



# Navigation Primary School Newsletter

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## WELCOME BACK!

It was lovely to see everyone back in school refreshed and ready to learn and although it was a short week, we still managed to pack lots in. In this newsletter our regular updates are joined by exciting information on our planned VE celebration and Y2/Y4s new musical endeavours, as well as a top tip for buying uniform and a call out to any business owners in our community.

## NEW HALF TERM = NEW BOOKS!

Last half term a few KS1 children approached Mrs Harris looking for some books in the library that we sadly didn't have...but guess what, we do now! Thanks to their request and Mrs Harris' efforts we now have a selection of stories from Harriet Muncaster's Isadora Moon series - Isadora Moon Goes to School, Mirabelle gets up to Mischief and Emerald and the Ocean Parade - Happy reading everyone!

## VE DAY CELEBRATION

We are celebrating the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of VE Day on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May**. Start thinking about what you might wear (red/white/blue theme) and whether you would like to submit a cupcake for our cupcake design competition.

## MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH - BEYONCE

We all boogied to the superb floor filler Independent Women by Destiny's Child this week – what a tune! Born in Texas, Beyonce started singing when she was very young, even winning a talent contest when she was only seven. Originally part of the group Destiny's Child, she is now a renowned solo artist and even voiced a character in the movie "The Lion King"

## TRAFFORD SEND SUPPORT

Trafford are running a free training session for parents/carers of children with SEND. Running on the 20<sup>th</sup> May it is designed to explain and explore what SEND means and how to access any available information and support. Visit this [link](#) to sign-up and find out more.

## NEW HEADGIRL & HEADBOY

Ms Patterson would like to say a huge thanks to our outgoing Head Girl and Boy Freya and Sebastian, and congratulations our new incumbents Lucia Matta and Max Nixon. Well done both and we are sure you will continue to represent Navigation as well as Freya and Seb did last term.

CLASS	Golden Book	Values
Nurs		Josie Atkinson
RLK	Ellis Wong	Delilah Bolton
RMD	Eli Wong	Svara Rakesh
1FL	Liana Karempudi	Rex Wood
1SW	Charmy Vaghela	Zoe Hilton
2TG	Isaac Mason	Max Preston-G
2BH	Frey Kelly	Kenzo Hales
3MW	Joel Edwards	Jonas Chan
3MC	Max Longden	Coraline Yip
4DW	Roham Rezaei pour	Oscar Murphy
4AC	Olivia Wardle	Eyad Mehana
5BC	Ted McManus	Thymie Karachaliou
5PM	Ella Baldwin	Tomas Crellin
6DH	Toby Longden	Yui Shun Tsai
6SM	Gio Davenport	Frank Richardson

Congratulations to Gladstone for their house points win last term. Extra play is coming your way to help celebrate your amazing team effort.

## E-SAFETY CORNER – SUPPORTING NEURODIVERGENT CHILDREN

Neurodivergent children may have unique needs when navigating the digital world. Clear, structured online safety rules that break down concepts like privacy, cyberbullying, and stranger danger into simple steps can help, as can setting screen time limits and parental controls. Most importantly try to encourage regular communication to help address any questions or concerns they may have.

## A COFFEE FOR YOUR PTA

Start your week with a coffee (or tea!) to go from the Vanoffee Coffee Van that will be parked in the school playground at drop-off on Monday 28<sup>th</sup>. Serving drinks to the staff and our children's adults a contribution to the PTA will be made for every drink we buy. Mine's a skinny, oak milk flat white with a shot of chia seeds and no foam if anyone offers....

## ENTREPRENEURS – YOU'RE HIRED (PLEASE!)

Calling all business owners. Do you own your own business? Could you inspire the next generation of entrepreneurs? If you answered YES please get in touch with [Y5](#) as next term (June/ July) they will be taking part in the annual Enterprise project and need your support - THANK YOU!

## MUSIC MUSIC MUSIC

A reminder to the parents/carers of our amazing Y1, Y3 & Y5 choir who are performing live at 9am on Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> May – we look forward to seeing you!

Also, Y2 & Y4 will be starting their music project with Trafford next week – ukulele for Y2 and clarinet for Y4. They will be bringing their instruments home to start practising after their first lesson and we are all looking forward to seeing how much they learn before their end of term concert.

## SUMMER UNIFORM – TOP TIPS

Now the weather is improving supermarkets will have summer uniforms on sale. Before you buy remember that our uniform is grey shorts/ white short-sleeve shirt or a blue gingham summer dress. Also, please pop your child's name in any purchases (sun hats and cardigans often go missing). Finally with short sleeves, short socks and sunshine comes the need for suntan lotion – lather up everyone!

## CALENDAR

<b>Monday 28 Apr</b>	12.15 -12.45: Y1-3 Bitesize Bootcamp (playground) 12.50 -1.20 : Y4-6 Bitesize Bootcamp (playground) 12.30-1.10 : Craft Club – Y3-6 - <b>Mrs Whitworth</b> (4DW) 3.30-4.30 : Y1-6 Library Loungers – <b>Mrs Harris</b> 3.30 – 4.30 : Rec -Y6 Dance - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (hall) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Tennis – <b>Hale Lawn Tennis</b> – (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Rec-Y4 Multi-sports - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Computing <b>Computer Xplorers</b> (6DH) 3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Girls Football - <b>AFC</b> (playground)
<b>Tuesday 29 Apr</b>	8 - 8.45 : Y3-6 Cricket - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (playground or hall) 12.50 - 1.20 : Y4-6 Puzzle Club - <b>Mr Moseley</b> (5PM) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-4 Gymnastics - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (hall) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y5 Exam Class - <b>Ms Patterson</b> (5PM) 3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Gardening Club – <b>Mrs Graham</b>
<b>Weds 30 Apr</b>	8 - 8.45 : Y3-6 Netball – <b>Alt Junior Netball Club</b> (playground) ( <b>full</b> ) <b>9.15 -10.45 : 3MW Swimming</b> 12.20 - 12.45: Y2 TT Rock Stars <b>Mrs Bowes/Miss Hetherington</b> 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1 & 2 Football <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (hall) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Football <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (playground)
<b>Thurs 1 May</b>	12.20 - 12.45 : Y1-3 Choir - <b>Miss Watts</b> (1SW) 12.50 - 1.20 : Y4-6 Choir - <b>Mrs Booth</b> (5BC) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y 3-6 Athletics Club – <b>Miss Dunbavand/Miss Munro</b> 3.30 - 4.30 : Y 1&2 Spanish club - <b>La Jolie Ronde</b> (2BH) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Lacrosse - <b>Timperley Lacrosse</b> (playground) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Drama Club - <b>Tactile Arts</b> (RMD)
<b>Friday 2 May</b>	<b>9.00 – 10.00 : Y1,Y3 &amp; Y5 Choir Performance</b> 12.20 - 12.50 : Y4-6 Crochet Club - <b>Miss Munro</b> (6SM) ( <b>full</b> ) 3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Dodgeball - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (Hall)