

FRIDAY NEWSLETTER



*'Hand in hand, we love,
learn and achieve'*

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Titus 2:11-12: For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously and godly in the present age

DIARY DATES

2021	LATEST ITEMS SHOWN IN RED
13.09.21	CLASS 2 BRING IN VIOLINS
24.09.21	DATA COLLECTION FORMS TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL
27.09.21	ACADEMY PHOTOGRAPHS FOR INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOGRAPHS
30.09.21	TT ROCKSTARS DAY—COME DRESSED AS A ROCKSTAR
01.10.21	STANDON BOWERS FINAL DEPOSIT DUE—YR 5 AND 6
01.10.21	HARVEST AND THANKSGIVING SERVICE—2.30PM
13.10.21	PARENTS EVENING
18.10.21	FLU VACCINATION
19.10.21	NEEDWOOD OPEN MORNING FOR NEW CHILDREN
21.10.21	FINAL CELEBRATION WORSHIP
21.10.21	LAST DAY OF TERM
22.10.21	INSET DAY
01.11.21	INSET DAY
02.11.21	SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN—START OF TERM
08.11.21-12.11.21	STANDON BOWERS RESIDENTIAL TRIP—YR 5 AND 6
11.11.21	REMEMBRANCE SERVICE 10.30AM
26.11.21	CHRISTINGLE SERVICE
17.12.21	FINAL CELEBRATION WORSHIP
17.12.21	LAST DAY OF TERM
04.01.22	INSET DAY
05.01.22	SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN—START OF TERM

W/C SCHOOL CLUBS

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HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Sebastian	Romilly, Bertie, Liberty	Lauren
Green Star ★	Bronze Star ★	Silver Star ★
		Gold Star ★
Bronze Cup 🏆	Silver Cup 🏆	Gold Cup 🏆
Bronze Medal 🏅	Silver medal 🏅	Gold medal 🏅

OF THE WEEK

Class 1

All of Reception—For making such a wonderful start to their 1st full week at school. Our wonderful reception have worked so hard and settled quickly. Well done super stars!

Class 2

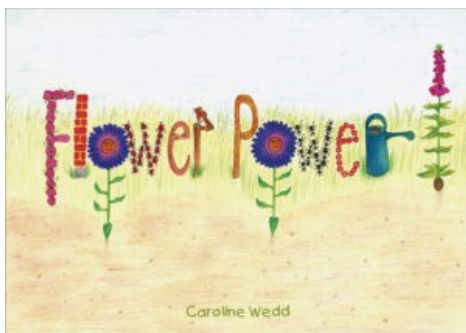
Millie—For her excellent start to her learning in class 2. Millie has worked hard to produce her very best work.

Class 3

Freddie—For his commitment and enthusiasm to do his absolute personal best in class. In each and every lesson Freddie is listening attentively, ready to ask or answer questions and works with complete focus. Your attitude is outstanding Freddie and we can tell this will be an amazing year of learning for you. Well done!

Tallulah—For a brilliant start to Year 6. Tallulah has an outstanding work ethic in our classroom and makes invaluable contributions to discussion in all lessons. She works wonderfully with others, sharing her ideas, but equally knows when to focus and work independently. Keep up all this hard work—we are very proud of you!

THIS WEEK IN FOCUS



What a super week of learning. All the children have loved practising their dances for our fantastic Flower Power performance this afternoon. Hope you enjoyed it as much as we did. The children have created some amazing art work, dissected flowers, acted, danced, made their own stories as well as learning about the meaning of the story. We were also fortunate enough to have a visit from the Author herself- Caroline Wedd. She was able to show us how she came up with the original idea for the book and how her ideas were transformed into reality. We look forward to starting our topics in the wider curriculum next week- details of which will be sent out soon!

We have been notified by our school dinner provider that there may be some changes to the menu due to shortages of food from suppliers and deliveries. They assure there is enough food for school dinners however they may differ to what is on the printed menu.

Have a super weekend all!

Mrs J Jones

USEFUL INFORMATION

FACTUAL FLUENCY AND MATHS HOMEWORK

You should have received your child's factual fluency targets this week on seesaw, please do check your child's seesaw account to see what their targets are. Teachers have provided some ideas of activities and games for homework that children can play to support their practice with this. This is to ensure that children have automaticity of these facts, this means that they have used a strategy so many times to solve the same problem that the children are able to give an instant response - this is different to learning by rote with no particular understanding.

We ask that children regularly practice using the ideas provided, little and often is best as the constant retrieval of the facts supports moving the learning of the facts from the short to the long term memory.

Sometimes teachers may set other optional activities on seesaw to support children's maths learning at home. These might be for particular children or for a whole class should the need arise. We thank you for your support and please ask your child's teacher if you are unsure of anything mentioned on the target sheets. Thank you.

ROCKSTARS DAY!

On Thursday 30th September we shall be holding a Rockstars Day. This is linked to our arithmetic practice of multiplication and number facts. Throughout the day the children will have the opportunity to practice these facts whilst rocking out to some music! It's usually great fun and encourages the children to regularly practice these important facts.

We would like the children to get dressed up as rockstars for the occasion! Can we just request caution over choices of footwear, accessories etc as we wouldn't want to have any accidents! If your child has PE on this day, they will still have this, so please ensure they wear their normal PE footwear and clothing that they can easily move around in in a safe way.

Many thanks for your support, we look forward to meeting all our rockstars on the day!



DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

Data collection sheets will be sent home with all children this evening. Please can we ask parents to please check all the details we have on our system and sign and return the form to school by Friday 24th September. If any amendments need to be made please make any changes on the form. All forms need to be signed and returned for each child please. Thank you in advance.

MORNING TUCK SHOP

Toast 20p

Pancakes 40p

Milkshakes 60p

Please can the correct change be brought in where possible if your child would like to purchase anything.

LUNCH MENU



Our school lunch menu for next week (week 3) is attached to this Newsletter. Lunches are free for all Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. school lunches for Year 3 upwards are charged at £2.34 payable on Parent Pay. There is no need to pre-

order, children just need to let their class teacher know their choice on the day during morning registration.

ONION FESTIVAL—RANGEMORE

Please see the details for the Onion Festival due to take place at Rangemore on the 18th September.

SCVYS

SCVYS is a membership network of over 200 organisations delivering almost 1,000 regular positive activity sessions for local children and young people and families.

To make it easier for you, we have identified all of these opportunities in a [searchable map format](#).

All our members must meet a set of minimum standards before being promoted on our map. These standards include:

Robust governance arrangements

Policies and procedures to ensure safety of participants, staff and volunteers

Appropriate staff and volunteers have DBS checks completed

AIMING HIGH ACTIVITIES

Details of lots of fun activities for young people up to the age of 18, who have a special educational need or disability and live in Staffordshire are available on our website at the link below:

[Search Results | Staffordshire Connects](#)

Young people can take part in a number of free activities (usually 1 a month with extra free places available during school holiday periods). Young people are then very welcome to take part in more activities but some of our providers may ask for a voluntary contribution.



CHURCH/COMMUNITY NEWS/ADVERTS

LIBRARY VAN

The van should be parked on the pub car park between 3.30 pm and 4.00 pm every other Thursday. The next visit should be the 16th September. We hope that you can use this service. Thank you.



**THE VOICE KIDS 2022
APPLY NOW!**

The Voice Kids is back and we're looking for super talented **SOLO SINGERS & DUOS** who have what it takes to take over The Voice Kids stage!

If you know any 7-14 year olds who want their voices to be heard, we want to hear from you!

For more information about how to enter go to itv.com/beontv/thevoicekids or stv.tv/voicekids

Applications close on **Friday 29th October 2021**

We reserve the right to extend the closing date at our discretion

Other eligibility criteria and terms and conditions also apply (see entry form for full details).
Personal data provided by you will be collected and processed in accordance with the privacy notices set out in the entry form.



Barton under Needwood RUFC Mini Junior Section will be returning from Sunday 5th September 10 am at Holland Park sports club Barton. From tots aged 2 plus, progressing to TAG Rugby at u6, u7 and u8s ages and contact rugby from u9s upwards to U15s

We also host Junior touch rugby on Tuesday nights and are always looking for more volunteers in coaches, first aiders or team manager's across the Mini Junior Section to allow our children to experience the best possible experience of grassroots rugby.

Please contact us on Facebook messenger or Mini Junior chairman Jon McCall on 07738277977 for more details.

Parish News



Disclaimer: We are proud to have a newsletter which shares information with you for our parish, village, WI, social club, Rascals and our local communities. We do try to vet all items which go into school bags and unless you are notified, are not paid to provide this information. We do not necessarily endorse and we cannot be held responsible for the validity or content of external information.

School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille.

