

Newbold and Tredington C of E Primary School

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Our value for Collective Worship is Courage

Dear Parents/Carers,

The weather is slowly starting to turn autumnal. Please can you remember to send your children with a coat every day as, even when the weather is inclement, we will try to get out for some fresh air at playtimes.

If your child still needs some wellies for Wild Learning, please send in a pair that can stay in school because the children will be on the school field whatever the weather (and it will save you from cleaning muddy school shoes)!

Mrs Welsby

PTFA NEWS

The PTFA AGM was held at Tredington school at 8pm on Tuesday 26th September.

The following posts were elected:

Chair: Siobhan Race-Hall (Harry Y1)

Vice Chair: Tasha Dixon (Sienna R, Miles Y1, Alistair Year 2)

Secretary: Geraldine Chorley (Emily Nursery and Bea Y1)

Treasurer: Mel Harris (Katie R and Jack Y2)

Next meeting: 10th October at The Fuzzy Duck, Armscote



Dinner Money

Just a reminder that the cost for school dinners is now £2.15 per day.

On Friday 22nd September, we had a 'Jeans for Genes' non-uniform day and raised £76 for Cystic Fibrosis trust. Did you see us in the Stratford Herald? Thank you for your support.



KS1 Agility

Well done to all of the children that took part in the KS1 Agility after school at Shipston High. Everyone tried their hardest and represented the school well.

Kitchen appeal!

We are hoping to refurbish the staff room by replacing the kitchen units. If you are having a kitchen makeover and wish to donate your old ones, please let us know.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who ate cake, drank tea and more importantly donated towards this worthwhile cause and to Shipston Hospice at Tredington on Friday 29th September.



YR/1/2 Universal Free School Meals—Census Day

School funding for the universal free meals for YR/1/2 is based on the average take up on the Autumn and Spring census days this year. The first census day is on **Thursday 5th October** and the second is in **January 2017**. Once again, I would urge as many children from YR/1/2 to have a school meal on this day so that we are given adequate funding for the year.

ALL FOR FREE FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION, YEAR 1 & 2.



Thank you to all the children who took part in Readathon and everyone that donated. We raised £310 and earned £62 worth of books for our school. Miss Walsh will be asking children for book requests.

Shining Stars for celebration Assembly

Lucy Bea Harry H

Daniel Megan J Caiden

Amelia Katie B Jacob G

Jack Ella Jacob K

Golden Ticket

Johney D
Freddie
Ned

Amber Class

For the past few weeks, we have been working hard on imagining life as a wartime evacuee. As well as reading Goodnight Mister Tom, the children have been conducting research about 1940's life inside and outside of the classroom. We have experienced a wartime PE lesson, multiple air raids and even got used to carrying gas masks around with us all the time!

We have worked hard at writing letters to and from home - taking on multiple roles of different characters. Here is an example of our fabulous homework completed when researching Anderson shelters:



Emerald Class

We enjoyed designing and making Anglo-Saxon shields as part of our Invaders and Raiders topic. When reading Beowulf, we created questions, interviewed Beowulf to see if he would be a suitable beast slayer and wrote in role to apply for the job.



Sapphire Class

We are learning about materials in science. Would you want a chocolate teapot? We don't! Did you know wolves eat pigs? This is just one of the facts that we are writing about in English to help us to decide if the wolf was big and bad or cute and cuddly! We are learning all sorts of things and our brains are! Please ask about them. Finally, in French we are learning a song that - well, just wait to hear it!

Ruby Class

We have been busy in Ruby class. We have been learning 'We're going on a bear hunt' by Michael Rosen. We have read and performed Autumn poems. In maths, we have been adding and taking away.



DIARY DATES:	
Wednesday 4th October	Sapphire IMPaCT - English
Friday 6th October	Shining Stars Celebration Assembly 3pm
Wednesday 11th October	Amber IMPaCT - English
Friday 13th October	Staff training day - Nursery open
Wednesday 18th October	Emerald IMPaCT - English
Friday 20th October	Ruby Class Assembly 3pm
Monday 23rd October	Half Term
Thursday 2nd November	Reception phonics evening
Friday 3rd November	Shining Stars Celebration Assembly 3pm
Wednesday 8th November	Tchoukball 4-5.30pm Shipston High School
Friday 10th November	Whole School Remembrance Service (3pm)
Friday 17th November	Sapphire Class Assembly
Monday 20th November	Parents' Evening 4-6pm
Wednesday 22nd November	Parents' Evening 4-6pm
Thursday 23rd November	LINK DAY - Christmas Around the World
Thursday 7th December	Dodgeball SHS 4-5.30pm
Friday 8th December	Amber Class Assembly
Tuesday 12th December	Last swimming for Year 4/5/6
Friday 15th December	Shining Stars Celebration Assembly 3pm
Friday 5th January 2018	(Warwickshire training day)
Friday 25th May 2018	Staff training
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Please note there is one more day to set.