

Newburgh CE School & Nursery



Newsletter

19/04/2024

Dear Parents, Carers & Children

Welcome Back:

I hope you all had an enjoyable break and are ready for an exciting and busy term. Please check the diary dates that are at the bottom of this Newsletter and on the app for upcoming events. All class pages have been updated with curriculum information for this term. Please check your child's class page for this information.

We launched our new Gospel Value for this half term – Trust. Our Gospel Families came together to explore this value, many utilising blindfolds to experience trusting one another.

Venables Victorian Workshop:

The Victorian Workshop for Team Venables that was postponed will now go ahead on Wednesday 24th April. Children are invited to come to school in their fabulous Victorian costumes again.

MP Visit:

We are delighted to host our local MP, Ashley Dalton next Friday afternoon. During her time with us Ashley will meet with our School and Eco Councillors (please give photograph permission on ParentPay) and will watch the Team Rigby Climate Change Assembly.

Y4 Multiplication Check Meeting:

Following on from the Team Rigby Climate Change Assembly there will be a short meeting for the parents of Year 4 children about the statutory multiplication check children will participate in after May half term.

No Nuts in School:

Due to severe nut allergies nuts in any form are not permitted in school for packed lunches or snacks. Thank you for your support with this.

Toddler Group:

We are looking to start a toddler group that would run on Mondays 9.30-10.30 in our school hall after May half term. Do we have any interested parents who would be able to support this session with our EYFS team? Please let us know if so.

And Finally:

Huge congratulations to Miss Frazer who is now Mrs Baker following her marriage over Easter.

Warmest Regards





Key Vocabulary – ask me about:

To challenge and deepen the understanding of key vocabulary learned this week in R.E. ask your child about these words:

<u>Team Nursery:</u>	Vaisakhi. Gurdwara.
<u>Team Crane:</u>	Vaisakhi. Sikh. Gurdwara.
<u>Team Halton:</u>	Tomb. Crucified.
<u>Team Lucas:</u>	Ascend. Descend.
<u>Team Rigby:</u>	Rules for living. Life-skill.
<u>Team Venables:</u>	Ascension. Pentecost.

Moment of Mindfulness:

Happy Vaisakhi

We have been learning about this important Sikh festival which took place last weekend.

Our own experts Reuben and Marnie have been teaching us about why this festival is so important. They told us about their celebrations, walking from temple to temple with family members and other Sikh worshipers, giving out sweets and food along the way and then enjoying food together at the final temple.



Early Years inspired by Vaisakhi drums.

Newburgh Fair:

Newburgh Fair Committee are holding a Folk Night in school on Friday 17th May. Tickets are £10 and there is supper and a bar. You can buy tickets from the Post Office and Wilton House Farm Shop. They are also looking for new committee members to help. If you are interested please email Anne – annemenarry@gmail.com

Time to Shine

Those children who have demonstrated both effort in school and the Gospel Value of Trust are:-

Team Crane

Fred

Team Halton

Anabelle

Team Lucas

Polly

Team Rigby

Rhianna

Rex

Team Venables

Hughie

Saul

Congratulations to the **SILVER BIRCH FAMILY** for gaining the most points this week.

Next Week at Newburgh:-

Enrichment Clubs start this week

Dinners – Week 2

Tues – 8.30 Crane Family Finger Gym

Weds – Venables Victorian Workshop

Thurs – 8.30 Crane Family Finger Gym

Fri – April birthdays non-uniform day;
Visit from local MP; 14.00 Team Rigby
Climate Change Assembly; 14.30 Y4
Parents' meeting; 18.00 PTA Event

Our aim is to provide a rich and engaging educational experience in a caring Christian environment in which each individual is valued and respected so that all are enabled to reach their full potential.

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[Back to school admin checklist. Have you:](#)

Re-named everything that comes into school?	
Sent P.E. kit into school?	
Checked diary dates for events?	
Checked your school dinner account is in credit (a dinner every day will cost £72.50 for this half term for children in Nursery, Rigby and Venables)?	
Checked your breakfast and afterschool club account is in credit?	
Paid for Snacks?	

[Enrichment Clubs Summer 1:](#)

Welcome to our Enrichment offer for this half term. Clubs that take place outside of school hours require parental permission via ParentPay (PP) or Letter (L).

Day	Before School	Lunchtime	After School
Monday		Story Time KS1 Dance Art	EYFS/KS1 Athletics (PP)
Tuesday		Origami Lego Art	Y6 Photography (PP)
Wednesday		Gardening Art	KS2 Tag Rugby (L)
Thursday	Choir (PP) Fencing (L)	Origami Art	KS1 Spanish (L)
Friday		Well-Being	KS2 Gymnastics (PP)

Please note that some clubs have limited numbers. If you are unable to see the club in ParentPay it may already be full.

If your child has a particular interest in one of the club and spaces are full please let us know by emailing bursar@newburgh.lancs.sch.uk so we can register their interest for future clubs.

[PTA News:](#)

- Thank you to everyone who has booked a place at the Mindfulness Event next Friday – we look forward to seeing you there.
- The next PTA meeting is on Tuesday 30th April at 7pm in the school library. All are welcome to attend to celebrate the fundraising success from last term and discuss the ideas for this half term.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
22nd April 12.30-13.00 Story Time Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Dance Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 EYFS/KS1 Athletics Club	23rd April 08.30-08.45 Crane Family Finger Gym 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Lego Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 Y6 Photography Club	24th April 12.30-13.00 Gardening Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Tag Rugby Club	25th April 08.00 Choir Club 08.00 KS2 Fencing Club 08.30-08.45 Crane Family Finger Gym Venables Victorian Experience 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS1 Spanish Club	26th April 12.30-13.00 Wellbeing Club MP Visit to school 14.00 Rigby Climate Change Assembly Y4 Parent's Meeting – Multiplication Test. 15.30-16.30 KS2 Gymnastics Club 18.00 PTA Mindfulness Event
29th April 12.30-13.00 Story Time Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Dance Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 EYFS/KS1 Athletics Club	30th April Mini First Aiders 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Lego Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Art Club 15.30-16.30 Y6 Photography Club 19.00 PTA Meeting	1st May Mini First Aiders 12.30-13.00 Gardening Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Tag Rugby Club	2nd May 08.00 Choir Club 08.00 KS2 Fencing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS1 Spanish Club	3rd May 12.30-13.00 Wellbeing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Gymnastics Club

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Summer 1 Calendar 2024



6th May BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY	7th May 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Lego Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Art Club 15.30-16.30 Y6 Photography Club	8th May 12.30-13.00 Gardening Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Tag Rugby Club	9th May 08.00 Choir Club 08.00 KS2 Fencing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS1 Spanish Club	10th May 12.30-13.00 Wellbeing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Gymnastics Club
13th May Y6 SATs 12.30-13.00 Story Time Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Dance Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 EYFS/KS1 Athletics Club	14th May Y6 SATs 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Lego Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Art Club 15.30-16.30 Y6 Photography Club	15th May Y6 SATs 12.30-13.00 Gardening Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Tag Rugby Club	16th May Y6 SATs 08.00 Choir Club 08.00 KS2 Fencing Club 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS1 Spanish Club	17th May 12.30-13.00 Wellbeing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Gymnastics Club 15.30 Newburgh Beacons
20th May 12.30-13.00 Story Time Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Dance Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 EYFS/KS1 Athletics Club	21st May 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Lego Club 12.30-13.00 KS1 Art Club 15.30-16.30 Y6 Photography Club	22nd May 12.30-13.00 Gardening Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Tag Rugby Club	23rd May 08.00 Choir Club 08.00 KS2 Fencing Club 10.00 Whole School Judaism Assembly 12.30-13.00 Origami Club 12.30-13.00 Art Club 15.30-16.30 KS1 Spanish Club	24th May May Birthday Non Uniform Day 12.30-13.00 Wellbeing Club 15.30-16.30 KS2 Gymnastics Club 15.30 Break Up for Half Term