

Awards

27th October 2023

ALL SAINTS

Class 1: **Thomas** Class 2: **Beau** Class 3: **Joseph W** Class 4: **Archer**

Badges: ☆ **Joseph W (Silver Star)** ☆ **Lily, Lewis (Gold Star)**

Headteacher awards: **Jack**

Writer of the Week: **Joseph W**

NEEDWOOD

Class 1: **Alfie H** Class 2: **Harrison** Class 3: **Martha**

Badges: ☆ **Ellie (Silver Star)**

Headteacher awards: **Rafe, Grace, Charlotte, Jude**

Writer of the Week: **Rafe**

Dear Parents,

I would like to say very well done to all of our children for working so hard in this very long first half term of the school year. It has been a busy few weeks so I hope all of the children have a good break and a restful holiday.

I look forward to seeing everyone after half term, and it won't be long before our Christmas events start! Please check the newsletter for the dates of all the Christmas events.

I hope you all have a good week.

Best wishes,

Mr Baxter

ATTENDANCE

ALL SAINTS

CLASS 1 - 88%

CLASS 2 - 91%

CLASS 3 - 98%

CLASS 4 - 93%

NEEDWOOD

CLASS 1 - 97%

CLASS 2 - 94%

CLASS 3 - 97%

WELL DONE CHILDREN!

FRUITS OF THE SPIRIT AWARDS

 JOY <i>Haadi</i> <i>Croft D</i>	 LOVE <i>Henry S</i> <i>Charlotte A</i>	 PEACE <i>Phoebe</i> <i>Paige F</i>
 GOODNESS <i>Lewis</i> <i>Amelia E</i>	 FAITHFULNESS <i>Pixie U</i> <i>Antora D</i>	 PATIENCE <i>Maddison</i> <i>Sienna S</i>
 KINDNESS <i>Alfie H</i>	 SELF CONTROL <i>George J</i> <i>Heidi W</i>	 GENTLENESS <i>Bea S</i> <i>Mrs J Jones</i>

DIARY - ALL SAINTS

30.10.23	HALF TERM HOLIDAY
6.11.23	INSET DAY
8.12.23	CHRISTINGLE/CAROLS 9.15 AM
20.12.23	CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE PM EYFS & KS1
22.12.23	LAST DAY OF TERM
8.1.24	BACK TO SCHOOL
9.2.24	PANCAKE RACE 2.45 PM
7.3.24	WORLD BOOK DAY
19.3.24	EASTER SERVICE 9.15 AM
3.7.24	SPORTS DAY AM
18.7.24	LEAVERS AND FINAL CELEBRATION 1.30 PM

DIARY - NEEDWOOD

30.10.23	HALF TERM HOLIDAY
6.11.23	INSET DAY
13.11.23	CLASS 1 PHONICS WORKSHOP 3.00 PM
23.11.23	FLU VACCINATIONS
1.12.23	CHRISTINGLE/CAROLS 2.00 PM
18.12.23	CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE 2.00 PM AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE 5.30 PM EVENING PERFORMANCE
22.12.23	LAST DAY OF TERM
8.1.24	BACK TO SCHOOL
9.2.24	PANCAKE RACE 9.15 AM
7.3.24	WORLD BOOK DAY
19.3.24	EASTER SERVICE 2.30 PM
4.7.24	SPORTS DAY AM
17.7.24	LEAVERS AND FINAL CELEBRATION 1.30 PM

Events and dates are subject to change but we will always try to stick to dates as much as possible.

RECEPTION APPLICATION PROCESS -

Primary/Infant/First Schools ONLY

The application process for a reception place for September 2024 will open on **01 November 2023**.

The easiest way for parents to apply is online. Further information can be found on Staffordshire County Council's website. (www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions).

The closing date is 15 January 2024.

CHECK IN WITH YOUR FRIENDS

If one of your friends doesn't seem OK, checking in on them can make a huge difference. One in every five children struggles with their mental health, so let's make sure we support each other through any difficult times.

BE A GOOD LISTENER

ASK HOW YOU CAN HELP

SHOW EMPATHY

SEND A NICE MESSAGE

BE KIND

★ BE SUPPORTIVE ★

IF YOU ARE WORRIED ABOUT A FRIEND
TELL A TRUSTED ADULT

I SAW THIS AND THOUGHT OF YOU!

WANTED TO LET YOU KNOW I'M THINKING OF YOU!

I'M HERE WHEN YOU NEED ME.

MISSED YOU AT SCHOOL TODAY. EVERYTHING OK?

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#WakeUpWednesday

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Community Safety Flash



Remember, Remember Celebrate Bonfire Night Safely.

The Firework Code

Fireworks are explosives and potentially dangerous, so they need careful handling and storage.

- Only buy fireworks that are CE marked.
- Don't drink alcohol if setting off fireworks.
- Keep fireworks in a closed box.
- Follow the instructions on each firework.
- Light them at arms' length, using a taper.
- Stand well back.
- Never go near a firework that has been lit. Even if it hasn't gone off it could still explode.
- Never put fireworks in your pocket or throw them.
- Always supervise children around fireworks.
- Light sparklers one at a time and wear gloves.
- Never give sparklers to a child under five.
- Keep pets indoors.
- Don't set off noisy fireworks late at night and never after 11pm.



Sparkler safety tips

- These are often viewed as harmless but they do burn at fierce temperatures and can easily cause injuries.
- Light sparklers one at a time.
- Supervise children with sparklers and never give them to children under five.
- Make sure everyone handling sparklers wears gloves.
- Hold sparklers at arm's length while being lit.
- Don't wave sparklers about close to other people.
- Never hold a baby in your arms while you are holding a sparkler.
- When you have finished with the sparkler put it in a bucket of cold water.



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 ELSIE DENNIS | TAS ACADEMY
 DANE PAVITT | NATURAL HISTORIAN

LICHFIELD CATHEDRAL
 WEDNESDAY 1ST NOVEMBER

Talk 1: 11:30 AM (30 MIN)
 Talk 2: 2:00 PM (30 MIN)
 Talk 3: 3:00 PM (30 MIN)

OCTOBER HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMP

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 East Staffordshire Borough Council

MEADOWSIDE LEISURE CENTRE, DE14 1TL
MONDAY 30TH OCTOBER - FRIDAY 3RD NOVEMBER

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BARTON SENIORS AFTERNOON TEA

You've been invited to enjoy a free, sociable afternoon tea with Barton Lions Club.

PLEASE NOTE THE REVISED DATE:
SUNDAY 19TH NOVEMBER 2023, 2.00 – 4.00PM
Barton under Needwood Village Hall, DE13 8AF

Please RSVP TO: Lion Geoff Trevena BY 10TH NOVEMBER, please. 01827 706 591 or 0781 691 5191 or geoff.trevena@gmail.com or 4 Morston, Dosthill, Tamworth, B77 1PP, with your name, any dietary restrictions, and if you would like transport to and from the venue.



Kids' Art Competition

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

CAN YOU DRAW US A PICTURE THAT SHOW PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER IN CARE HOMES AND HOSPITALS TO HELP PEOPLE BE HAPPY AND HEALTHY?



Send a photo of your artwork with your age, name and the contact details of a responsible adult to:

ddicb.joinedupcareers@nhs.net

Win £50 Love2Shop voucher if your artwork is published



Artists must be 4 - 16 years old

T&Cs and more information are available on joinedupcareers.co.uk/news/art-competition-2023

Closing date is 15 November 2023

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lest we forget

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

With participation from Needwood School

FRIDAY 10TH NOVEMBER, 10.45AM



Newborough Parish Council invites you to

Christmas Lights Switch On

December 1st 2023, 3.45pm

With music, entertainment and a special visit from Santa!!



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.

