

Awards

14th January 2022

ALL SAINTS

Class 1: **Spencer** Class 2: **Lilly-Rose** Class 3: **Reggie** Class 4: **Harry F**

Badges: ★ **Eisha** (Gold Star) ☆ **Fatimah** (Silver Star)

Headteacher awards: **Madeline W, Eva, Holly M, Harry F, Iyla, Morgan, Issy, Sam A, William R, Harry C, Nathaniel M, Joel, Sophie H, Alicia, Madeleine W, Luke W**

NEEDWOOD

Class 1: **Finn** Class 2: **Thomas** Class 3: **Tristan**

Badges:

Headteacher awards: **Destiny, Martha, Tristan, Oliver C, Orla**

Dear Parents

It has been great to do our first full week of the year in school. The children are working really hard and it has been excellent to get to know them more this week. I am learning more and more names every day!

This week we have been considering the value of 'compassion', introduced to us by Jordan in our Monday worship. At both Needwood and All Saints I have seen the children living this value. They also thought of some great examples of how they can show compassion in our worship in the hall.

Very well done to the children!

Have a great weekend!

Mr Baxter

DIARY - ALL SAINTS

20.1.22	CENSUS DAY
31.1.22	BIKEABILITY FOR YEARS 4 AND 5
1.2.22	BIKEABILITY FOR YEARS 4 AND 5
1.2.22	SCHOOL NURSE - HEIGHT AND WEIGHT CHECKS RECEPTION & YEAR 6
18.2.22	LAST DAY OF HALF TERM
28.2.22	FIRST DAY BACK
7.4.22	LAST DAY OF TERM
8.4.22	EXTRA INSET DAY
25.4.22	RETURN AFTER EASTER HOLIDAY

DIARY - NEEDWOOD

20.1.22	CENSUS DAY
25.1.22	BIKEABILITY YEAR 5
26.1.22	BIKEABILITY YEAR 4
18.2.22	LAST DAY OF HALF TERM
28.2.22	FIRST DAY BACK
7.4.22	LAST DAY OF TERM
8.4.22	EXTRA INSET DAY
25.4.22	RETURN AFTER EASTER HOLIDAY

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ATTENDANCE

ALL SAINTS

CLASS 1 - 100.0%

CLASS 2 - 90.59%

CLASS 3 - 91.58%

CLASS 4 - 94.59%

WELL DONE CHILDREN!

NEEDWOOD

CLASS 1 - 95.33%

CLASS 2 - 94.97%

CLASS 3 - 94.05%

ATTENDANCE MESSAGE FROM THE JTMAT ATTENDANCE MANAGER

Please note, if a child's attendance falls below 90% this is classed as 'persistent absence' and any further absence due to medical issues or illness will require medical evidence. If medical evidence is not obtained these absences will be recorded as unauthorised by the school.

We firmly believe in working with families to support them in ensuring that children attend school regularly. If you would like any help or support in improving your child's attendance at school please do not hesitate to contact us.



Awesome Acorns

Happy New Year to you all.



There is no Awesome Acorn of the week. We will be having an Awesome Acorn of the month instead, as some children are only in a couple of hours or a couple of days, so thought it was only fair that all Acorns children have the chance to show us over the month how awesome they are. Unfortunately we are back in bubbles again until further notice but the children are supporting each other and working very well together.

We have organised lots of activities throughout the term, starting from 3.15pm so that everyone can be involved before they go home (these will change daily).

Last week the children enjoyed working together, showing good team work. This week they enjoyed a film night, icing biscuits, outside activities, board games and team building skills, where the children worked well together making Lego models.

Next week's activities are:

<i>Monday</i> 17 th January <i>Art & Crafts</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> 18 th January <i>Board Games</i> <i>Night</i>	<i>Wednesday</i> 19 th January <i>Team Building</i> <i>Activities</i>	<i>Thursday</i> 20 th January <i>Film Night</i>	<i>Friday</i> 21 st January <i>Children Choose</i> <i>Activities</i>
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We thought it would also be nice to start doing some 'life skills' activities in Awesome Acorns such as sewing or cross stitch, learning how to tie shoe laces, (younger children) make sandwiches, prepare a simple recipe, growing their own vegetables (to bring home) the list goes on. These are just ideas we thought the children might enjoy doing.

We are here to encourage, help and support your children in Awesome Acorns so please let us know if you can think of anything else your child would like to do during the sessions.

Thank you for your continued support. *Mrs Slater and the Awesome Acorns team.*



Scripture -

Isaiah 60:1-6

60:1 Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PE KITS

Just to clarify the PE Kit requirements for both schools, please see the table below. Thank you.

NEEDWOOD PE KIT

Indoor:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• White T-shirt,• Bottle green shorts,• change of socks,
Outdoor:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• white T-shirt/polo shirt,• black shorts,• trainers,• Black Tracksuits may be worn at appropriate times.
KS2 Swimming
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Swimming trunks or one-piece costume should be worn,• Swimming caps will be worn by all children,• Items should be in a named waterproof bag.

RANGEMORE PE KIT

Indoor:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Red T-shirt,• Black shorts,• change of socks,
Outdoor:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• red T-shirt/polo shirt,• black shorts,• trainers,• Black tracksuits may be worn at appropriate times.
KS2 Swimming
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Swimming trunks or one-piece costume should be worn,• Swimming caps will be worn by all children,• Items should be in a named waterproof bag.

ADDITIONAL INSET DAY

We have an additional INSET day on Friday the 8th April 2022. Therefore, the children will break up for the Easter holidays on Thursday 7th April.

CENSUS DAY

It is census day on Thursday (20th) and we would like to encourage all Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children to stay for a school lunch on Thursday. The school is allocated extra funding based on the number of children that stay for a school lunch on that day. Thank you for your support.

NEXT WEEK'S LUNCH MENU IS WEEK 3

RECEPTION APPLICATIONS - CLOSING DATE REMINDER

Just a reminder that the closing date to apply for a place in Reception is 15 January 2022.

CHANGES TO THE SELF-ISOLATION PERIOD FOR THOSE WHO TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

From Monday 17 January, people who are self-isolating with COVID-19 will have the option to reduce their isolation period after 5 full days if they test negative with a lateral flow device (LFD) test on both day 5 and day 6 and they do not have a temperature. For example, if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6, they can return to their education or childcare setting immediately on day 6.

The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period, and the second must be taken the following day. All test results should be [reported to NHS Test and Trace](#).

If the result of either of their tests is positive, they should continue to self-isolate until they get negative results from two LFD tests on consecutive days or until they have completed 10 full days of self-isolation, whichever is earliest.

Anyone who is unable to take LFD tests or anyone who continues to have a temperature will need to complete the full 10 day period of self-isolation.



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A Date for your Diary

Pumpy
will be at the
Pumping Station
26/27 February 2022
when we are in
Steam



(Show included in normal
Admission price)



Professor Pumpernickel
travels the country with
his laboratory of lunacy.
His mission: -
to enthuse all ages and
abilities about science in
hope of seeding some
of our future inventors,
explorers, life savers and
superheroes.
If you like fire, explosions,
loads of mess and
mind-bending magic,
you'll love Pumpernickel.



Details correct at time of going to press

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 information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille.
Please speak to Mr Baxter if you have a particular requirement.

