



Dear Newbold and Tredington families,

This half term's value is:



All I can say is where did January go? I can't believe that we are now in February and only have four days of the half term left! (Staff training Day on Friday 14th February and Monday 24th February).

We have already had a busy first half term with sporting events such as fencing, dodgeball, athletics and swimming and we have further events in the diary for after the half term.

We have also had Mr Kemp working with the children at Tredington to give us fortnightly singing lessons and a wide range of instrument tuition. If you would like to learn an instrument, let Mrs Baker know. Mr Kemp would also like to run a choir after school on a Tuesday. We tried to start this in January but didn't have enough interest. Now that the children have had a taste of his lessons we are hoping to start after February half term. A letter will be going out early next week.

Mrs Welsby

Visit from Darren Harris

Tredington children enjoyed exercising to raise money for new sports equipment:



'On Thursday 30th January 2020, the inspiring Paralympic athlete Darren Harris joined us pupils at Newbold and Tredington School, followed by his humble assistant, Belinda. They led us through a fitness course to get our hearts pumping. Darren is the most inspiring person I have ever met. I learnt that no matter what, anything is possible.'

By Harvey, Emerald Class.



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As a school we have developed characters that help the children to think about their learning in non academic ways. These are skills that the children can develop and reinforce to help them become exceptional learners. The characters are also linked to our collective worship values and identify the Christian distinctiveness of our school.

S	<p>Self-believing Sarah</p> <p>I am confident to have a go on my own. I keep practising. I try different strategies to solve problems. I share my ideas with others.</p>	
H	<p>Hopeful Hiram</p> <p>I never give up, even when it is tricky. I am not afraid to make mistakes and learn from them. I am excited to try new things. I think positively.</p>	
I	<p>Inspirational Isaac</p> <p>I set myself challenging goals. I make learning fun. I reflect on my learning. I think before I act.</p>	
N	<p>Neighbourly Noah</p> <p>I treat everyone equally. I help others in our school and church community. I include others. I am gracious about my success and celebrate the success of others.</p>	
E	<p>Engaged Eve</p> <p>I am enthusiastic about learning. I manage distractions. I develop learning further (including at home). I ask sensible questions.</p>	

Shining Stars for Celebration Assembly

17.1.2020

Eliza
Lyra
Isabel
Poppy HJ
Charlie
Jack
Hannah
Timmy



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School Council and Ruby Class

The Cake Sale raised over
£40 last week - thank you
Ruby Class for your
wonderful baking.

Golden Ticket

Ethan
James B
Katie H
Neney
Isla W
Emily W



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Keeping parents up to date with all the news

As a school we endeavour to keep you informed about school events in many ways. The monthly newsletter contains important dates on the back page, the Weekly Bulletin gives events that are occurring in the week ahead and the letters that have gone out during the week. Both these publications are emailed out to parents. In addition, the school Facebook page is used for updates and the Weekly Bulletin is also posted on Facebook for easy reference. The school website contains the Weekly Bulletin, Monthly Newsletter and a calendar of dates and events in school.

www.newboldtredington.warwickshire.sch.uk

We are very lucky as a school that the staff run after school clubs. When we produce the club letter at the end of the term we check to see if there are dates we know that we can't make. All the staff have after school training to attend throughout the term, including subject leader meetings and consortium moderation so we ensure that the clubs letter contains advanced warning of dates we know that we are unable to run the club. We try to give you as much warning as possible to help with your own child care arrangements. Unfortunately, there are times when staff are ill or training gets added or changed and we will do our best to cover a club with another member of staff. This isn't always possible or sustainable over a longer period of time and there are times when we need to cancel. We know that this can be inconvenient but we will contact you to notify of these changes.

PTFA NEWS

Next meeting: Thursday 5th March at The George, Shipston 8pm
Everyone is welcome to join the meeting.

Upcoming PTFA Events

Thursday 13th February - Disco night at Tredington (4-4.45pm Newbold children)
(5-6pm Tredington children)

Friday 20th March - Mother's Day Secret Room

Tuesday 31st March - Tredington Cinema Night

Wednesday 1st April - Newbold Cinema Night

Don't forget to keep fundraising for school by using the Easy Fundraising page.



Mrs Perrott would like any unwanted small world sets - Happy Land/ Little People/Playmobil and any doll or bear clothes in good condition please.

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Written reports to parents

This year we are changing the timings of the way we report to parents/carers by providing you with a written report in the Spring Term. You will receive this written report about the progress that your child is making in March and it will include targets that we would like to work on to increase their overall attainment at the end of the year. We are making these changes so that parents can continue to work alongside school to ensure your child is reaching their full potential.

After the reports go out there will be an opportunity for you to come into school and look at your child's books and share their learning. There will not be any formal appointments on those days but if you wish to talk to the class teacher then there will be the opportunity to make an individual 10 minute appointment at a time convenient to yourself and the class teacher.

The "Book Look" open afternoons will be on Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th March between 3.30-4.30pm at each site.

If you have concerns about a child out of school time then don't be afraid to let someone know.

You can contact the Warwickshire MASH team on (01926) 414144



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DIARY DATES:	
Friday 14th February	Staff Training Day - Nursery closed
Monday 17th February	Half term holiday
Monday 24th February	Staff Training Day - Nursery closed
Wednesday 26th February	Year 6 SATs meeting for parents 6pm
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day Link Day
Monday 9th March	Taking Care project -week 1 All Stars cricket taster session for Year 1 and 2
Tuesday 10th March	Discover an Artist day
Friday 13th March	Shining Star Celebration Assembly
Monday 16th March	Taking Care project -week 2
Friday 20th March	Mother's Day Tea Party
Monday 23rd March	Taking Care project -week 3 "Book Look" - school open 3.30-4.30pm so that you can come in and see your children's work.
Tuesday 24th March	"Book Look" - school open 3.30-4.30pm so that you can come in and see your children's work.
Wednesday 25th March	Reception Parents' Evening 4-6pm at Newbold
Friday 27th March	Amber Class Assembly Sapphire class supply the cakes for School Council Cake Sale
Monday 29th March	Taking Care project -week 4
Tuesday 31st March	PTFA Cinema Night (Tredington)
Wednesday 1st April	PTFA Cinema Night (Newbold)
Thursday 2nd April	Easter Service 2pm
Friday 3rd April	End of term- school finishes normal time. Newbold children stay at Newbold all day
Monday 20th April	Back to school and Nursery
Friday 8th May	BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 10th May	SATS week
Friday 15th May	Shining Star Celebration Assembly
Friday 22nd May	Emerald Class Assembly Ruby class supply the cakes for School Council Cake Sale
Monday 25th May	Half term holiday
Tuesday 2nd June	Discover an Artist day
Monday 7th June	Croft Farm Week
Friday 12th June	Zoolab visiting Nursery
Monday 15th June	Parents' Evening

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Thursday 18th June	Parents' Evening
Friday 19th June	Father's Day BBQ
Friday 26th June	Ruby Class Assembly Emerald class providing the cakes for the sale.
Tuesday 30th June	Reception New Intake Meeting 6pm
Thursday 9th July	Sports Day Link Day
Monday 13th July	Reserve Sports Day
Tuesday 14th July	Mystery trip for Year 6
Thursday 16th July	Leavers' Service 2pm Picnic on the Field 5.30-7.30pm
Friday 17th July	End of term for children Newbold children stay at Newbold all day
Monday 20th July	Staff Training Day - Nursery closed

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