



Newport CE (VA) Primary School

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Newsletter

Executive Headteacher: Katherine Marshall

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am very pleased to share the overview of the recent survey parents completed at the parent - teacher consultation sessions. Many thanks to all the parents who took the time to complete the comments section as well as the specific questions. We are very pleased that the responses are overwhelmingly positive regarding the quality of provision at Newport.

We will be looking at ways to improve further and take on board suggestions made around:

- providing more cross federation events
- further increasing the range of after school clubs
- further increasing sporting opportunities
- reviewing our approach to homework
- working with the school caterer to improve school lunches and snack service

We will of course keep parents updated with regards to any improvements.

The class assemblies and open lessons have been very well received, and it has been lovely to welcome so many parents to these events. We are a little disappointed that some parents have chosen not to shut off their phones during these events, and would appreciate people not answering calls / checking emails / facebook whilst attending these activities.

I know that the expectation for children to wear their school PE kit to after school sports events has caused a little consternation. As these are school activities, and all children have a school PE kit we do ask that they wear this rather than the latest football kit, which are best saved for out of school wear or indeed mufti-days.

The FON 'Neon' disco is all set for after school today and we are looking forward to seeing the children enjoy themselves. Many thanks to the FON for the time and effort they give to organising these fund raising events for the children.

I would also like to remind parents about parking considerably in the roads surrounding the school, particularly Westminster Lane, outside Carita House. This is housing for people with severe physical and/or learning disabilities, and there is a need to ensure constant access for carers and indeed ambulances.

Katherine Marshall
Executive Headteacher

Miss Marshall's diary for the next two weeks:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk1 Beg 20th Nov	Carisbrooke	Newport	Carisbrooke	Newport	Carisbrooke
Wk2 Beg 27th Nov	Newport	Carisbrooke	Newport	Carisbrooke	Newport



Achievement Board



Class	Attendance for the fortnight %	Pupils Late	School Community Award
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Carle	*100	0	Kylan Doig and Yasmine Lloyd
Donaldson	97.73	0	Rama Al Ashkar and Dylan Brading
Seuss	96.89	0	Jessie Goring and Reginald Ricketts
Jeffers	95.65	0	Noah Knight and Millie Tasker
Rosen	99.04	1	Izzy Gardiner-Hill and Layla McDonald-Wheeler
Mitchell	95.73	2	Dylan Donovan and Nina Grzybowski
Dahl	94.87	0	Tyler Edgerton and Rosie Wright
Milligan	97.02	0	Liam Blanchard and Sophie Sanders
Walliams	95.59	0	Charlie Eastman and Christy-Leigh Penberthy
Rowling	96.24	1	Olivia Austin and Louis Avis
Blackman	96.90	1	Lexie Harverson and Ellie Tasker



Dear God,

Thank you for the different places in the world and for the different foods and drinks.
Thank you for the animals like cows, ducks, pigs, goats and sheep and all the other wonderful animals.

Thank you for everything else in the world.

Amen

Written by Eleanor Maidment and Emily Hayward - Rosen class, Year 2

News from Dahl Class

Dahl class have been working hard lately across all areas of the curriculum and we are going to share a few of these experiences with you today.

In English, our work at the moment is based around the story of Krindlekrax by Philip Ridley. It is about a boy who wants to be a hero and we have enjoyed thinking about super heroes and exploring the characters in the story.

Our recent learning in Maths has been about fractions and decimals. We have been adding, subtracting and ordering fractions as well as finding equivalent fractions and decimals. We have also been solving problems involving fractions and decimals and our most recent investigation involved measuring ourselves! We then used these measurements to find what happens when we divide a number by 10 or 100.



We are still enjoying our Wednesday morning carousel of Computing, Music and French. Our computer skills are improving; we are becoming more confident when speaking French and we are now learning to play the recorder in Music!



In Discovery, we have been planning and preparing a tea party for some elderly members of the community. We enjoyed evaluating and tasting different cakes and our findings helped us create our own flapjack recipes. We are all looking forward to weighing out the ingredients, mixing the flapjacks and baking these!

Diary Dates

Friday 24th November - Mufti Day - Donations of chocolate, tombola items, toiletries, gifts, raffle items please for FON Christmas Fair

Friday 1st December - Mufti Day - Donations of cakes and wine please for FON Christmas Fair

Saturday 2nd December - Christmas Fair 11am - 1pm

Friday 8th December - Rowling Class Assembly

Wednesday 13th December - EYFS & KS1 Nativity 2pm - Dragon (Red) and Griffin (Green)
6pm - Phoenix (Yellow) and Unicorn (Blue)

Thursday 14th December - EYFS & KS1 Nativity 2pm - Phoenix (Yellow) and Unicorn (Blue)
6pm - Dragon (Red) and Griffin (Green)

Information regarding tickets to follow

Friday 15th December - Christmas Jumper Day

Tuesday 19th December - Christmas Dinner Day

Wednesday 20th December - KS2 Carol Service at St Johns Church 10am

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

Christmas Dinner - Tuesday 19th December

All children have been given a letter for the Christmas dinner day.

Please can you complete this whether you would like your child to have a Christmas dinner or not. All letters must be returned by Friday 1st December.

Thank you

Menu for week beginning 20 November 2017

Monday:	Beef burger with jacket wedges / Vegetable lasagne with jacket wedges(v) with coleslaw and sweetcorn, orange bread and butter pudding with custard.
Tuesday:	Chicken Neapolitan wholemeal pasta / Lentil and basil puff pastry turnover with new potatoes, with broccoli and carrots, wholemeal banana loaf.
Wednesday:	Roast turkey with roast potatoes and gravy / Mixed vegetable loaf with roast potatoes and gravy (v), carrots and courgettes, vanilla shortbread.
Thursday:	Spaghetti beef Bolognese / Lentil and sweet potato curry with rice(v) with roasted mixed vegetables, eves pudding with custard.
Friday:	Fish fingers with chips / Cheese and tomato quiche with chips(v) with baked beans and garden peas, chocolate and beetroot brownie.

Menu for week beginning 27 November 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.

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)