Tune in on Tuesday

Wheelwright Lane Primary School Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Diary dates for the Autumn Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter.

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| 05.10.2021 | EYFS Phonics evening for | | |
| | parents 3.15 start in Reception | | |
| | class | | |
| 07.10.2021 | Reception class Vision Screening | | |
| Monday 11.10.2021 | Parents' Evening - TEAMs 3.30- | | |
| | 6.00 | | |
| Tuesday 12.10.2021 | Parents' Evening - TEAMs 4.30- | | |
| | 7.30 | | |
| 21.10.2021 | Non-uniform day - bring £1 to | | |
| | support Christmas events | | |
| 21.10.2021 (Thursday) | School finishes 3.15 | | |
| 22.10.2021(Friday) | INSET DAY | | |
| w.c. 25.10.2021 | Half term begins | | |
| 01.11.2021 (Mon) | Children return | | |
| 01.11.2021 | EYFS Reading Evening for | | |
| | parents 3.15 start | | |
| 11.11.2021 | Nursery Parents' Day - Nursery | | |
| | staff will allocate discussion | | |
| | times. | | |
| 14.12.2021 | Nursery to Belgrade Theatre | | |
| | Santa's Magical Mystery Guest | | |
| | (a.m.) | | |
| 16.12.2021 | R/1/2 to Warwick Arts Centre | | |
| | Christmas Very Hungry | | |
| | Caterpillar (a.m.) | | |
| 16.12.2021 | Yrs3/4/5/6 to RSC Stratford to | | |
| | see The Magicians' Elephant | | |
| | (p.m.) | | |
| 17.12.2021 | St Giles Service 9.30 | | |
| 17.12.2021 | School closes for Christmas 2.15 | | |

INSET Days yet to be set = 1 day
PLEASE NOTE - Friday 22nd October is an INSET Day.
Children finish on Thursday 21st.

Extra-curricular activities

Activities start the week Monday 6th September

| Monday | | | |
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| Tuesday | Tag Rugby Multiskills | Y5 & Y6 Y4 & Y5 & Y6 | 12.30 - 1.00 3.15 - 4.15 |

| Wednesday | Football | Y3 & Y4 | 12.30 – 1.00 |
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| | Multi-skills | Y1 & Y2 & Y3 | 3.15 - 4.15 |
| Friday | | | |

Attendance

It is expected that all children will attend school unless they are unwell with the usual illnesses that affect them. If children display Covid-19 symptoms: high temperature, persistent cough and loss of taste and smell then please keep them off school and arrange for a PCR test to confirm if positive or negative.

School Procedures for Covid cases

The school follows guidance from PHE and the DfE as follows: Children under the age of 18 and those over the age of 18 that have been double vaccinated ARE allowed in school as long as they are well and do not show Covid symptoms. If we have a positive case in school (adult or child) we will identify those who have been in close contact (as in the information leaflet) and let parents/carers know. It will not be necessary to close down whole class bubbles as in the past, prevaccination days. We will endeavor to keep children in school as long as we can.

Remote Learning will support those children who are unable to come in to school and your

child's class teacher will contact you regarding work to be completed.

House Captains

Ruby: Ashleigh P and Erin Emerald: Anya and Nathan Sapphire: Esme and Lauren

Diamond: Peyton, Rosie and Rylie

Well done to all Year 6 children who entered for the position of House Captain. Their speeches were clear and well thought out. The children had a hard job choosing the right people for the job.

The House Captains are already organizing an event for KS2 children after half term.

Parents' Evening

Parents' Evenings will be held next week on TEAMs. Mrs Conroy (I.T. Leader) has set up private channels in TEAMs for next week. This is the same as we have done in the past so we know that it works. Staff are looking forward to catching up with you.

We will be sending out your child's Autumn report on Friday as a paper copy in the dedicated report folder. Spring and Summer reports will also be sent out as paper copies for you to keep in the school report folder.

Holiday club

I am pleased to announce that Nuneaton and Bedworth Leisure Trust will be running a sports/arts/craft club at the school in holiday times. This will start in the October half term and further dates will be available.

There will be special rates for the October half term as an introductory offer.

This club will also be available for children who do not attend this school so please book early to make sure you reserve a place - it will be very popular.

Website address as follows: https://www.nbleisuretrust.org/playscheme

Parents' Association

Thank you to Katie and Sam who turned up at the Parents' Association meeting last week. They have some great ideas to provide enrichment activities for children and their families - incorporating Covid measure of course. Their next meeting is on Thursday 18th November at 6 o'clock in the school. Please come along and join the group - lots of support will be needed for Christmas and the New Year events.

First Holy Communion

Dear Parents,

The Parish of St Francis, Bedworth and Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Bulkington is beginning a new programme of preparation for First Holy Communion later this term.

Meetings will take place on Thursdays from 4.30 - 5.30pm in the parish hall next to Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church, Weston Lane, Bulkington, beginning November 4th. The programme is open to all baptised Catholic children in Year 3 and above.

Please join us for the first meeting and, in the meantime, call 02476 327330 or email cogs3561@hotmail.com if you need further information.

Parent Governor

We have an extremely supportive and friendly Governing Body and are looking to recruit a Parent Governor.

The school's governing board is responsible providing confident and strategic leadership, and robust creating accountability, oversight and assurance for school's educational and financial performance. The board is passionate about education and committed to continuous school improvement to ensure the best possible outcomes for our pupils.

If you are interested then please read the letter attached and complete the application form attached - we would love to hear from you. (letter and form in last week's newsletter).

mental health. Download the app here www.thedadpad.co.uk/app.

Parenting courses

No one ever said being a parent or carer was going to be easy. In fact, it is probably the most demanding job you will ever have. Parenting courses, workshops and programmes are a great way to help you find new ways of supporting your children. They can help you come up with new ideas, problem solve and reduce stress. You won't be alone with many of the concerns you have so it can be encouraging to recognise and build upon your existing skills at the same time as sharing and learning from other parents and carers.

Please see the attached leaflet for further details.





We are delighted to promote the launch of Dadpad. It is an evidence based app accessible to all fathers living in Warwickshire, Coventry & Solihull and is FREE of charge. It is designed to reduce your anxieties, create a strong bond and healthy attachment with your baby, build stronger family relationships and recognise when you or your partner might need to get help for your



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*From 9am - 4pm. Early and later sessions are available at an extra cost. Early bird discounts online booking only. We advise booking

in advance to avoid disappointment.