

Navigation Primary School Newsletter

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WELCOME

Who needs the test match or the tennis when we have sporting action here at school! Nursery & KS2 pupils tore up the racetrack as their adults watched on in wonder - read about the excitement below. All this, alongside fun at the fair, some photo reminders and a report on Y4's meeting with a very famous author – who does not have 'Fishlegs'...

Y5 SPORTING GRADUATES

This week to celebrate all the sporting activities we have participated in we hear from three Y5 Primary Leaders who want to share the importance of being active.

"Being active is super important for both your **mental and physical health**. Moving our bodies helps us feel happy, reduces stress and builds strong muscles and bones. At school, we encourage a healthy lifestyle through **afterschool clubs, active maths, boot camp, sports events / competitions and PE lessons**. So let's get moving and feel the benefits!". From Hettie, Lucas and Charlotte.

DRAGON & WIZARDS

Year 4 tuned into a zoom experience with Cressida Cowell, the author of the' How To Train Your Dragon' books. She explained what inspires her to write and gave children useful tips to help them on their own writing journeys. Cressida also illustrates her own books and consequently some Y4 pupils drew their own mythical creature which will feature in their stories this week.

A DAY OF SPORTS

It was Nursery sports' day on Monday morning, and a tiny drizzle of rain did not dampen the spirit of athletics! We had balancing, throwing and running from the children and their adults (and we're sure we even spotted some dancing!). Big thanks to all that attended and to coach Chris, who planned and prepared the fun!

Next it was the turn of Y3-6 who took to the sporting arena that afternoon. As the sun began to shine, our spirits rose as did the volume of the cheers as our young athletes ran, jumped and threw their way to victory. From the thrilling sprint races to the energetic long jump, every event was filled with fantastic effort and sportsmanship. The highlight event was the parents' egg and spoon race – lots of laughs and a few wobbly eggs! Well done to all our participants, a big thank you to everyone who came to support and an even bigger thank you to our Sports Leaders who led the afternoon exhibiting our school values!

CLASS	Golden Book	Values
Nurs	Natalie Smith	
RLK	Rowan Gresty	Ellis Tang
RMD	Ivy Limbert	Luca Julier
1FL	Ava Williams	Meera Desai
1SW	Aarna Kumar	Rory Ryley
2TG	Morris Chan	Isaac Mason
2BH	Kimaya Mishra	Krisha Ahirrao
3MW	Marjorie Jessop	Grace Holland
3МС	Katie-Belle Choy	Freddie Hickey
4DW	Dylan Durkin	Oscar Murphy
4AC	Queenie Wang	Adhiradhan Senthil Kumar
5BC	Zoey Edwards	Matilda Crippin
5PM	Lennex Bower	Lily O'Connor
6DH	Milo Dalton	Maisie Gregory
6SM	Rebecca Signorelli	Rohan French

PTA - FAIR FUN!

Our PTA would like to say a HUGE thank you to everyone for coming to the fair and an even HUGER thanks to all the volunteers for their help and support on the day. Although waiting for the final figure initial indications are that you all helped raise over 3K – how fantastic!

Also, a quick reminder that its class photo day on Tuesday – so get the children's uniform on and hair brushed to make sure they look their best! For any children who have PE on Tuesday unless your teacher advises otherwise, please bring their kit in to change into.

BUS TRAVEL TO HIGH SCHOOL

Y6 students that will be travelling by bus to their new secondary school may want to check out <u>Arriva's</u> website. It includes information on annual season tickets may save you (well your adults!) some money.

MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH – NORAH JONES

This week we have mainly been listening to 'Nightingale'. Norah's first album, "Come Away with Me," sold over 20 million copies and is one of the most successful albums on Blue Note Records. Despite her huge success Norah still loves playing live and enjoys performing in small clubs. Also remember to revise your music knowledge if you are attending Miss Watts' music quiz next week...

PLEASE PLAY SAFE

Please do not let your children play on school equipment or the trim trail before or after school – there is no supervision at these times, and we do not want any accidents!

FREE MAGAZINE - FAMILY FIRST

You can get your hands on a free copy of Family First – the UKS biggest parenting magazine – here.

STRETCH N GROW - RECRUITING

Stretch n Grow teach under 5's about the importance of fitness, health and fun. They are currently recruiting so if you are enthusiastic, energetic and like being silly their role could be for you. Starting in Sept, the job fits within school hours and with training provided. If you're interested contact Kathy at Altrincham@stretch-n-grow.co,.uk.

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CALENDAR		
Monday	9.15 am - KS1 SPORTS DAY – RECREATION GROUND	
30 Jun	Y2 Ukulele - (don't forget your instruments!)	
	Y4 Clarinets (don't forget your instruments!)	
	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 - Mrs Whitwort h (4DW)	
	3.30-4.30 : Y1-6 Library Loungers – Mrs Harris	
	3.30 – 4.30 : Rec - Y6 Dance - Sports & All (hall)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Tennis – Hale Lawn Tennis – (playground)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Rec-Y4 Multi-sports - Sports & All (playground)	
	3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Girls Football - AFC (playground)	
Tuesday	PTA CLASS PHOTO DAY – SCHOOL UNIFORM	
1 Jul	8 - 8.45 - Y3-6 Multi-sports- Sports & All (playground or hall)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-4 Gymnastics - Sports & All (hall)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y5 Exam Class - Ms Patterson	
	3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Gardening Club – Mrs Graham	
Weds	8 - 8.45 : Y3-6 Netball – Alt Junior Netball Club (playground) (full)	
2 Jul	9.15 -10.45 : Y5 Top up swimming	
	12.20 - 12.45: Y2 TT Rock Stars Mrs Bowes/Miss Hetherington	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y1 & 2 Football Sports & All (hall)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Football Sports & All (playground)	
	5.30 FAMILY MUSIC QUIZ MC'd by Miss Watts	
Thurs	3.30 - 4.30 : Y 3-6 Athletics Club – Miss Dunbavand/Miss Munro	
3 Jul	3.30 - 4.30 : Y 3-6 Spanish club - La Jolie Ronde (2BH)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Lacrosse - Timperley Lacrosse (playground)	
	3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Drama Club - Tactile Arts (RMD)	
Friday	12.20 - 12.50 : Y4-6 Crochet Club - Miss Munro (6SM) (full)	
4 Jul	3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Dodgeball - Sports & All (Hall)	