

FRIDAY NEWSLETTER



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

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Titus 1:8
Verse Concepts
but hospitable, loving what is good, sensible, just, devout, self-controlled

DIARY DATES

2021	LATEST ITEMS SHOWN IN RED
20.09.21	CLASS 2 BRING IN VIOLINS
23.09.21	PTA MEETING 7.30PM IN SCHOOL
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

HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
	Bella, Noah	Martha, Destiny
Green Star ★	Bronze Star ★	Silver Star ★
		Gold Star ★
		Oscar, Daisy
Bronze Cup 🏆	Silver Cup 🏆	Gold Cup 🏆
Bronze Medal 🏅	Silver medal 🏅	Gold medal 🏅

OF THE WEEK

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Albie S—Albie's independent writing this week has been outstanding! Superb effort in his handwriting has completed his objectives.. Well done Albie!	Daisy—For her wonderful work ethic this term so far. She has been focused and hardworking in lessons. She has given some thoughtful responses in our guided reading and her written work has been detailed and imaginative. Keep it up!	Suleiman—For settling in so well and so quickly to Class 3. Suleiman has learned the routines and expectations in our classroom at lightning speed and it is already very evident that he is determined to do his personal best in all areas of learning. It is wonderful to have you as part of our class Suleiman!

W/C SCHOOL CLUBS

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THIS WEEK IN FOCUS

Another brilliant week of learning, the children seem really settled and have managed so well with some of the Covid restrictions being implemented again. Hopefully this will be temporary and we will be able to go back to some whole school activities soon. Please stay vigilant and take your child for a test if they are displaying any symptoms- no matter how mild. A letter is attached from Staffordshire County Council for your information.

There has been some excellent learning in Maths and English this week as well as lots of PE and active sessions in the hall, on the playground and over the field. It has been great to see all of the children taking part.

The onion festival is being held at Rangemore this weekend, (see flyer below) I have just been informed that the raffle being held there has a prize of 2 tickets to an England Game at Wembley. These can only be purchased on the day- hope to see you there!

Have a lovely weekend everyone and thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Jones



USEFUL INFORMATION



GET CAUGHT PLAYING SPORT

In school, we have a board entitled 'Get Caught playing Sport' and we want to celebrate all sporting activity in school and also any sport the children take part in out of school too. If you have a photograph showing your child/children taking part in a sport and you are happy to share it, please send it into school and we will add it to the display. 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 were 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.

LUNCH MENU

Our school lunch menu for next week (week 1) is attached to this Newsletter.

On Wednesday 22nd September we have a special 'Taste of America' menu to replace the advertised Roast Turkey/meat free roast. Please see the special menu attached for more information.

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.

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.

BREAKFAST AND AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Please can remind parents to please pre-book Breakfast and Afterschool Club in advance—this is really important to help us to manage ratios and staffing. If you would like any more information about our Extended School clubs please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

PTA

The PTA will be holding its first meeting of the new school year on Thursday 23rd September at 7.30pm at school. We will be welcoming all parents to join us and will be offering positions for the PTA such as:

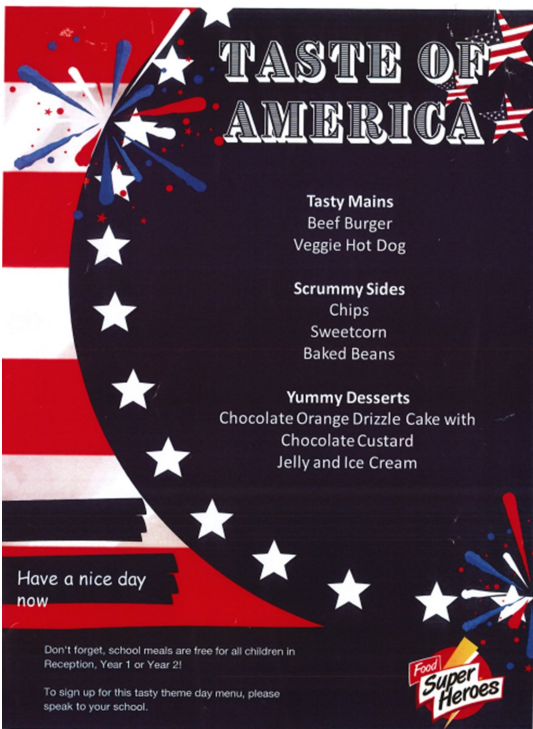
- Chair
- Vice Chair
- PTA Members

If you have always wanted to do something fun, creative and rewarding now is your time to join us! We have had many successful years of fundraising for our school before COVID and we hope we can get the team up and running again.

For more information on positions please ask Alicea or Jade at school drop off/collections or email the school office and they can pass your message on. We hope to see you at meeting.

The PTA team.

PTA MEETING
23RD SEPTEMBER AT SCHOOL



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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!

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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.

