Naseby Newsletter Spring Term 1 13th January

Week 2

A windy first week!



It has been a windy start to term this week! We are pleased to report the heating has now been sorted, following a problem with the boiler.

This week we were visited by two members from Pathfinder Trust. On Wednesday, Emma Sims - the new CEO of Pathfinder visited to introduce herself to children, staff and have a tour of our school. Today, Ashley Izzard-Snape - the newly appointed School Effectiveness Officer for Pathfinder, visited to meet staff, children and enjoy a tour of our school. Each class made a card to welcome our visitors, which were well received.

Next week, we are looking forward to Coram Life Education visiting to work with Years 4, 5 & 6 on our Relationships and Sex education scheme. A letter will be sent to parents on Monday, outlining what will be covered in the sessions.

It was great to see children enjoying after school clubs which started this week. We were delighted with how many year 3 & 4 children signed up for the Strictly Dance competition sessions with Miss Holly from Northamptonshire School of Dance. It was also great to see lots of children enjoying drama club this week.

Following a staff review of certificates, Friday's celebration worship will see the introduction of of a new set of certificates to celebrate children's achievements. A 'Headteacher's Award will be presented to one child a week across the school, for outstanding achievements. We will still be celebrating a 'Star of the week' from each class and a Values award for each class. Each child that achieves the Headteacher's Award will also be invited to have 'Cookies with Mrs. Cook' at the end of term, in her office as a special treat. We also look forward to celebrating children's achievements outside of school - please let us know if your child has achieved something in a club they attend.

I hope you have a super weekend.

Mrs. Cook



Updates

Newsletter

Whilst we are in the process of updating our communication system which we hope to have organised by the end of this half term, the newsletter will be put on the school website on Fridays.

Key dates for 2023

Spring Term;

3rd January; Teacher Training Day - SEND Focus

4th January; Children return to school

3rd February; NSPCC Number Day

6th February; Parental consultations 4-7pm

7th February; Parental consultations 1-4pm

2nd March; World Book day

3rd March; Fairtrade Friday

6th - 10th March; National Children's Mental Health Week

17th March; Comic Relief

20th March; World Poetry day

27th March; Parent's Progress summary reports sent out

31st March; Easter Service

Summer Term;

May; KS1 Testing Period

8th - 11th May; KS2 SATs

12th - 16th June; Phonics Screening check test for Year 1 and Multiplication Check test for Year 4

10th July; Sports Day

11th July; Sports day reserve

18th July; Wise Wolves Performance 5pm

19th July; Wise Wolves Performance 2pm

Naseby School Association Update

Minutes from the latest meeting and details of a Poetry competition to follow next week.

Clubs for Spring Term

KS2 Ukulele Club postcard



Ukuleles cost under £30 - contact St Giles Music, Northampton for details and free delivery Following on from the ukulele project children have completed this term, we would like to offer an after school club in conjunction with the Music Education Hub for Northamptonshire, NMPAT. The club can only happen with enough interest (around 10 children minimum) so please get in touch with the school office to express your interest asap!



Bring your own ukulele - repertoire to include traditional songs, and modern favourites



THURSDAY @ 3:30pm- 4:30pm

FOREST CHILL



£8 a Session

FABLES

Bringing stories to life through drama



Over the past 6 weeks, the children of Naseby Primary have been enjoying the story of Hansel and Gretel. We have created several short plays in small groups, working together to remember the lines from the story and creating characters both physically and vocally.

There has been lots of fun and crazy drama games and I have been very impressed how each child has loved to be part of the team and show their performances each week

Next term we are producing a short play to be performed to parents in the last week! How exciting!

Next term: We are going to explore the wonderful tale of- THE FOREST CHILD. Come along and join the fun!



BOOK NOW FOR NEXT TERM. 12 spaces available.



Fablesdrama@gmail.com

Pacesetters Flyer



Northamptonshire SEND Support



Parent / Carer ADHO? **Drop In Session...**

Do You Have a Child or Young Person with Additional Needs... Do You...

Need Strategies, Ideas, Support from Staff that Understand...Or Just a Friendly Chat and a Cup of Tea...

Then Come Along To:

Kingsthorpe Children's Centre St David's Road NN2 7QJ Mondays 09.30 - 11.30

Blackthorn Children's Centre **Longmead Court NN3 8QD** Friday 1pm - 3pm





Tea, Toast and Tantrums!! Parent / Carer Support Group In Your Area...

Do you need to let off some steam?

Sometimes feel frustrated?

Want to gain some friendly support?

Or just have a chat with people who understand..

Then come along to the Parent / Carer Support Group at:

Kingsthorpe Children's Centre St Davids Road, NN2 7QJ Monday – 1pm – 3pm

Blackthorn Children's Centre Longmead Court, NN3 8QD Tuesday – 1pm – 3pm

Thorplands Children's Centre Farmfield Court NN3 8AQ Friday 9.30 – 11.00

Children Welcome...

