



# NEWSLETTER

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2021

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## Dear Parents and Carers

We are so pleased to welcome the children back to school. It has been great to hear all about their summer adventures! Seeing them mix across classes feels like school is finally returning to 'normal'.

On behalf of the staff, thank you for your cards, gifts and best wishes at the end of the summer term.

I really appreciated your help in making more space for the children as they arrived in the playground this morning. It was really helpful that those children who were ready straight away, came inside and parents moved further away from the gate and door to let our more reluctant pupils make their way inside.

## Class Topic Webs

Below are the links to the class topic webs for this term. This will give you information on the learning taking place and suggestions of how you can support your child at home:

**Acorn Class** <https://padlet.com/scooksley1/rdc1ezu8014i2hro>

**Sapling** <https://padlet.com/rodmarton/AroundTheWorld>

**Oak** <https://padlet.com/rachaelhscott/hoepvnuoms35oweq>

## School Events

I will shortly be issuing the school events calendar. This will include the return of our celebration assembly on a Friday afternoon. We will begin these once our Reception children are in school full time- more details will follow. Our theme for worship this term is 'Thankfulness'.

## Meet The Teacher Meetings

We look forward to once again welcoming parents and carers in to school and one of the first events will be our Meet The Teacher meetings. This will be opportunity for you to visit your child's classroom, receive key information from the staff and ask any questions that you may have. The dates for these meetings will be issued shortly.

## After School Clubs

On Monday, I will be sending out the details of our afterschool clubs running this term. Can I ask that all parents check their Parent Pay accounts and clear any debts from last term- we have quite a few outstanding payments which need to be cleared before you will be able to book for this term.

## Google Classroom and Tapestry

All children will continue to use Google Classroom. Homework for Years 1-6 will be uploaded to this. Reception children will receive their homework through Tapestry.

In order to access your child's Google Classroom account for this year, you will need to log in with their current log in details and then click on the link which will be displayed on their class page. If you have any problem accessing this, please let us know.

If you are new to our school, you will receive joining information for Google Classroom and our Reception children will also receive this for Tapestry.

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| Week 2   |           | A  | B   | C                                    |
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| 06/09/21 | Monday    | Cheese and tomato pizza with new potatoes  | Vegetable tagine with couscous              | Jacket Potato with filling           |
| 27/09/21 | Tuesday   | Sausage and mash                           | Roasted cauliflower curry with rice         | Jacket Potato with filling           |
| 18/10/21 | Wednesday | Roast pork, roast potatoes and gravy       | Roasted Quorn with roast potatoes and gravy | Jacket Potato with filling           |
| 15/11/21 | Thursday  | Mediterranean chicken with rice            | Vegetable lasagne                           | Tomato soup with 1/2 filled baguette |
| 06/12/21 | Friday    | Fish in batter with chips and tomato sauce | Vegetable pasty with chips                  | Jacket Potato with filling           |



Well Done Charlie!

Congratulations to Charlie who took part in a cheerleading camp over the summer holiday. At their awards ceremony, Charlie received the award for most improved cheerleader in her team. These awards are chosen by the coaches and the other children in each team so it was wonderful that her peers felt she deserved this and made her very proud!

## Lifting Our Learning



### Be a good citizen

#### What does it mean to be a good citizen?

For example, would a good citizen throw an empty crisp packet in the street? Would a good citizen get to know, and care for, their neighbours?

#### What might make it hard to be a good citizen?

How good a citizen are you? Be honest - give yourself a score from 1-10. **What could YOU do to be a better citizen?**

Set yourself a target and **push yourself** to be the best **citizen** you can.

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## **Join us for fun, fun, fun at the Big *LATE* Summer Lunch!**

The Friends' Big *LATE* Summer Lunch takes place next Sunday (12th September) from 12 noon until 4pm.

Postponed from its original date in July due to Covid restrictions, this will be a really great opportunity for us all to finally meet up and get all the children together.

Tickets are £5 for adults, under 16s are free, and include a BBQ lunch for the children and a delicious sit-down lunch for the grown-ups. There will also be a bar selling wine, beers, and soft drinks. Grandparents and extended family are welcome too!

There will be bouncy castles, sports, games, face painting, crafts, and lots, lots, more, as well as a bottle tombola, a raffle, and the famous auction of the teachers' cakes which this year will have an Olympics theme!

For tickets, please email Penny Norrie ([penny@mokefinewines.co.uk](mailto:penny@mokefinewines.co.uk)) with your name and the number of adults and children in your party.

Payments for adult tickets can be made directly to The Friends' bank account using your surname and BSL as the reference.

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We hope you can come and look forward to seeing you there.

## **Friends get together after school today**

Don't forget, a very informal get together for all pupils and parents on the field after school (from 3.15pm) today.

Come along for a play, a chat, a picnic - whatever takes your fancy - and meet other pupils and parents.

Please note, this is not a school event and all pupils must be accompanied by a parent/designated adult.

**Mrs C Musty**

**Headteacher**

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