



10th November – Aut 2 Wk 2

House Point Winners this week:

Phoenix

Whole School
Attendance to date
this year: 94%

This half term is already brilliantly busy! We held our first residential of the year last week with Y6's trip to Conway. We will be sending letters out regarding the Y4 trip to Burwardsley (April) very soon. The Monster Ball was a fabulous success. The majority of the pupils attended and it was great to see so many parents involved. Hopefully more events will be organised in the coming weeks. I am pleased to share that we have welcomed 3 new starters this week and another child is starting next week.

As the days are getting darker can I ask that no child cycles home following a club.

School Values Award Winners

This year we are presenting children with certificates for demonstrating the school values. The children and staff worked together to choose our school values which are: Strive for Excellence, Show Resilience, Take Pride, Respect All and Be Kind. These values underpin everything that we all do in school.

Last week's winners:

Y6
Y5 Noelle
Y4 Lenni

Y3 Nancy
Y2 Archie
Y1 Daniel

This week's winners

Y6 Phoebe
Y5 Alfie
Y4 Jake

Y3 Jasmine
Y2 Harper
Y1 Olivia OB

Rec Leonardo

Class Champions

Friday 3rd November

Rec Harley
Y1 Lester
Y2 Oakley
Y3 Mallory
Y4 Faith
Y5 Penny
Y6

Class Champions

Friday 10th November

Rec Lottie
Y1 Jacob
Y2 Niamh
Y3 Tiegan
Y4 David
Y5 Noelle
Y6 Everyone

Y6 Conway Trip

Y6 had an amazing time at Conway last week.



They rock climbed, went mountain biking, via ferrata, bushcraft, nightline and zip lined

Everyone had a wonderful time. Y6 parents are invited to an assembly on Tuesday 21st November at 9am to see all the photographs and hear their Conway reports.

Dressing Up Loud and Bright for Anti-Bullying Week

On Monday the children have been told they can come to school in loud, bright clothes in support of Anti-Bullying week. No donations are needed.

During the week each class will be doing activities on being kind and promoting anti-bullying. There will also be activities on keeping safe online and being kind online.



Children in Need – Friday 17th November

We will be holding a cake sale on Friday playtime in aid of Children in Need. Any donations of cakes or biscuits will be gratefully received on Friday morning. It is not a non-uniform day and we are not asking children to dress up on Friday. Wear your uniform however if you have already bought 'Pudsey merchandise' you are welcome to wear it.

17th November Choir at Neston Winter Fair

Mrs O'Hara is sending a letter home to members of the choir about singing at the Winter Fair on Friday. NPS will be singing at 11:15. Choir children must be in school uniform.



You may have noticed the black wall with wood attached in the playground. This is the start of our welly store. Thank you to Mr Rudd for building.

Do you have items that you can donate to promote play at lunchtimes.

The school grounds will be open on Saturday 2nd December 9-11am to take delivery of any items you would like to donate. More information will follow.

KS1 Parent Reading Workshop

Thank you to everyone who attended the KS1 reading workshop on Wednesday. If you were unable to make it, the powerpoint will be on the website in the Y1 and Y2 pages.

We are looking forward to holding the LKS2 reading workshop next week on Wednesday at 9am – Hope you will be there.

Y2 Owl Visit



As part of their English work based on 'The Owl who was afraid of the dark', Y2 had a visit from 2 owls on Thursday afternoon. The children had the opportunity to hold the owls which were Woody the barn owl and Jambo the African white faced owl. A huge thank you to Animals Take Over for bringing them.

PFA Monster Ball



The Monster Ball raised £246 which is a fabulous start for the PFA. If you would like to be involved or have any ideas for future events, there is a PFA meeting on Monday morning in the Creative Den at school drop off time. Come along for a chat and a cuppa!

Forthcoming Events this term – More Events will be added as the term progresses

November

13th Anti-bullying week – wear loud and bright clothes on Monday

15th 9 am LKS2 (Y3/4) Parents Reading Workshop in the hall

16th 9am Y2 Parents No-Outsiders Workshop in the hall

17th Children in Need Cake Sale at playtime

17th 11am Choir to Neston Winter Fair to sing

21st 9am Y6 Conway Assembly for parents

22nd 1pm Y4 to St Michael's Church for Christmas Experience

21st Y6 Football Event at EPSV – team letter to be sent home

December

1st December Stuff the Sleigh gifts to be brought in by today

6th Nursery Stay and Play 8:45-9:30

8th Termly reports to parents sent out

11th + 12th KS1 Nativity - am

12th KS2 Carol Concert in the Parish Church – pm

13th Christmas Dinner and Parties – own clothes

15th Christmas Fun Run

15th Close for the Christmas Holidays

Pupil Absence

Could parents please make sure they contact the office on **0151 832 6251** if their child is absent or let a staff member know if you are bringing a sibling to school. This will save the office time in the mornings and also prevent you from receiving calls asking where your child is.

A reminder that holidays in term time are discouraged. **Any taken will be marked as unauthorised in the registers and may result in a fine being issued.**

A copy of the Attendance Policy which details the fixed penalty notice procedure can be found on the school website. If you require a paper copy, please email the office.

Permission for Photos and updated contact details

Thank you to everyone who completed the online slip for photo permissions, if you still haven't done this, please do so we have up to date permission for posting photographs of your children. Contact the office if you need the link emailing out again.

If you haven't updated your contact details this year, please contact Mrs Arragoni in the office.