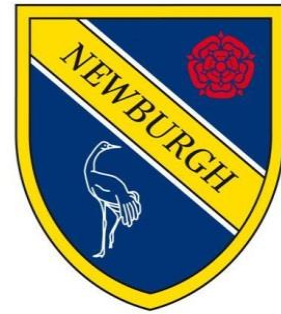


Newburgh CE School & Nursery

Newsletter

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Dear Parents, Carers & Children

This Week at Newburgh:

What an end to this half term! I was so proud to share our Outstanding Ofsted result with you all. There have been celebrations across school in honour of Diwali, Our Early Years children dressed in bright clothes & participated in a range of themed activities as well as having a visit from a tractor! Our Afterschool club children made Rangoli patterns. Team Halton had a delivery of toys through the ages to explore. Team Rigby has had a busy week with a fantastic end to their DT topic on food by cooking stew and soup and a trip to the World Museum to support their History topic on the Bronze Age. Team Venables have been participating in Bikeability to ensure they all know how to ride their bikes safely on the road.

Coming Up at Newburgh:

We return from half term on Monday 31st October. Flu vaccinations will be taking place on the 1st November, Nursery is holding an open morning on the 2nd November and Teams Halton and Lucas will be having a visit from the author Sean Perkins (a letter has been sent home in bags for children to pre-order copies of his books). Children from Team Venables will be holding a worship in church on Wednesday 9th November at 9.30 about Remembrance. Their families are very welcome to attend this.

School Dinners

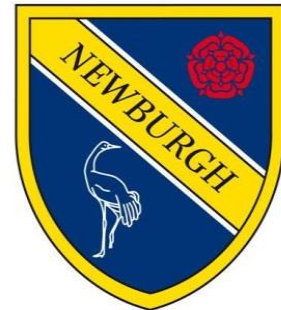
Thanks to our School Council we have fed back the top dinner choices to Lancashire and we have agreed a new menu based on this feedback. This menu will launch on 7th November, please make your new dinner choices by 2nd November [here](#). On 3rd November we are having a special Bonfire themed dinner – please book your dinner for this day [here](#).

I hope you all have a wonderful half term and we will see you on Monday 31st October!

Warmest Regards,



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You Said We Did

We continue to listen to the feedback of our pupils. So far this term pupils have wanted:

More Girls Football – so we ran an enrichment club which will run again next half term.

More Forest School for Key Stage 2 – so Rigby and Venables participated in Forest School activities.

Help Families in Need – so we donated our Harvest collection to a local foodbank

Key Vocabulary – ask me about:

To challenge and deepen the understanding of key vocabulary learned this week ask your child about these words:

Team Nursery: Henna, Rangoli.

Team Crane: Diwali, Diwa.

Team Halton: Marbles, Diablo.

Team Lucas: Glistening, Shimmering.

Team Rigby: Bridge Hold, Claw Hold.

Team Venables: Negative Print, Pedal Ready.

A Moment of Mindfulness

As we come to the end of this half term we have been thinking about how thankful we are for our whole school community, from our families, friends, the staff and community who look after us so well.

The Bible tells us that when St Paul wrote letters to his friends he often began by thanking God for them and all that they meant to him. In his letter to his friends in Philippi, he begins

*“Every time I think of you I give **thanks** to my God” Philippians 1.3*

Who are you grateful for and have you thanked them?

School Admissions

School Admissions are now open using this link:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/>

The deadline for admissions to secondary school is 31.10.22 (for children in Year 6).

The deadline for admissions to primary school is 15.01.23 (for pre-school children who turn 4 on or before 31.08.23).

Let Your Light Shine

Matthew 5:14-16

Those children who have demonstrated both effort in school and the Gospel Value of Thankfulness are:-

Team Crane

Harvey

Team Halton

Alex

Team Lucas

Jack

Team Rigby

Evie

Freddie

Team Venables

Iris

Libby

Congratulations to the APPLE FAMILY for gaining the most points this week.

Times Tables Rock Stars Leaderboard:-

Year 3 – Ava

Year 4 – Tilly

Year 5 – Saul

Year 6 – Laila

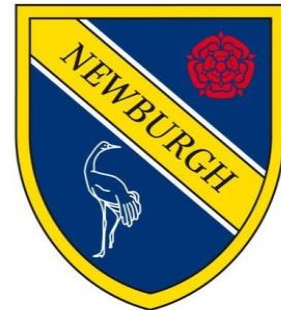
Next Week at Newburgh:-

Dinners – Week 3

Tues – Flu Vaccinations; Parents Evening

Weds – Nursery Open Morning; Parents Evening

Fri – Author visit to Halton & Lucas



Half Term Highlights



Pictured: Welcoming new members to our Gospel Families; KS1 Harvest Worship in church
Trip to Parbold Library; Venables Forest School
Rigby trip to World Museum; Councillors with Mayor of West Lancashire



Eco Council Update

Our Eco Council would like to make you all aware that pumpkin waste can be harmful to animals. Please dispose of all pumpkin waste in compost or black bins or bury it in your garden for the worms. Thank you.

WHERE KIDS EAT FOR LESS IN OCTOBER HALF TERM 2022

ASDA

KIDS EAT FOR £1 EVERY DAY WITH NO ADULT SPEND NEEDED.

MORRISONS

SPEND £4.99 AND GET ONE FREE KIDS MEAL



BELLA ITALIA

KIDS EAT FOR £1 WITH ANY ADULT MAIN 4-6PM MON TO THURS

HUNGRY HORSE

FREE KIDS BREAKFAST WITH ANY PAYING ADULT, 9AM TO 12PM

TESCO CAFE

KIDS EAT FREE WITH ANY FRESH FRUIT PURCHASE BY ADULTS

BEEFEATER

WITH EVERY ADULT BREAKFAST GET TWO KIDS BREAKFAST FREE

TOBY CARVERY

KIDS EAT FOR £1 VIA APP FROM OCT 24-28TH

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KID'S EAT FREE ALL DAY MON TO THURS UNTIL 29TH OCT