Newsletter

Friday 21st June (No. 34)

A message from Mr Marshall

It has been a wonderful week of learning and enjoyment at Newtown. I would like to say a huge thank you to those of you who were able to join us at our sports day on Wednesday. You were an amazing crowd, and I know the children really valued the support that you gave them. This was the first time we have run our sports day as a whole school, and I am so glad we did. We have received very positive comments from parents and guests, and are really pleased that you were able to enjoy the morning as much as we did.

Still on a sporting theme, the children have been learning about the Olympics this week. We have found out that the modern-day Olympics are based on three important principles. These are: bringing people together from diverse backgrounds and experiences, friendship and aspiring to achieve the best you can. Whilst these are the Olympic principles, they could quite easily be used to describe our very own sports day. Thank you once again for your support.

Events such as sports days matter to our community. Another event we held this week was our inaugural cinema night. Again, it was great to see so many children - one hundred and sixty - sharing a very exciting, and at times hot and sticky time together. The evening was a real success and one we will run again. It was not just a great experience for the children it also raised money for the FONS organisation. We are indebted to the work that FONS do to support our school. A big thank you to all the FONS team for all their help with the cinema night and sports day.











Safeguarding



At Newtown we are always keen on making sure the children know how to keep safe online. This includes us having sessions in school discussing appropriate online behaviour.

Internet matters have a great app that you can download that includes a quiz you can take with your child to support them in understanding how to make good choices online.

The app helps you to have conversations around online safety in a fun and informal way. It can be really helpful at creating the opportunity for you to talk with your child around such a serious subject.

You can access this through the link below:
'Internet Matters': Online safety app for parents & children | Internet Matters

Attendance

167 children had 100% attendance in the last week, you are awesome!

Ash Class were the best at being in & on time every day last week.

Well done Ash Class!

6 Penalty Notice Applications have been made so far this academic year.

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Join us at the Summer Fayre



Wednesday 10th July straight after school



And lots more ....

FONS NEED YOUR HELP!

We are looking for good quality used toys and teddies to be donated for use at our Summer Fayre. Anything you would like to donate, please drop off to the school office or pass onto a FONS member on the playground!



Cleaner vacancy

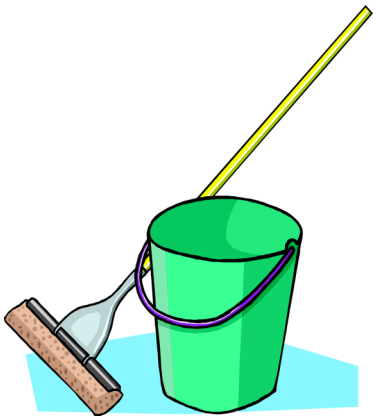
We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and motivated cleaner to join our school cleaning team reporting to our Cleaner in Charge. Duties will include all aspects of cleaning within a school such as sweeping, mopping, dusting, cleaning of toilets and ensuring hygiene standards are met.

5 hours per week @ £11.59 per hour (41 weeks per year plus holiday pay).
You will be required to work 39 weeks during the school term and 2 weeks during the summer holidays.

Our cleaning team comes into school from 3.15pm to 6pm daily during term time. The hour a day can be worked across this time.

The successful candidate will have to demonstrate that they will be able to:

- Work as part of a committed team
- Maintain confidentiality in line with school policy
- Be enthusiastic and dedicated with a high level of accuracy and attention to detail.



Hours of work: 5 hours per week; 1 hour a day to be worked between 3.15-6pm

Contract type: Fixed term until 31st August 2025

Closing date (and time): 12th July 2023

Interview date: TBC

Commencement date: 1st September 2024

Further details and application form available on our website.

Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Parents / carers of Oak class are invited to the Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Tuesday 23rd July

9:15am - 10:45am

St Augustine's Catholic College
Year 5 Taster Sessions

Year 5 students and families!
Get ready for laughter, friendship, and memories that will last a lifetime.



You are invited to preview of what St Augustine's Catholic College has to offer. From sports challenges to arts and science, there's never a dull moment at St Augustine's!

Meet & Greet - Parents/Carers, join us for an informal session about our curriculum and how we empower every student to thrive.

Dates
Monday 24th of June 2024
Tuesday 25th of June 2024
Wednesday 26th of June 2024
Thursday 27th of June 2024

Time
Student Session
9am – 1pm

Meet & Greet
12.30 – 1pm

Book your place today!

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www.st-augustines.wilts.sch.uk/Admissions/Taster-Sessions/



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Five To Thrive

For families of children aged 0-12 yrs

Join us online for fun filled practical sessions where we can share ideas to develop the positive connection between you and your child.

For more information or to book a space phone our free phone number on: 0800 970 4669

www.wiltshirechildrenscentres.org.uk

Join us online via Microsoft Teams

Tuesdays
2nd - 30th July
7.00pm - 8.00pm

1:1 support available to join online sessions

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Spurgeons

TROWBRIDGE BASKETBALL



BASKETBALL
SUMMER CAMP

Our Kids Summer Camp is suitable for all Basketball Players!

TROWBRIDGE HAWKS

Monday-Friday
5-9th Aug (7-12yrs)
12-16th Aug (13-18yrs)

Time
9-3pm

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Superstars!



Lilly
Bradley, Howard,
Aria,
Vicky,
Lily
& Paige



Dates for Diary

24th June	Year 5 visiting Clarendon Academy
25th June	Year 6 Junior Good Citizen morning
27th June	Cedar & Oak Classes Swimming
1st July	Year 5 visiting The John of Gaunt School
2nd July	Ash Class Forest School day
3rd July	Cedar Class Trowbridge Museum
3rd-5th July	Year 6 Braeside
10th July	Summer Fayre
15th July	Sycamore Class Victorian Day
17th July	Year 6 Leavers Performance (Children to be at school at 6pm. Performance starts at 6.30pm)
19th July	Year 6 Leavers Party (details to follow)
23rd July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (9.15am to 10.45am)