



# Newport CE (VA) Primary School

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## *Endurance, Fellowship, Compassion and Peace*

Dear Parents and Carers,

The recent maths workshops for parents were very well received by those parents who were able to attend, all saying that they found them very useful. As many parents have asked for support in this area it would be good to see more parents attending these events.

Our governing body recently attended training to help them further develop the Christian distinctiveness of the school, part of this work involves keeping parents up to date about the collective worship which takes place daily in our school. As you may be aware our collective worship follows a values theme which is shared on the website. If parents would like to follow up the theme with their child we will periodically be sending home an ideas leaflet of activities you could do with your child at home. Please find attached to this newsletter a leaflet on the current theme of 'Fellowship'.

Included in this newsletter is an introduction to our house captains. This term they are busy planning our involvement in the forth-coming 'Sports Relief' charity event.

As usual we have lots of sporting events taking place which give a range of children opportunities to further develop a love of sport. Over the last few weeks teams from Year 5 and 6 have competed in a basketball competition and indoor athletics competition. Well done to all involved.

We also have a number of events taking place to challenge our more able children, this includes a maths problem solving afternoon for some Y6 children and maths challenge events for our Y5 and Y4 children. For those into performing arts we are also sending a group of children to take part in a 'Bollywood Dance' workshop.

This year we are also entering a new festival of dance event called 'Isle Dance'. Our Y5 children, under the expert guidance of a specialist dance graduate and Mrs McQueen, are busy rehearsing their performance, creating their costumes and props ready for the big night on 5th February. A sneak preview of their performance shows that this promises to be a fabulous entry.

Regards  
Katherine Marshall  
Executive Headteacher

Miss Marshall's diary for the next two weeks:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk1 Beg 29th Jan	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke
Wk2 Beg 5th Feb	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>	Carisbrooke	<b>Newport</b>



# Achievement Board



Class	Attendance for the fortnight %	Pupils Late	School Community Award
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Carle	96.30	1	Sapphire Carroll and Keiran Mew
Donaldson	94.95	0	Dylan Brading and Ava Morley
Seuss	*100	2	Charles Johnson and Freya Jones
Jeffers	96.53	2	Daisy Kitcher and Jacob Todd
Rosen	97.51	3	Eleanor Maidment and Lilly Street
Mitchell	97.22	4	Connor Hopkins and Isabella Owers
Dahl	97.28	1	Leah-May Fulljames and Grace Garner
Milligan	97.94	1	Daniel Downer and Chloe Oxley
Walliams	95.79	1	Noah Brent-Bianchi and Lily Rippon
Rowling	98.21	2	Maisy Priddle and Cody Worsfold
Blackman	91.50	1	Harry Bexon-Stone and Thomas Townshend



Dear Lord,

Sometimes it is hard to set a good example to those around us.

Help us to take on the responsibility for showing those younger than us the best way to behave.

Show us how to follow those who, like you, guide us in the right way to live.

When we make mistakes, forgive us and help us to try again so that we can help to create a happy community in which to live.

Amen

## Learning Experiences in Seuss

So far in 2018 we have been learning about...



In Maths we have been exploring fractions. We have learnt how to find half and quarters of shapes and numbers. Some children even discovered that half of a half is a quarter!

In English we have been reading *The Emperor's Egg*. The book has taught us loads of facts about Emperor penguins; how they are born, who looks after the baby penguins, what they eat and how they stay warm! We've used this information to create our own fact and information pages ready to make our own Emperor Penguin fact book.



We have just finished the Discovery topic of Going for Goals. We looked at different careers and even thought about what we all wanted to be when we are older and what skills we need in order to be successful. The children decided, during a discussion, that you can be either gender to do any job!

In PE, Seuss Class have been focusing on gymnastics; in particular shapes you can make with your body and balancing. We've got the equipment out and the children loved exploring different shapes they could make when jumping. What great teamwork as well!



Finally, in ICT, we have begun to create our very own eBook of *The Gingerbread Man*. In pairs the children are working together to create a page for the book. So far we've completed our page plans and thought about the size of objects and their colours.





### Diary Dates

Friday 9th February 2018 - Seuss Class Assembly

Friday 9th February 2018 - Last day of half term

Monday 19th February 2018 - Back to school

Friday 9th March 2018 - Walliams Class Assembly

Wednesday 14th March 2018 - Parent Consultation Meetings 3.30pm - 5.30pm

Thursday 15th March 2018 - Parent Consultation Meetings 5.00pm - 8.00pm

Wednesday 28th March 2018 - KS2 Easter Service in school. Yr 5 parents welcome to attend

Thursday 29th March 2018 - Easter Service at 10am at The Minster. All parents welcome to attend

Thursday 29th March 2018 - Last day of term

Monday 16th April 2018 - Back to school

Friday 27th April 2018 - Mitchell Class Assembly

Monday 7th May 2018 - May Day - School closed

Friday 18th May 2018 - Jeffers Class Assembly

Friday 25th May 2018 - Last day of half term

Monday 4th June 2018 - Back to school

Friday 22nd June 2018 - EYFS Classes Assembly

Monday 23rd July 2018 - Development Day - School closed



### School Trips

Yr 5 - London Trip - The next instalment of £50 is due on 31st January.

Yr 6 - Medina Valley Trip - The next instalment of £50 is due on 31st January.

### After School Clubs

Please can all clubs be paid for by Friday 2nd February. Many thanks.

### **Menu for week beginning 29th January 2018**

Monday:	Hot dog with potato wedges / veggie hot dog with potato wedges(v), mixed salad, tomato and onion slaw, pear crumble and custard.
Tuesday:	Baked Greek lasagne / spinach and tomato quiche(v) with new potatoes, courgettes in tomato sauce, cauliflower, apple, cheese and biscuits.
Wednesday:	Roast turkey with roast potatoes and gravy / mixed vegetable loaf with roast potatoes(v), broccoli, carrots, chocolate cookies.
Thursday:	Beef goulash with rice / veggie bolognese with rice(v), sweetcorn, apple berry strudel.
Friday:	Fish in batter with chips / cheese and tomato pizza with chips(v), baked beans, garden peas, chocolate and mandarin brownie.

### **Menu for week beginning 5th February 2018**

Monday:	Beef burger in a bun with oven baked new potatoes / vegetarian burger in a bun with oven baked new potatoes (v) broccoli and sweetcorn, carrot and sultana cake with custard.
Tuesday:	Turkey and vegetable pie with pastry topping and mashed potato / mixed bean cassoulet with mashed potato (v) cauliflower and green beans, Tutti fruity Tuesday.
Wednesday:	Roast chicken and stuffing with roast potatoes and gravy / vegetarian wellington with roast potatoes (v) shredded cabbage and carrots, peach crumble and custard.
Thursday:	Beef tortilla stack and rice with garlic rice / macaroni cheese with tomato topping (v) with roasted vegetable medley and sweetcorn, mandarin jelly.
Friday:	Salmon fish fingers with chips / cheese, tomato and spinach frittata with chips (v) baked beans and peas, lemon surprise 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)



### **Plea for unwanted umbrellas**

Do you have an old umbrella you could donate?

This year we are entering in the World Book Day Award competition. This involves creating a display in the school library to show how our school is 'flying high with reading'. We plan to hang decorations from umbrellas from the rafters in the library and need 11 umbrellas. Colours and patterns are fine, but not ones decorated with pictures / characters please.

Thank you in advance!

Whoops - A - Daisy Angel DVDs are still available to buy at a cost of £6.00 each. Both Thursday performances will be on the DVD. Please ask at the office.