very accessible so please get involved.

Weaver Vale Housing Trust is reaching out to all their residents.

If you have a Weaver Vale home, are you aware of how to report a repair? Reporting is easy, you can report all repairs Monday to Friday by calling the Customer Hub on 0300 303 9848. If your repair is an emergency such as a gas leak, loss of gas or electricity, or a structural failure in the home, you can

report this 24/7 by calling 0300 303 9848. Emergency repairs will be fixed within 24 hours. For more information about repairs please visit www.wvht.co.uk/repairs.

You can also register for My Account, the online portal which makes managing your Weaver Vale tenancy even easier. My Account is free to register and means you can book and reschedule repairs any day of the week as well as see home improvement data, pay your rent and much more. Set up your account today by visiting myaccount.wvht.co.uk.

For more information about Weaver Vale services, give them a call on **0300 303 9848** or visit **www.wvht.co.uk**

Finally, some good news!

Congratulations are due to Cllr Gillian Edwards (Chair Weaverham Parish Council and our independent Councillor at CWAC) for finally breaking the impasse between the interested parties and reaching an agreement to repair the private slip road outside the shops on Northwich Road.

This is made possible with a substantial contribution from Tesco in addition to contributions from Weaverham Parish Council, the Co-Op and Independent shopkeepers. There is still a small funding gap but nearly there.

Well done to all

***We look forward to hearing from you,
Bryan Jennings, Chair Weaverham Trust***



WEAVERHAM CRICKET CLUB

The 1st XI's title challenge has unfortunately lost momentum over the past couple of months following a few disappointing results. In sharp contrast, our 2nd XI continues its excellent form and currently sits at the top of the league as we head towards the final stages of the season. Ben Pattison and Jack Hitchen have done a fantastic job guiding and supporting our younger players this year. It has been great to see so many new faces representing both teams and enjoying their cricket at Weaverham.

Our Weaverham Ladies team recently enjoyed a tremendous day out, winning the Kingsley Ladies Cricket Festival. Since then, the team has also secured its first 10-a-side victory, a result that was celebrated with great enthusiasm. We are especially proud that the squad has grown from just seven players on 7th March to 23 registered members today. Due to the incredible level of interest, we are unfortunately unable to accept any additional new members this season, but we look forward to welcoming more players for the 2027 season.

Looking ahead, our annual Beer and Cider Festival will take place on Friday 4th and Saturday 5th September. On Friday evening, we welcome Marky Reader, who is more commonly found performing at major venues such as the Grand National and the Hill Dickinson Stadium, but has kindly agreed to entertain us at the mighty WCC. Returning by popular demand on Saturday night is Jonny King from Winsford. Jonny's performance at last year's festival was a huge success, and we are delighted to have him back.

We are always grateful for sponsorship support for this event. If you would be interested in sponsoring a barrel, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the club.

Please keep an eye on our social media channels for the latest news on upcoming events and a few possible surprise announcements relating to the Beer and Cider Festival.



Weaverham History Society

Hello to all you Russets (Weaverham Residents)

Please have a look at our website or Facebook page for all things interesting about local history.

But your History Society is much more than that. We hold monthly meetings throughout the year on great history topics with fascinating guest speakers.

In the next 12 months we will be hearing about the following:

Travellers Rest stones at Grappenhall

"Kings, Queens, Bones and Bastards"

The origins of the Israel/Palestine conflict

Victorian dark Gothic – Chester's Victorian heyday

The joy of Scouse and Scousers

Nelson and the Battle of Trafalgar

and much more besides.

We meet at Weaverham Academy on Northwich Road on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm.

£15.00 for a full year's membership, £5.00 for visitors, students free!

You'll be sure of a warm welcome.



And to whet your appetite, here is a picture of a roof on fire in Weaverham High Street in the early 1960s (enhanced with the help of AI)

Mike Hornby, Secretary

More details our website at history.weaverham.org.uk/

Christmas Wish Tree Toy Appeal

The Christmas Wish Tree Toy Appeal will be returning to the village this year, helping to make Christmas a little brighter for local children who need some extra support.

Keep an eye out for the Wish Tree posters around the village. Simply choose a bauble, which will have a child's interests or gift ideas on it, purchase a suitable present and return it to the collection point where you found the bauble. Posters will be located at: Weaverham Community Centre, Weaverham Library, St Mary's Church, The Hub, Coopers Hairdressers, Jazz Hair & Beauty

There will also be an opportunity to donate food items to help provide Christmas hampers for families, including: Tinned vegetables, Tinned tomatoes, Tinned meat, Tinned fish, Gravy granules, Batter Mix, Stuffing Mix, Cranberry Sauce, Christmas Pudding, Pasta, Rice, Pasta Sauce, Curry Sauce, Crisps, Chocolate, Biscuits, Teabags, Coffee, Sugar, Cordial, UHT Milk, Toilet Rolls, Baby Wipes, Toothpaste – Food donations can be delivered to Weaverham Community Centre (Russet Road) or Morgans of Cheshire (Northwich Road Shops)

Every gift and donation, however small, can make a real difference and help bring a little extra Christmas magic to a local child and their family. Thank you for your kindness and support.

CWAC Councillor Gillian Edwards

Soup Together

During the winter months, join us once a month for a free, warm bowl of soup with a roll, a hot drink and good company.

Free • Everyone welcome

No one should have to eat alone

**1pm-3pm at The Lighthouse,
Church Lane, Weaverham CW8 3NJ**

Thursday 1st October 2026

Thursday 12th November 2026

Thursday 3 December 2026

Thursday 14 January 2027

CWAC Councillor Gillian Edwards and Councillor Gabrielle Goad - Weaver & Cuddington Ward

For further information please contact:

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Community Choir



The group enjoyed a lovely end to their academic year of singing in July, with a super concert at the Community Centre, and a most enjoyable garden party together. We were delighted that the concert was so well attended – especially as England had just finished playing DR Congo in the World Cup when we started singing! We celebrated the team's

win with a rousing 'Sweet Caroline' along with our audience, and at the end of the evening we were delighted to have raised over £500 for our chosen charity of PSPA (Progressive Supranuclear Palsy Association).

Later in the month our choir members gathered for their annual garden party, and everyone contributed to an exceptionally fine feast! We were also lucky to be entertained by talented local duo Amanda Kostadinov and Colin Broadfoot, as they performed their debut album 'Acton Bridge'.

We are now looking forward to our new term of singing at the Sea Scout Hall, which will culminate in our Christmas Concert at St Mary's on Wednesday 16th December. An additional bonus for us in September, is that 10 of our singers will be attending a bespoke emergency first aid course, kindly sponsored by The Weaverham Trust – pictures to hopefully follow in the next edition, and many thanks to the Trust for this valuable contribution.

If you would like any further information about the Choir, please contact Alison on 07899 726859, or thecommunitysingingcompany@gmail.com

News from our CWAC Councillors

What a fantastic summer it has been in Weaverham!

We are delighted to welcome Councillor Gabrielle Goad, elected as an Independent Councillor for Weaver & Cuddington following the by-election on 2nd July. Gabrielle joins Councillors Gillian Edwards and Lynn Stocks in representing our three-member ward.

The 100th Weaverham Rose Fête was a wonderful success. A huge thank you and congratulations to everyone who organised, volunteered, took part or simply came along to enjoy this fantastic celebration of our village.

The Weaverham & Acton Bridge Village Show also made a very welcome return after a year away. It was lovely to see so many people attending, with a fantastic standard of entries. Well done to everyone who took part, and a special thank you to Show Secretary Denise Whitney, who is taking a well-earned break after an incredible 17 years of dedicated service.

Overgrown hedges have recently been a concern, particularly where they obstruct pavements or public rights of way. Private landowners are generally responsible for maintaining hedges where vegetation causes an obstruction or danger. Please report problem hedges to Cheshire West and Chester Council (CWAC) via its website, and let us know if we can help.

CWAC is progressing with a new Local Plan, which will shape future homes, employment, infrastructure and development across the borough. The Council has decided to move to the Government's new plan-making system. We will continue to follow the process closely and ensure Weaverham's interests are properly represented.

We are also pleased that Weaverham Parish Council is developing a Neighbourhood Plan, giving residents an important opportunity to help shape our village's future.

Devolution across Cheshire and Warrington is progressing. CWAC will continue to exist and provide local services. The aim is greater funding and investment, with closer cooperation on transport, housing and economic development. The first Mayoral election is expected in May 2027, alongside CWAC and Parish Council elections.

Each Ward Councillor has £5,000 per year to support local community groups and projects. Please get in touch if your group would like to find out more.

Please report potholes, street lights, overgrown hedges and other issues via the CWAC "Report It" website.

We are here to help, so please get in touch!

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Weaverham Parish Council

It's been another jam-packed summer in the village!

Well done to the Rose Fête and Weaverham Show committees, who once again put on wonderful events for the community. The Parish Council were delighted to host the Party in the Park on the evening of the Rose Fête, and we hope everyone who attended had a fantastic time.

It feels strange to be saying this already, but we are now looking ahead to our annual Bonfire and Fireworks, taking place on 7th November at Lakehouse Field, as well as our annual Christmas Lights Switch-On.

We also still have a vacancy on the Parish Council. If you're interested in getting involved and helping to make a difference in our village, please get in touch — we'd love to hear from you.

Here's to the rest of a busy and exciting year in the village!

On behalf of the Parish Council, I wish you all a season filled with warmth, neighbourliness, and a chance to enjoy the beauty of autumn in our village.

Weaverham Parish Councillors

Cllr Stephen Ashbrook, Cllr Gillian Edwards (Chair of the Council), Cllr John Freeman, Cllr Mike Gerrard, Cllr Reese Lassiter, Cllr Iain Lassiter, Cllr Keith O'Neill (Vice Chair of the Council), Cllr Caroline Wakefield, Cllr Peter Wakefield, Cllr Craig Warren-Brown, Cllr Peter Wilkinson.

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Wishing you a very happy Autumn time.

Councillor Gillian Edwards

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Weaver by Cow

Weaverham resident Jerry Marshall has paddled the entire River Weaver Navigation for charity on an inflatable cow.

The challenge, called Weaver by Cow, aims to raise awareness and funds for life changing projects in Burundi.

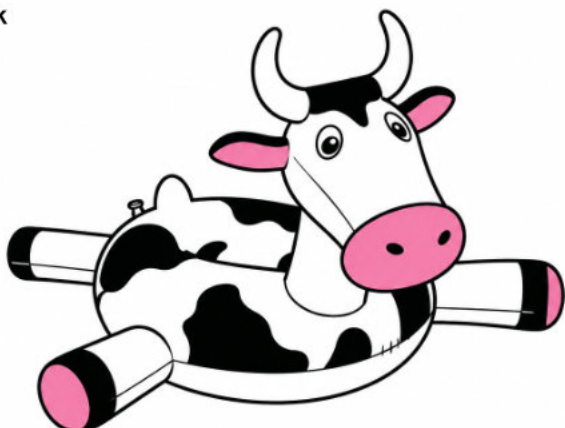
Jerry is a member of St Mary's Church Weaverham and founder of the Weaverham-based charity Transformational Enterprise Network (TEN). TEN is an international community of business people who use their skills and resources to create enterprise solutions to poverty. The charity helps some of the poorest people on the planet create an income to put food on the table and send kids to school, while maintaining dignity and avoiding dependence.

Jerry completed the River Weaver journey on the 22nd–24th August, paddling from Winsford to Marsh Lock near Runcorn, subject to wind direction and strength.

"Our partners Ezechiel and Nicola lead extraordinary projects tackling poverty in Burundi, the second poorest nation on earth," he said. "But they have struggled to cover costs. Their son cried when they sold the family cows to cover expenses. Weaver by Cow may be mad but if we can help them help others build sustainable futures, then every paddle stroke will be worthwhile."

"I have received massive support locally, so thank you everybody!" he added.

More information about the challenge, its route and the Burundi projects it supports can be found at www.weaver-by-cow.uk



[weaver-by-cow.uk](http://www.weaver-by-cow.uk)

Have Your Say... Help Shape Weaverham's Future

Weaverham Parish Council is inviting all residents to complete the Neighbourhood Plan Questionnaire.

The Neighbourhood Plan will help shape future decisions on housing, green spaces, transport, community facilities, and protecting the character of our village. The more responses we receive, the stronger the Plan will be.

Whether you've lived in Weaverham for many years or have recently moved here, your views matter.

Please complete the questionnaire which is available online at <https://www.weaverhamparish.gov.uk/the-council/neighbourhood-plan/>

In addition, we will be holding 2 drop-in sessions at Weaverham Parish Council Office, Weaverham Community Centre, Russet Road, Weaverham CW8 3HY:

Thursday 17 September: 7.00pm

Saturday 19 September: 10.00am

Monday 21 September: 10.00am

Wednesday 23 September: 12 Noon

Thank you for helping shape the future of Weaverham.

The Future of the Memorial Orchard

In 2015 the Woodland Trust kindly granted us some land at Thorn Wood in order to plant a Memorial Orchard in memory of all who served in two World Wars and in more recent conflicts. Initially individuals and groups were happy to sponsor trees and we were also able to raise money for capital expenditure including picnic benches, a notice board and an interpretation board. However, it is very difficult to find organisations prepared to help us with running costs such as insurance, submitting our accounts and hiring someone to do the annual grass cut, which together with a few minor expenses can cost up to £800 p.a.

At our recent extraordinary general meeting it was decided that we should therefore relinquish our lease and dissolve our company. This will mean that if any money is left over after necessary expenditure, it should be donated to a charity with similar aims. Our volunteers will register with the Woodland Trust and will continue to look after the orchard as we have done in the past. Our notice board will continue to be used to remember those who served in past conflicts as well as providing information about wildflowers etc. In other words, we will largely continue as normal. The Woodland Trust will pay for our annual grass cut and most other expenses. However, if we wish to arrange a service involving local schools, local churches and the local community to commemorate a special anniversary (as we have on a few occasions in the past,) we will need another organisation to pay the necessary insurance. For similar insurance reasons we will not be able to wassail at the beginning of the year although the trees are now large enough.

Tina Johnson

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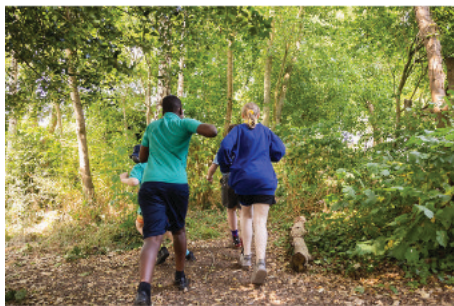
NEWS FROM OUR SCHOOLS



The
Russett
School

As we reach the end of another successful academic year, I am proud that our school year has been filled with achievements across all areas of school life. We recently entered the Arley School Garden Competition and gained 2nd place.

Pupils have participated in a wide variety of enrichment activities, educational visits, community-based learning opportunities and special events. Pupil voice has remained central to decision-making, with our School Council playing an increasingly important role in representing the views of learners across the school. We were especially proud of our Oak Class pupils, whose creativity led to them winning a World Book Day competition.



Their achievement was recognised through the presentation of certificates by a local MP, and pupils even received a special reading of their story from Mr Speaker in Westminster.



Of course, our Leavers Prom was an absolute joy to be a part of. Pupils, families and staff danced the night away despite the heat! Strong partnerships with all our families remain a key strength of The Russett School. This year we have really enjoyed welcoming in Parents and Carers through workshops and seek to increase this next year.

We are incredibly grateful for your support and partnership shown to us

throughout the year. As we prepare for September, we remain ambitious for our future. Our priorities include continuing to strengthen inclusion, curriculum implementation, communication strategies, pupil engagement, personal development and preparation for adulthood opportunities. We look forward to building on this year's successes and ensuring that every pupil continues to flourish and thrive.



Weaverham Primary Academy

A fabulous end to 2025 and we look forward to another exciting academic year!



with us, and we hope they will come back and visit us in the future. Before they left, they enjoyed a wonderful Hawaiian-



themed leaving party and treated us to a brilliant performance of Gigglebox, which had everyone laughing with its many school-themed links and humorous moments.



To round off the term, Robin Class enjoyed an animal-themed day and showed great bravery when interacting with all the animals. The whole school also took part in 'Dare to be

Different', an opportunity for everyone to celebrate their individuality by dressing in their own unique style.

A huge thank you to all the volunteers who have supported us throughout the year – we truly appreciate the time, commitment and enthusiasm you have given to our school community. In particular, we would like to thank our governors and our reading volunteers for their invaluable support.

To see more details of the wonderful learning that takes place on a daily basis, please refer to X or Facebook or take a look at the noticeboard at the front of school.



Weaverham Forest Primary School

As another busy and successful school year comes to an end, we have been reflecting on a fantastic summer term filled with creativity, celebration and community spirit.



One of the highlights of the term was supporting the village Rose Fete. Every class contributed to a stunning display of handcrafted paper flowers, creating a colourful celebration of our community.

Year 5 also showcased the seedlings they have been growing throughout the year. It was a pleasure to see so many current families, former pupils and members of the local community enjoying the event together.

Our talented Year 2 pupils were incredibly proud to have their artwork exhibited at the Salt Works as part of an exhibition organised by the Northwich Educational Partnership. Seeing their creativity displayed publicly was a wonderful experience and a real confidence boost for our young artists.

The term ended on a high with our spectacular Year 5 and 6 production, I'm a School Child... Get Me Out of Here! The pupils wowed audiences with their acting, singing and humour, entertaining family and friends while demonstrating the confidence, teamwork and resilience they have developed throughout their time at school. We are incredibly proud of every performer.

As we look ahead to the new academic year, we are delighted to be welcoming prospective families to visit our Nursery and Reception. We have a number of open events planned throughout the Autumn term, giving parents and children the opportunity to explore our school, meet our staff and experience the warm, nurturing environment we are so proud of. To book a visit, please check our school website or contact the school office from September.

Finally, we are looking forward to an exciting new chapter as we welcome our new Headteacher, Mrs Molyneux, in September. We know she will receive a warm Weaverham welcome and we are excited about the future as we continue working together with our pupils, families and the wider community.



The celebrations for the 40th Anniversary for Fr Paul Standish and the 20th Anniversary of Deacon David Harrison were a great success. Fr

Bernard Forshaw, who recently assisted in the Parish, is due to return on 26th August to celebrate his 40th Anniversary, with midday Mass followed by refreshments at Our Lady's Barnton. Fr Paul will be leading a pilgrimage to the Shrines of France, including Lourdes and Lisieux, from 15th to 24th September.

In response to requests from various adults who wish to know more about the Catholic Faith, a series of evening meetings at



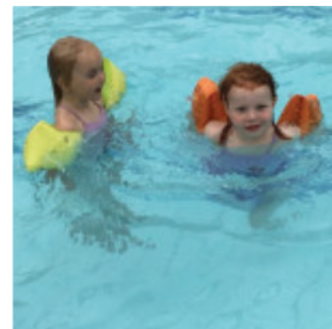
Our Caterpillar room children and parents ended our summer term with a nice afternoon tea party in the preschool garden. (Photo attached).



The Butterfly Children who were leaving to move onto primary school enjoyed an end of year leavers party. They spent the morning in the woodland area, making woodland crafts and enjoying a toasted marshmallow on our campfire.



Parents came along to our leavers presentation before the children left preschool for their last time. We wish all our leavers the very best as they start their next journey into primary school.



The children took part in a sponsored bounce fundraising event. The money we raised has gone towards a lovely new flooring for our caterpillar room. This has now been completed and ready for our September start.

The butterfly children took part in some fun swim sessions at Weaverham Pool. We are so lucky to have this facility in the village. Thank you Weaverham Pool for accommodating our preschool children. (Photo attached).

Our weekly Tots sessions will be starting again from Thursday 3rd September 9.45am till 11.00am. Come along and enjoy the full use of our Toddler room, sensory room, preschool garden, and woodland area. (photo attached).



We have limited places available for our September intake. We have spaces for children from 16 months to 4 years. Why not book in for a tour of the setting and a free taster session for your child.

St Bede's Church, beginning on 15th September (7-9pm), will be taking place. All are welcome to attend, but please notify the Parish Office (see St John Vianney website for contact details) beforehand.

Our schools reopen at the beginning of September with Mass being celebrated in both. Bishop Mark will be visiting us again in October to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to those who have been preparing for it in recent months.

The visiting of Care Homes in the area is proving to be very successful, with another one, Iddenshall Care Home, Tarporley, being added to the list.

Mini Dragons TaeKwon Do

The Perfect Introduction to Martial Arts!



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Class Schedule & Locations

- Ages 2–3: Wed 9:15–10am (Balance & coordination skills) • St Johns Church Hall Sandiway (CW8 2JY)
- Ages 3–4: Wed 10:15–11am (Listening skills) • St Johns Church Hall Sandiway (CW8 2JY)
- Home Ed (Ages 4–6): Wed 11:15am–12pm | (Ages 6+): Wed 12:15–1pm • St Johns Church Hall Sandiway (CW8 2JY)
- Ages 4–6: Wed 5:15–6pm • Cuddington Village Hall (CW8 2LA)
- Ages 4–6: Thu 4:45–5:30pm & 5:45–6:30pm • Weaverham Community Centre (CW8 3HY)

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Weaverham Library

We have had a great summer with not just one, but four reading challenges for pre-school and primary age children, teens and adults! The children's Summer Reading Challenge has meant lots of great activities, from Animals Takeover to making junk musical instruments, plastic bottle flowers and BFG-inspired dream jars. You can keep reading into September, so don't forget to come and collect your stickers, certificate and medal. All completers have a chance to win a karaoke machine or musical instruments and the school with the most completers will win a trophy.

Adults and Teens can still enter their summer 'Read Two' challenge until 6th September. You can enter online or fill in an entry flyer at the library for a chance to win £50 in book vouchers.

<https://participatenow.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/summer-reading-challenges>

Remember, the library is free to join and includes access to computers, eBooks, eAudiobooks, eNewspapers and eMagazines, plus a wide range of events and activities. You can find out about all library events on social media @cwaclibraries or on the Cheshire Libraries website.

The library is also a Welcoming Space, providing water, newspapers, free Wi-Fi and a warm welcome from our team.

Our current opening hours are:

Monday and Friday: 9.30am – 1pm, 2 - 7pm

Tuesday and Wednesday: 9.30am – 1pm, 2 - 5pm

Thursday: Closed

Saturday: 9.30am - 1pm

Regular events:

Monday: 10.30am-12.30pm

Knit & Natter

Tuesday: 10.30 – 11am

Baby Bounce (Singing and sensory play for 0-12m)

Wednesday: 11.00am - 12.30pm

Digital Drop-In

Friday: 10.30 – 11am

Rhyme Time (Pre-school singing and stories)

Saturday: 10.30am – 12.30pm

Children's Activity Club

We look forward to welcoming you to Weaverham Library soon.

Best wishes from Amanda, Andrea, Hazel and Nathalie

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www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/libraries