



# Newport CE (VA) Primary School

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**Newsletter**

**Executive Headteacher: Katherine Marshall**

**15th September 2017 Issue 1**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to all the children who have joined Newport this term, particularly the new children in EYFS who are starting school for the first time. A very big Thank You to all parents for making sure their child arrived at school looking so smart and all ready to learn. There has certainly been an excited and purposeful buzz around the school as the children settle into their new classes and tackle the first topics of the year: 'Safety Week' and 'Isle of Wight'.

This year each class has been named after a children's author. Across the year they will be finding out about the books they have written and what has made them such successful writers. The class names are as follows:

Donaldson - Miss Fletcher EYFS  
Carle - Mrs Binsley-Smith EYFS  
Seuss - Miss McDonald Y1  
Jeffers - Mrs Donovan Y1/2  
Rosen - Mrs Ridett Y2  
Mitchell - Mrs Exell Y3  
Dahl - Mrs Thorburn / Mrs Cobden Y3/4  
Milligan - Mrs Donald / Mrs Baker Y4  
Walliams - Mrs McQueen Y5  
Rowling - Mrs Lawrence Y5/6  
Blackman - Ms Sivier Y6.

As you know the classes have moved around, all of which has gone very smoothly; our year 5 & 6 children are delighted with their new spacious classrooms and have reported to us how much they prefer them. As part of the move around we also now have a dedicated Art room, and Mrs Baker will be working with all year groups on special art projects across the year. In addition to this, Mrs Donald is also now teaching music lessons for one day each week, so all classes will have the opportunity of music lessons for one term across the year.

We are delighted to share with you the news that Golden Eagle class won the Isle of Wight Day spoken word poetry competition they entered in July. Not only were they the winners in their age category (KS2), but also the overall competition winners. The judges said they were very impressed with their performance and really appreciated the hard work the children had put into their piece. We are very proud of them! As winners the children have now been invited to perform at The Island's Got Talent later this month.

Our Key Stage one entry also won their category - showing just how much talent the children at Newport have. A huge well done to all.

Katherine Marshall  
Executive Headteacher





Miss Marshall's diary for the start of the Autumn Term:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk1 Beg 18th Sept	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke
Wk2 Beg 25th Sept	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>



# Achievement Board



Class	Attendance for the fortnight %	Pupils Late	School Community Award
			   
Carle	*100	0	Robyn Daish-Miller and Henry Howard
Donaldson	99.59	0	Dexter Newnham and Pippa Simmonds
Seuss	99.73	0	Evalyn Hopkinson and Seth Pritchard
Jeffers	98.85	0	Preston Evison and Jude Warder
Rosen	96.90	1	Isabelle Hawkins and Joseph Lamanna
Mitchell	97.53	0	Kacey-Mae Peach and Jack Price
Dahl	97.25	0	Beau Burton and Lucy Simmonds
Milligan	93.88	0	Lily Furnell-Horner and Molly Harwood
Walliams	93.33	0	Lexi Cooke and Teigan Sandells
Rowling	94.64	0	George Cosgrove and Taylor-Brooke Tipper
Blackman	99.58	0	Josie Gould and Joseph Wells



We have had time to rest,  
 And now we are full of energy.  
 We have had time to think,  
 And now we are full of ideas.  
 We have had time to stop,  
 And now it's time to get going.  
 Be with us God at the start of this new school year.  
 Amen

## News from Blackman Class



What a fabulous start to Year 6 we have had in Blackman Class! The children have quickly settled into their role as leaders of the school and are all determined to make the most of their final year of primary school. We have been working hard from Day 1 and have already enjoyed a whole range of activities inside the classroom and beyond.



The children showed how sensible and mature they are when we were visited by Michelle from the NSPCC. The children listened attentively and asked thoughtful questions as we learned more about staying safe and protecting ourselves.



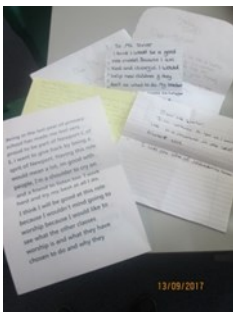
We are using our Prayer Corner for class worship and are grateful for what god provides.



In the run up to Isle of Wight Day 2017, we have been studying the topographical features of the island. As well as using maps to develop our geographical skills, we are using papier mache to create models of the island that we will label and put on display.



We are determined to make the most of every day and are working hard in class to grasp new concepts and ideas in English and maths. We are especially pleased with how much effort we are putting in to the editing process and to checking our own work before handing it in.



Lots of us applied for positions as House Captains, Sports Captains, librarians and Spirit Club – we are now excited to find out who has been successful!



We are looking forward to making the most of Year 6 - sailing, SATs, Residential and transition! We are using the whole learning environment and are enjoying our new learning. We have made an excellent start to our final year at Newport CE!





## Notices

Wight Music Tuition - For children in years 3 - 6. If you are interested in your child learning to play an instrument or to continue their lessons, please pick up an Expression of Interest form from the school office.

NHS Flu vaccinations are being offered to all children in EYFS, Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y4. Please complete and return the letter that your children is bringing home today regarding this by Thursday 21st September. Many thanks.

If you wish your child in Yr 3 - 6 to walk home alone, please complete a new walking home form at the office if you haven't already done so. Thank you.

## Diary Dates

**Saturday 30th September - Cardwell Family Photos Session from 10.00am - 12.30pm. Please see the office to book a time.**

**Friday 20th October - Last day of term**

**Monday 30th October - Back at school**

**Thursday 21st December - Last day of term**

**Thursday 4th January 2018 - Development Day - School closed**

**Friday 5th January 2018 - Development Day - School closed**

**Monday 8th January 2018 - Back at school**

**Monday 23rd July 2018 - Development Day - School closed**

## C L E A N E R

We have a vacancy for a Cleaner.

Times are: 3.45—6.15 p.m. Monday to Friday.

Salary pro rata: £4223 per annum approx.

Term time only

If you are interested please download an application form from the website.

### Menu for week beginning 18 September 2017

Monday:	BBQ chicken pizza with jacket wedges / Bean vegetable chilli with rice, sweetcorn and mixed peppers, pear sponge with custard.
Tuesday:	Minced beef and onion pie with mashed potatoes / Vegetable wholemeal pasta bake, green beans and glazed carrots, Rice pudding with mixed berries.
Wednesday:	Roast chicken with stuffing with roast potatoes / Vegetable wellington with roast potatoes and gravy, savoy cabbage and sweetcorn, cheeses, apple and biscuits.
Thursday:	Beef lasagne / Red pepper frittata with new potatoes, broccoli and tomato salad, apple and raisin strudel with custard.
Friday:	Breaded or battered fish with chips / Cheese and tomato pizza with chips, garden peas and baked beans, yoghurt and fresh fruit platter.

### Menu for week beginning 25 September 2017

Monday	Sausages with mashed potatoes and gravy / Quorn sausages with mashed potatoes and gravy, cauliflower and peas, wholemeal plum and vanilla crumble with custard.
Tuesday:	Shepherd's pie with gravy / Sweet and sour vegetables with noodles, carrots and green beans, apple and raisin flapjack.
Wednesday:	Roast pork with roast potatoes and gravy / Quorn roast with roast potatoes and gravy(v) , with savoy cabbage and swede, carrot and courgette cake with custard.
Thursday:	Chicken tikka with rice / Creamy vegetable pie with mashed potato topping(v) with sweetcorn and peppers, Dutch apple pie and custard.
Friday:	Salmon fishcake and chips / Macaroni cheese with garlic slice(v) with baked beans and garden peas, lemon drizzle cake.

Reminder: All Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children are entitled to a free school meal.

### School Meal Options

As well as the daily menu, we also offer the option of a jacket potato with a choice of filling, salad and dessert. Choose from cheese, cheese/beans, beans or tuna mayonnaise. We are also offering KS2 a baguette option. Choose from cheese, ham or tuna. All jacket potatoes/baguettes/vegetarian options must be booked with the office either in advance or by 9.30am each day - £1.85 per day.

**Polite reminder - school meals are now £1.85 each and must be paid for either in advance, or on the day taken.**

**Morning Break Snacks** are available for Years 2 - 6. *\*New prices\**

Toast (1 buttered slice) 25p

Crumpet (buttered) 50p

1/2 teacake (buttered) 25p

Milk or Orange Juice 50p (water always available)

**Secondary Schools - New Intake 2018**

For Year 6 children:

Cowes Enterprise College  
Open Evening - 28th September between 6.00pm and 8.30pm.  
Presentations at 6.30pm and 7.30pm.

Medina College  
Open Evening - 10th October  
Open Mornings- 10th and 11th October

Carisbrooke College  
Open Evening - 5th October between 5.00pm and 8.00pm.  
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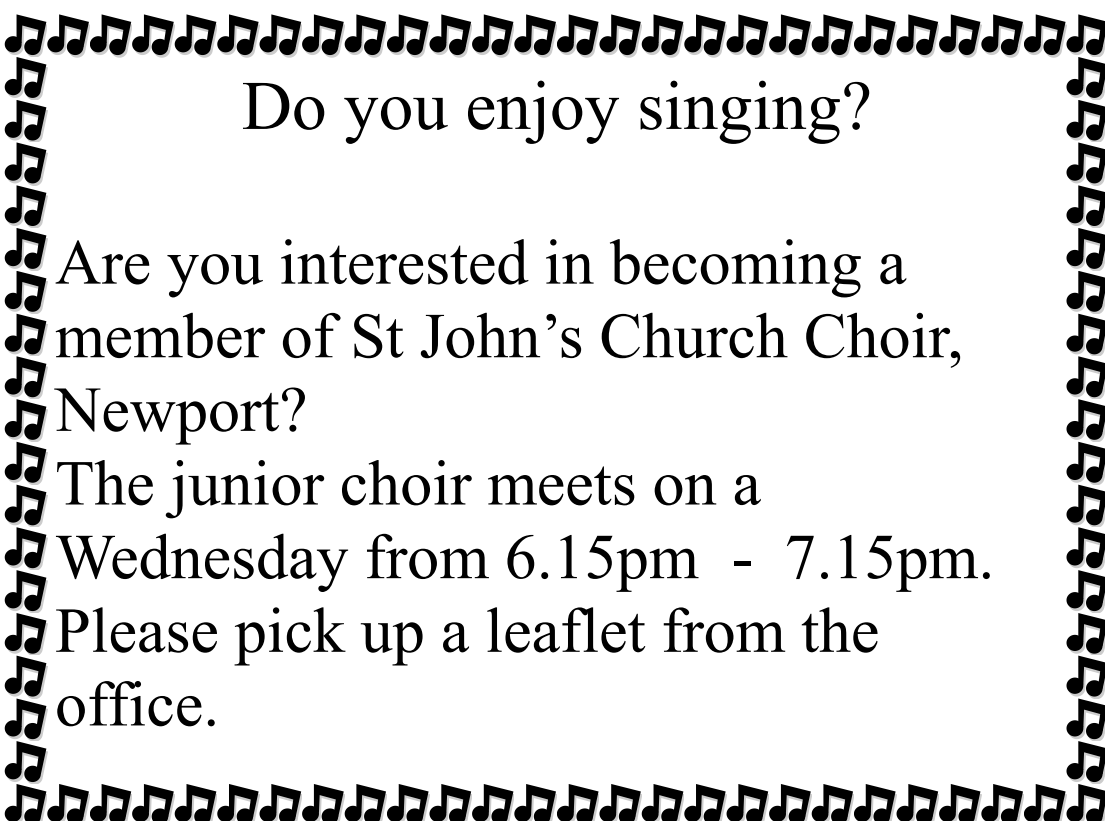
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Do you enjoy singing?

Are you interested in becoming a member of St John's Church Choir, Newport?

The junior choir meets on a Wednesday from 6.15pm - 7.15pm. Please pick up a leaflet from the office.

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