



# Navigation Primary School Newsletter

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## WELCOME

It is the end of term again - how did that happen? Despite being a short five weeks, no one can accuse us of not being busy! Y6 took their SATs (brilliantly), we had a wonderful choir performance, took part in cricket, dodgeball, lacrosse and rugby competitions and Y1 performed in a show. No wonder we all need a rest! Both I and all our staff would like to wish all our families, staff and children a happy half-term and see you in June - *Ms Patterson*.

## Y2 INTO THE FOREST!

Y2 went to Delamere Forest on Monday where they learnt about the different type of trees; the tree life cycle and the important role parts of the trees have. The children loved making a 'nature window hanger' and designing a home in the forest. They all displayed fantastic listening and teamwork skills throughout so well done and a big thank you to all the adults who came with us on the day.

## EYFS PTA DANCATHON

EYFS danced the day away at their PTA Danceathon. The challenge was to complete at least ten dances, but they all boogied better, achieving an amazing 11 bops! A huge thank you to all the parents for their sponsorships and to the PTA for the sneaky snacks and prizes. There'll be a lot of sleepy children tonight!

## MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH – GUNS N' ROSES

We all air guitared to Knockin' on Heaven's Door this week and leant that in Guns N' Roses were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 2012 and played Glastonbury in 2023. Selling over 100 million records worldwide, Guns N' Roses are one of the best-selling bands in history (and have the best hair).

## Y1 PERFORMED BRILLIANTLY

Well done to Y1 who entertained their adults and Y5/6 on Thursday with their super performance of 'Florence Nightingale'. They impressed us all with their confident delivery and singing. Many thanks to the parents/carers and staff for their support in helping Y1 deliver a fabulous performance.

## UP 'N' UNDER

An enthusiastic group of Y5 & Y6 pupils represented school in a tag rugby tournament this week. They were very upbeat and brought lots of positivity to the tournament demonstrating commitment, dedication and Navigation values throughout. Mr Heap and Mrs Cookson were very impressed with you all!

## HELP IMPROVE TRAFFORD'S FAMILY SUPPORT

Trafford are looking for feedback about your experience of their family support services. Hoping to find out what is working well and how they can improve, they are asking users to spend 10mins taking this [survey](#).

## MEASLES – BE ON THE LOOK OUT

Trafford have advised all local schools that there have been incidents of measles reported in the Greater Manchester Area. There is a poster on the school noticeboards that outlines the signs to look out for – whilst the [NHS webpage](#) includes more information if you have any concerns.

CLASS	Golden Book	Values
Nurs	Emily Kandamby	
RLK	Seb Jackson	Adam Laksa
RMD	Samrudhan Senthil Kumar	Lisali Kandamby
1FL	Parna Mangarole	Noor Islam
1SW	Willow Krysko	Harper Harris
2TG	Catherine Elliot	Morris Chan
2BH	Poppy Goodier	Rishi Chinta
3MW	Pippa Gore	Eli French
3MC	Alysa Hui	Skye Holmes
4DW	Sophie Hawthorn	Devon Gee-Brown
4AC	Adrian Baydemir	Alfie Sleigh
5BC	Caitlyn Tse	Sammie Groves
5PM	Rose Scullion	Olivia Williams
6DH	Amelie Holt	Joseph Pattison
6SM	Tess Fallon	Lucy Higgins

## PTA UPDATES

You are all invited to join the next PTA meeting on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June. Come along to school at 6.45pm to find out more about the ways in which we support the school and future planned events. If you can't join us then, perhaps you could help at this year's school fair? We are still very much in need of volunteers so if you can spare an hour on the day we (and the children) would be immensely grateful!

## LEARNING ABOUT DIFFERENT BELIEFS

Are you a part of a family that follows a faith or do you follow a humanist philosophy? The children would be interested in hearing different views on religion as part of their RE lessons - and who better to hear from than our parents/carers! If you are interested in helping us learn more contact: [year5@navigationprimary.com](mailto:year5@navigationprimary.com)

## KEEPING BUSY THIS HOLIDAY

The Trans Pennine Trail chaps have come up trumps again with their activity pack which you can download [here](#) whilst our local Altrincham Waterstones has a number of exciting events. You can read about these [here](#) or in the latest edition of our Library Newsletter.

## UNIFORM – THE USUAL!!

Unfortunately, lost property piles were back this term, and we have donated two bin bags of unnamed/unclaimed lost property to the PTA and charity. So, a quick plea to ask that you pop your child's full name in their uniform and PE Kit ready for the new term. Could we also remind everyone that long hair needs to be tied back for school and jewellery needs to be limited to small stud earrings/wristwatch - Thank you!

## CALENDAR

### ENJOY THE WHIT HOLIDAY SCHOOL RE-OPENS **MONDAY 9<sup>th</sup> JUNE**

<b>Monday 9 June</b>	<b>Y2 Ukulele Y4 Clarinets - (don't forget your instruments!)</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) <b>2.30 – 3.30 : 3MW parent event Peace Mala</b> 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 10 June</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) <b>2.30 – 3.30 : 3MC parent event Peace Mala</b> 3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-4 Gymnastics - <b>Sports &amp; All</b> (hall) <b>NO EXAM CLASS</b> 3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Gardening Club – <b>Mrs Graham</b> <b>6.45 : PTA MEETING SCHOOL HALL</b>
<b>Weds 11 June</b>	8 - 8.45 : Y3-6 Netball – <b>Alt Junior Netball Club</b> (playground) ( <b>full</b> ) 9.15 -10.45 : <b>Y5 Top up 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 12 June</b>	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 13 June</b>	<b>OWNS CLOTHES DAY - £1 or a Jolly Jar</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)