

Newburgh CE School & Nursery

Newsletter

06/01/2023



Dear Parents, Carers & Children

Happy New Year and welcome back everyone. Thank you for all the lovely cards, words and gifts at the end of last year. All staff are extremely grateful for your continued kindness and support. Congratulations to Mrs Standrell who gave birth to a baby boy on Christmas Eve. We wish her family well.

This week the children have been straight into lots of activities, here we can see Year 2 role playing traditional tales, Reception recreating a wheelchair and Nursery mark making their Christmas news.

Looking Forward:

There's lots to look forward to this half term. We will launch the new Gospel Value of Forgiveness next week. Our Enrichment clubs will start next week (see the next page of the Newsletter for more information about this). We will be having visits from the Police and Fire Service to talk to children about keeping safe. We will also participate in Safer Internet Day to build upon this learning. We have arranged for our School Librarians to participate in work experience at Parbold Library and Year 1 will be participating in a workshop about the Great Fire of London (thank you to Year 1 parents who elected to donate money to pay for this instead of holding a traditional Secret Santa). We are delighted to be able to facilitate private music tuition again and Miss Hannaford our Choir Leader will be demonstrating the instruments children can learn through this if they wish. We will be appointing PSHE Ambassadors this term, please read on to find out how to apply. We have also been offered free tickets to the Wigan Athletic home game on 21.1.23, please contact the school office if you would like to take this offer up. The calendar on the app is updated with these dates.

ParentPay:

ParentPay has been updated with Snacks for this half term and the Enrichment Clubs. Please ensure your accounts are **in credit** for this half term. Thank you. Could all Santa Dash sponsorship money please be paid in by next Friday, thank you.

Belongings:

A number of belongings may have gone home with the wrong children at Christmas. Please check all uniform/PE kit to make sure it is yours and return any items that are not.

Warmest Regards,



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Enrichment Clubs Spring 1:

Welcome to our Enrichment offer for this half term. All clubs will start week commencing 9th January (unless otherwise stated). Clubs that take place outside of school hours require parental permission via ParentPay (PP) or Letter (L).

Day	Before School	Lunchtime	After School
Monday		Story Time Computing	KS1 Dance (PP)
Tuesday		Origami Computing	Venables Healthy Schools (PP)
Wednesday		Computing	KS2 Girls Football (L)
Thursday	Archery – starts 19.1.23 (L)	Origami Computing	EYFS & KS1 French (L) KS2 Boys Football – starts 19.1.23 (PP)
Friday	Choir Club – starts 19.1.23 (PP)*	KS1 Yoga	KS2 Dance (PP)

*If your child enjoyed watching the Choir perform before Christmas and would like to try the club out we are running a FREE taster session on Friday 13th January. Please sign up on ParentPay (if your child is already in Choir Club you do not need to sign up – they have been accounted for). All children need to sign up for the full club after this date).

Please note that some clubs have limited numbers. If you are unable to see the club in ParentPay it may already be full. The details to sign up for French Club will be in a separate letter sent with this Newsletter.

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 primary school is **15.01.23** (for pre-school children who turn 4 on or before 31.08.23).

Time to Shine

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

Team Crane

Seb

Team Halton

Hughie

Team Lucas

Marnie

Team Rigby

Reuben

Sean

Team Venables

Grace

Laila

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

Times Tables Rock Stars Leaderboard:-

Year 3 – Danny

Year 4 – Charlotte

Year 5 – Iris

Year 6 – Macey

Next Week at Newburgh:-

Enrichment Clubs Start

Dinners – Week 2

Tues – Venables Police visit.

Fri – Free Choir Club Taster Session.



PSHE Ambassadors

Newburgh School needs YOU! Do you think YOU have what it takes to promote wellbeing in your classroom and throughout Newburgh School! Are you kind, empathic, resilient and willing to help others? Are you concerned about others, the wider community and about how you can contribute to making the world a better place? Do you enjoy your PSHE lessons, circle time and class discussions and debates?

If you agree to the above and you think this sounds like you, then you would be a fantastic PSHE Ambassador for Newburgh School and we would like to invite you to apply for the role.

Please speak to your class teacher about this if you would like to apply. You can then create a manifesto. This could be a short speech, a written piece of work, a simple poster or a PowerPoint presentation, for example. If you are interested in becoming one of our PSHE Ambassadors, please bring your manifesto into school by Friday 13th January.

Our new PSHE Ambassadors will be notified shortly after that date and they will be presented with their badges. Thank you and good luck!

Church News

It was lovely to see so many families in church on Christmas Eve (77 people attended in total!!) Hopefully you enjoyed the service and it was a special part of Christmas for you all. We are having a family service in school on January 15th at 10.30. It would be lovely to meet you again. Please see the flyer sent with the Newsletter for more information.

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Spring 1 Calendar 2023



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Story Time 15.30-16.30 KS1 Dance Club	10th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club Venables Police visit – Online Safety 15.30-16.30 Venables Healthy Schools Club	11th January Gospel Values Launch 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Girls Football	12th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30 Rigby Swimming 15.30-16.30 Crane & KS1 French Club	13th January 08.00 Choir Club (Free Taster Session.) 12.30-13.00 KS1 Yoga Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Dance Club
16th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Story Time 15.30-16.30 KS1 Dance Club	17th January Librarians – work experience 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club Y1 Great Fire of London Workshop 15.30-16.30 Venables Healthy Schools Club	18th January Librarians – work experience0 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Girls Football	19th January 08.00 Archery Club 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30 Rigby Swimming 15.30-16.30 Crane & KS1 French Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Boys Football	20th January 08.00 Choir Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Yoga Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Dance Club
23rd January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Story Time	24th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club	25th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club	26th January 08.00 Archery Club Music Service Demonstration 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30 Rigby Swimming	27th January Non-uniform for January Birthdays 08.00 Choir Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Yoga Club



15.30-16.30 KS1 Dance Club	15.30-16.30 Venables Healthy Schools Club	15.30-16.30 KS2 Girls Football	Fire Service visit to Y2 and Y6 15.30-16.30 Crane & KS1 French Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Boys Football	15.30-16.30 KS2 Dance Club
30th January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Story Time 15.30-16.30 KS1 Dance Club	31st January 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 15.30-16.30 Venables Healthy Schools Club	1st February 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 15.30-16.30 – KS2 Girls Football	2nd February 08.00 Archery Club 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30 Rigby Swimming 15.30-16.30 Crane & KS1 French Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Boys Football	3rd February 08.00 Choir Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Yoga Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Dance Club
6th February 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Story Time 15.30-16.30 KS1 Dance Club	7th February Safer Internet Day 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 15.30-16.30 Venables Healthy Schools Club	8th February 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 15.30-16.30 – KS2 Girls Football	9th February 08.00 Archery Club 12.30-13.00 Computing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30 Rigby Last Swimming 15.30-16.30 Crane & KS1 French Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Boys Football	10th February 08.00 Choir Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Yoga Club 15.30 Break up for Half Term 15.30-16.30 KS2 Dance Club

