



Newsletter 2023

As we draw close to the end of another half term, I would like to thank you for your continued support. It has been lovely to see so many attending our multicultural week activities. The children have had an amazing time dancing, creating artwork, cooking and learning about other cultures. The children always enjoy sharing their learning and we love to welcome you to our events.

**A BIG
THANK
YOU**

After school clubs will run for 4 weeks next half term unless you receive a text for a specific club. Staff will then be supporting the organisation of the school play, year 6 leavers disco and attending new parents' meetings. Thank you to staff for providing these opportunities for pupils all year.



Boys and girls football teams have been going from strength to strength. They have played several matches now and are gelling as teams. They are showing great resilience and determination to do well. On several occasions they have been commended by the opposition schools for the way they have represented Newlands. We are very proud. Thank you to Mr Freeman and his team of helpers.



Planned Inset Days

- Monday 24th July 2023
- Tuesday 25th July 2023
- Monday 4th September 2023
- Tuesday 5th September 2023
- Friday 20th October 2023
- Friday 22nd December 2023
- Monday 3rd June 2024



The government are introducing a policy for all schools where leave of absence for holidays will not be allowed. Anyone taking a holiday during term time, will receive a fine regardless of the number of days. Once this is enforced by Notts County Council, school will be forced to adopt this policy so please be aware when booking holidays for the Autumn term. Also, any child missing 3 periods of school within a 6 week block will also receive a fine.

If you receive a fine from NC, please do not ignore this as it quickly escalates in cost and even results in court prosecutions in some cases.

Good attendance in school is vital. Currently whole school attendance is 94.78% which is much lower than previous years. If you have any problems with your child attending school, please arrange to see a member of staff.



We still have many events planned for the rest of term. One of our big events will be the Summer Fair organised by the PTA. If you are able to offer any support, please see Mrs Smith.

We would be grateful for any donations of raffle/tombola prizes and anything in a bottle.

Children will be able to come to school in non-uniform on Wednesday 28th June in exchange for sweets/chocolates for the fair.

Please ensure you inform school if you have a change of address or telephone number.





Week beginning: 05.06.2023	
05.06.2023	School opens
06.06.2023	Y6 The Great Project – for more information go to: https://equation.org.uk/the-great-project/ Y6 It's Your Move (Transition workshop delivered by Alan Darlington) Y5&6 Eco Warriors to Sherwood Pines (sports competition) - more details to follow
08.06.2023	Y6 Life Skills Primary Programme (3 of 5)
Week beginning: 12.06.2023	
13.06.2023	Y6 The Great Project – for more information go to: https://equation.org.uk/the-great-project/ Y6 Road Safety Workshop
14.06.2023	Y5&6 Tennis at Lawn Tennis, Mansfield (10 children) - more details to follow
15.06.2023	Y6 Life Skills Primary Programme (4 of 5)
Week beginning: 19.06.2023	
20.06.2023	Y6 The Great Project – for more information go to: https://equation.org.uk/the-great-project/ Y6 It's Your Move (Transition workshop delivered by Alan Darlington)
21.06.2023	Y3&4 Tennis at Lawn Tennis, Mansfield (10 children) - more details to follow
22.06.2023	Y6 Life Skills Primary Programme (5 of 5)
Week beginning: 26.06.2023	
26.06.2023	Whole school golf day POSTPONED UNTIL THE AUTUMN TERM
27.06.2023	Whole school golf morning POSTPONED UNTIL THE AUTUMN TERM Y6 The Great Project – for more information go to: https://equation.org.uk/the-great-project/
28.6.2023	Children to wear non uniform in exchange for sweets/chocolates for Summer Fair
29.06.2023	Sports Day – 11:45am all school to have lunch together. Parents/carers invited (weather permitting)
30.06.2023	Y6 visit to The Galleries of Justice - more details to follow
Week beginning: 03.07.2023	
03.07.2023	Y6 British Red Cross workshop (1:30pm – 3pm)
04.07.2023	TRANSITION DAY FOR ALL Y6 CHILDREN WHO WILL ATTEND GARIBALDI SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER – children to go straight to Garibaldi School
04.07.2023	Whole school transition day – children will spend the morning with their new class teacher in their new classroom in preparation for September. Year 2 children will join us for the morning and will stay for lunch. New parent's meeting for Y2 children at 3:30pm
05.07.2023	TRANSITION DAY FOR ALL Y6 CHILDREN WHO WILL ATTEND GARIBALDI SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER – children to go straight to Garibaldi School
06.07.2023	Summer Fair, starts at 1:30pm - more details to follow
07.07.2023	Y6 British Red Cross workshop (10am – 12pm)
Week beginning: 10.07.2023	
10.07.2023	Y6 Dress rehearsal for Y2 children at 9:30am Y6 British Red Cross workshop (1:30pm – 3pm)
11.07.2023	TRANSITION DAY FOR ALL Y6 CHILDREN WHO WILL ATTEND ALL SAINTS SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER – children to go straight to All Saints School
11.07.2023	Y6 Play Performance for parents/carers at 1:45pm - more details to follow
12.07.2023	TRANSITION DAY FOR ALL Y6 CHILDREN WHO WILL ATTEND ALL SAINTS SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER – children to go straight to All Saints School
12.07.2023	Y6 Play Performance for parents/carers at 1:45pm & 6pm - more details to follow
13.07.2023	Y6 Visit to the church (as part of our RE curriculum)
14.07.2023	Potted Sports (am) - more details to follow
Week beginning: 17.07.2023	
18.07.2023	Y6 Leavers Assembly at 9am Y6 Leavers Disco 3:30pm – 5pm
20.07.2023	Superstars and attendance assembly at 2:15pm Superstars award parents/carers will be invited to this assembly.
21.07.2023	Y6 Water fight FINAL DAY OF THE TERM
24.07.2023 25.07.2023	INSET DAYS – school closed
School holidays: Monday 24th July – Tuesday 5th September	
04.09.2023	INSET DAY – school closed to children
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06.09.2023	Children return to school.