

NEWSLETTER



The Forest Family

Awards

28th April 2023

ALL SAINTS

Class 1: **Henry** Class 2: **Spencer T** Class 3: **Natty** Class 4: **Alicia**

Badges: ★ **Amelia, Beau** (Red Star)

Headteacher awards: **Samuel R, Joseph L, Seth S, Sebastian B, Harvey S, Ray S, Poppy R, David S, Noah M, Harvey R, Francesca M-R, Iyla E, George M, George C-H, Thomas D**

Writer of the Week: **Francesca M-R**

NEEDWOOD

Class 1: **James R** Class 2: **Liberty** Class 3: **Martha**

Badges: ★ **Dillon S** (Bronze Star)

★ **Bertie G, Thomas C** (Gold Star)

Headteacher awards: **Sylvie P, Finn J, Alice R, May S, Grace P, Evie R, Francesca P, Joshua S, Henrietta W**

Writer of the Week: **Bertie**

Dear Parents,

We are well and truly settled into the Summer term, without the warm weather to go with it! Hopefully warmer, sunnier weather is around the corner!

As we approach the Coronation of His Majesty the King, we will be thinking about this historic event and celebrating in our own way. At the end of SATs week we will be enjoying a Coronation lunch at both schools. We hope this will be a lovely way to end the week and to also mark the occasion.

The children are working really hard at the moment, I am really proud of them! Keep up the good work, children!

Have a lovely long weekend

Best wishes,

Mr Baxter

ATTENDANCE

ALL SAINTS

CLASS 1 - 92%

CLASS 2 - 93%

CLASS 3 - 98%

CLASS 4 - 98%

NEEDWOOD

CLASS 1 - 92%

CLASS 2 - 95%

CLASS 3 - 95%

WELL DONE CHILDREN!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

DIARY - ALL SAINTS

1.5.23	MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
8.5.23	BANK HOLIDAY
9.5.23	KS2 SATS WEEK
18.5.23	PTA - MOVIE NIGHT
19.5.23	PTA - DRESS DOWN DAY (FOR CHOCOLATE DONATION)
23.5.23	PTA - BINGO
26.5.23	LAST DAY OF TERM

DIARY - NEEDWOOD

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The Events Field from 10.30-4.00
Sponsored by John Pye Auctions

Craft & Food Stalls
Have fun on the Bucking Bronco
Vote for your favourite Scarecrow & Crown
Indulge with 'Pimms' at the Bar (Licensed until 6pm)
Splat the Rat
Dunking Stool
Guess how many balloons in the Tractor! Prize £50
Bottle Tombola

Children's Marquee
Sponsored by RWA Motors & Yoxall Podiatry

'Smudgy' – Children's entertainer and balloon modeller
Face Painting by Jade & Friends
(M.C. Music in the Field -Suzanne Mackay)

Newborough Well Dressing is a Newborough Parish Council event in association with Needwood C of E (VA) Primary School

NEWBOUROUGH WELLDRESSING

A huge congratulations to both Tilly (C1) and Poppy (C3) whose well dressing design ideas were both picked to create our well dressing board ready for the Newborough Well Dressing event on Monday 1st May. The children have all been busy this week creating the Well Dressing board – we can't wait for you to see it! Well done to all and thank you for all the wonderful design ideas!

The Well Dressing event in the village starts at 10.00am and all families are welcome to attend and join in the fun for the day.

SCHOOL HORSERIDING TEAM

Our school horseriding team competed in several showjumping classes at Beaver Hall last weekend and showed incredible talent, effort and resilience.

Many team and individual places/rosettes were won and all riders have now qualified for the regional championships! Well done Oliver, Lucy, Xanthe, Heidi and Tiffany!



At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many games which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

ROBLOX

PEGI RATING
7+

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

Roblox is one of the most popular video games on the market. By 2020, the game's makers were claiming that more than half of children in the USA play it. As a 'sandbox' title, Roblox offers a huge amount of creative freedom: it lets players create their own gaming experiences with the Roblox Studio to build custom levels and games, which can then be shared with other players online. Roblox fosters creative thinking and enjoys a robust online community of fans.

CONTACT WITH STRANGERS

Roblox encourages players to communicate online (including a group chat facility). This could expose children to risks such as scammers, online predators, harassment, griefers and more. The in-game chat has some filters, but isn't perfect: players can still send harmful messages to others – such as general hostility – while predators can reach out to children directly.

PUBLIC SERVERS

Roblox has private or VIP servers which allow people to play exclusively with their friends, but this costs money. Most Roblox players will instead be on public servers that anyone can join. Servers can host games which focus on all kinds of aspects, including direct player interaction. Some games and servers, therefore, will put children more at risk of contact from strangers than others.

ONLINE DATERS

These are also called 'ODers' and are quite common in Roblox. An ODER is an individual who joins a game with the intention of finding someone to date online – and eventually meet in person. Such online dating is against the Roblox community guidelines, but this usually doesn't deter ODERs. Some player-built Roblox game worlds have even been designed with online dating specifically in mind.

IN-APP PURCHASES

Roblox is actually free to download and play, but bear in mind that there are some hidden costs. Players are encouraged to make purchases in the game, for example, using real money. People can also buy extra Robux (the in-game currency) to spend on cosmetic items in the game, and some private or VIP servers also have a cost.

Advice for Parents & Carers

SET PARENTAL CONTROLS

Roblox comes with several parental control options, which are explained well on the game's official website. It's essential to enter the correct date of birth for your child, as that allows Roblox to automatically apply the appropriate chat filters. The game also allows parents and carers to set monthly spending restrictions and monitor their child's account.

DISABLE PRIVATE MESSAGING

Roblox's private messaging function raises the risk of children being contacted by people they may not want to speak with – potentially leading to bullying, harassment, toxicity and scam attempts. The game allows you to disable messages from anyone who hasn't been added as a friend on your child's account.

PRIVATE SERVERS

If your child has some genuine friends to play Roblox online with, paying for a private or VIP server decreases the risk of contact from strangers. Even then, however, some players could invite other people – who might not necessarily be child friendly – into the private server. If your child is a Roblox fan, it's important to talk with them regularly about who they are playing the game with.

MONITOR SPENDING

If they don't understand they're using real money, it's easy for children to accidentally spend a sizeable amount in the game. Using parental controls to place limits on their spending will help avoid any nasty financial surprises. Ensuring that you have two-factor authentication on your payment accounts also makes it harder for your child to spend money inadvertently.

DEALING WITH STRANGERS

At some point in their development, your child will need to learn how to deal with strangers online. Show them how to block and report any users who are upsetting them or asking uncomfortable questions. Talking to them about what's OK to discuss – and what they should never tell a stranger online – will help them understand how to communicate with other people online safely.

Meet Our Expert

Clare Godwin (a.k.a. Lunawolf) has worked as an editor and journalist in the gaming industry since 2015, providing websites with event coverage, reviews and gaming guides. She is the owner of Lunawolf Gaming and is currently working on various gaming-related projects including game development and writing non-fiction books.



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PARTY IN THE PARK

**- SATURDAY 6TH MAY -
2pm - 4pm**

**COME AND BE A KING OR QUEEN FOR
THE DAY AT OUR VILLAGE PARTY!**

**Tatenhill & Rangemore Parish Council
will be hosting a party in the community
garden in Rangemore.**

**There will be crown decorating, games,
party food, teas, coffees & squash all
provided!**



**Tatenhill & Rangemore
Parish Council**

COMMUNITY

YOXALL GIRL GUIDES

Places are available for Year 5 and 6 girls.

If you are interested please contact them at 1styoxallguides@gmail.com and they will be happy to help.

'Guides is the most adventurous thing... It gives you the opportunity to meet people and see things you wouldn't normally see, and it's just an amazing experience'

Bryony



Guides

Contact

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Girls laugh, learn and expand their horizons

for ages 10 to 14

At Guides, all girls are welcome to enjoy our fun-filled space, where she'll make good friends, learn to be herself, explore what she loves and do stuff she's never done before!



Girlguiding

Registered charity number: Excepted from registration

Join a local Guides group girlguiding.org.uk/joinus

Gloworm Festival

MAIN STAGE

FRIDAY

daft funk
LIVE
HAPPY'S CIRCUS
GLOW-E-OKE
GLOWORM RAVE
FAIRGROUND

BIG TOP
(ACROSS THE WEEKEND)
SECRET CINEMA
MAMA G
FLYING KIWI CIRCUS | MAGICAL MYSTERY TOUR
GENTLE GIANTS - MEET THE ELEPHANTS
BOOM TOWN CLOWNS

GILBERT

Chase & Skye

THE HIVE
HAPPY'S CIRCUS
CIRCUS SKILLS
ACTUAL REALITY
ARCADE
DRUMMING
HOP WRESTLING
FAIRGROUND

SATURDAY

Living Joy

Mister Maker
FRIENDS
REBECCA KEATLEY | BASIL BRUSH
STAVROS FLATLEY
THE LANCASHIRE HOTPOTS | HAZE
ULTIMATE COLDPLAY | NIGEL CLARKE
WEST END KIDS | BING & FLOP
SUBLIME SCIENCE

DJ DEN
(ACROSS THE WEEKEND)
SOUL BUGGIN'
MAX DOLAN
DJ RAVIN' RACH

MEET & GREET

Blucy

HEY DUGGEE

zones
(ACROSS THE WEEKEND)
PLAYMOBIL ZONE
PLAY TABLES
MEET & GREET
BBC CBEEBIES
BEDTIME STORIES
MEET & GREET
SMOBY PLAY ZONE
SMOBY
AQUAPLAY

SUNDAY

MERCURY

Andy and the Oodles

POP PRINCESSES
NIGEL CLARKE | PINK TRIBUTE
WEST END KIDS | PUP PUP BOOGIE
BING & FLOP | PLAYMOBIL RAVE
SUBLIME SCIENCE

WHITE POST FARM
(ACROSS THE WEEKEND)
RORY CRAWFORD
LITTLE FARMERS CLUB
SCALEY & CREEPY CRAWLIE CLUB
BIRDS OF PRAY
MEET THE ANIMALS

Bing & Flop

POP Princesses

ORGANIX GREEN
ORGANIX
SHERWOOD OUTLAWS
LITTLE ADVENTURERS
FOREST SCHOOL
TINY TOTS
CHILDS FARM
BABY CHANGE
THE CARRYING WORKS
TRAIN MASTER
POP UP PLAY VILLAGE
LITTLE LEARNERS

DINO ZONE
DINO DIG
DINOSAUR HATCHERY
T-REX ENCOUNTER
JURASSIC GIANT
DINOSAUR ESCAPE
VIP
SOFT PLAY
SUBLIME SCIENCE
BEAT FEET DRUMMING
BELLY DANCING
TOOTIE FRUIT
(A SMOOTHIE SYMPHONY)

11TH - 13TH AUGUST 2023
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