

Newburgh CE School

Newsletter

11/10/19



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all those who attended the Harvest service in church on Monday. It was clear that our Key Stage 1 children had all been practicing very hard to make our service so successful. The donations of food were gratefully received by Tawd Vale Lions and passed to Evermoor hub. We managed to donate two trollies of food!

I've had several visits from Diocese representatives this week. One was to check that we are giving children appropriate opportunities to explore their faith. I'm pleased to report that the feedback we have received was extremely positive and we have more ideas to keep improving over the next year or so.

Our Newburgh Beacons met for the first time this school year on Thursday after school. I hope families found this a positive experience. They will be meeting again on Thursday 14th November at school at 3.30pm and everyone is welcome to join in.

I know we have not yet reached half term but our children are already preparing for the Christmas concerts. We will be updating all our calendar dates for next half term next week and a message will go out about this but I wanted to give you all as much notice as possible of the following. On Thursday 6th December at 6.30pm in church our children led by our school choir and key stage 2 will be performing. On Friday 13th December in the afternoon Nursery, Reception, Halton and Lucas children will be performing our famous outdoor Forest School Nativity on the school field. Finally on Tuesday 17th December we will be having a Christingle service in church at 2.30pm. Please reserve these dates if you can.

On Friday it will be the turn of Venables to join in Forest School. Outdoor education is really important to us here at Newburgh and we are exploring more ways of including this in our curriculum

Next week we will be sending home the parental questionnaires. Please complete this anonymously and put in the post box in the reception area—or send in bags if you prefer. We are also due to change to our Autumn/winter dinner menu so new choices will be coming home soon—please complete and send back ASAP.

Mrs R Fowler
Headteacher



Next week at Newburgh:

School Meals: Week 3

Monday 7th: Tower Wood meeting
(Venables parents) 5.30pm

Tuesday 8th: PTA Christmas Card
Workshop 3.30pm

Wednesday 9th:

Thursday 10th: Nursery Open Morning

Friday 11th: Individual/family
Photographs; Venables Forest School;
Break up for half term.

Don't Forget!

Please ensure **ALL** Parent Pay accounts
are in credit before we come back after
half term. Thank you.

Stars of the Week:

Our superstars this week who have
demonstrated both effort in school and
Gospel Value of Respect are:-

Crane—Dan Quirk

Halton – Ava-Violet Cheetham

Lucas—Tom Howard

Rigby 3—William Taylor

Rigby 4—Harry Holland

Venables 5—Jack Johnson

Venables 6—Eve Taylor

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Newburgh Nursery

We've had a busy week learning all about transport.

Thank you for your buckets and sponges. As you can see the children had a wonderful time washing a car on the playground.

On Thursday 17th October Nursery will be holding an open morning focusing on Messy Play. All our parents are very welcome to this (whether your children attend on a Thursday or not). We are open from 9 until 10 am and this will give you the opportunity to see some of the activities we get up to here in Nursery.

Save the date!!! - Our Nativity will be on Friday 13th December 2019 in the afternoon. Please plan to join us if you can. Our nativity is a Forest School nativity, led by our Reception children with Nursery and Years 1 and 2 supporting. This is an outdoor nativity with real animals and is a wonderful experience for both children and parents. More details will follow nearer the time.

Don't forget to keep in touch with us using Tapestry and follow us on Twitter @NewburghNursery to see all the fun things we get up to!

Thank you,
Mrs Verrill, Miss Menarry & Miss Renner

Breakfast & Afterschool Club

Breakfast and Afterschool Club numbers continue to increase so can we please politely request that all accounts either be brought up to date or put in credit before half term in order for children to keep their allocated spaces. Thank you.

Active Sports are still taking bookings for their club here at Newburgh over half term. You should have received flyers about this in bags this week. Please book on with them direct.

Thank you,
Mrs Ditchfield, Mrs Magee, Miss Renner, Mrs Verrill



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PTA News

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Welcome to our PTA page!

Race Night

Thank you so much everyone for your support for this event.

- We have sold sponsorship for ALL races
- We have sold sponsorship for ALL horses

This promises to be a really fun evening that will hopefully raise vital funds for the PTA to put towards the playground improvements. Thank you to everyone for promoting the event, horses and races and for all the sponsorship money we have raised so far (£685 and counting!!!) - You're all amazing!

Christmas Design Workshop

We will be running a workshop for children after school on Tuesday 15th October from 3.30-4.30pm. This is for children to make their Christmas design from which you can then buy Christmas cards, tags or mugs etc. ready for Christmas. The PTA benefits from all purchases made from these designs.

- All materials will be provided on the night including design ideas
- Children must be accompanied by an adult
- There will be a charge of £3 per child to cover the cost of materials and to raise funds for the PTA.

Chrissy is taking bookings now so please put your name down (with your payment) as soon as you like.

Save the Date!

Our next PTA meeting is on Thursday 9th January at 7pm in Venables classroom at the top of the playground. Meetings are enjoyable and informal and a brilliant opportunity for parents to meet up and share ideas about how to support our enthusiastic PTA.

You can now follow our PTA on Facebook and Instagram—please take a look and find out a bit more about what we do.

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Church & Community News 11/10/19



Newburgh Christ Church

The church services for October are as follows:

Sunday 13th October: Trinity Seventeen (Holy Communion at 9 and 10.30 am) JAM Club will take place during the service.

Sunday 20th October: Trinity Eighteen (Holy Communion at 9am) Family Service at 10.30 am including JAM Club

Sunday 27th October: Trinity Nineteen (Holy Communion at 9am), Morning Prayer at 10.30am

Save the Date! The church Harvest Supper will be held in school on Saturday 12th October 2019. Tickets can be obtained from Mrs Swift.

Active Sports Holiday Club:

At Newburgh School Monday 21st, Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd October 9am-3pm. Ages 4-11. £35 for all three days or £15 per day. A sibling discount of 10% will apply. Book via the Active Sports website www.activesoccer.co.uk

Mawdesley Tennis Holiday Club:

Mawdesley tennis club are running sessions on the 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th October from 9-3. It's £20 per child per day with siblings at half price. Please book places with Suzanne Rath who will be at school on Monday morning teaching tennis.

Parbold Library

Parbold Library will be hosting the following half term event:-

Dinosaur Detectives—Thursday 24th October 10.30-11.30am. Children must be accompanied by an adult to this dinosaur fun activity morning

Collections for School:

Please continue to collect the stickers from Aldi—we already have over 100 collected (we need 300 or more).

If you are thinking of purchasing any books please consider using The Book People to raise funds for us to spend on new books for our library.