

# NEWSLETTER

25TH SEPTEMBER 2025

## WELCOME

Its officially autumn and we are loving watching the leaves turn and seeing our sunflowers peep over the school wall – have you spotted them? We had a busy week in school as lots of us had our flu vaccinations and then ate cake for Macmillan! In this edition read all about some exciting sporting opportunities as well as important reminders from your PTA and the school office.

## EXAM CLASS INFORMATION MEETING

Ms Patterson will be hosting a Trafford Selection Test and exam class information evening for **Y5 parents/carers** next Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 6pm in the school hall. Please come along to find out more about the exam class and the Trafford Selection test.

## PTA METING WEDS 1<sup>st</sup> OCT

The PTA is holding the annual general meeting on Weds 1<sup>st</sup> October at 6.45pm in the school hall. All parents/carers are invited to learn all about the fantastic work the PTA does. New attendees are always welcome, whatever year your child is in – and rest assured you won't get press-ganged into face painting!

## MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Many thanks to everyone who donated cakes and/or joined us for refreshments this morning. Once we've cleared away the plates we'll update you with how much everyone raised.



## THANK YOU

Our terrific team of runners would like to thank everyone who sponsored them to race in this years Altrincham 10k. You raised a fantastic £921 which will go to our PTA

## REMINDERS

**Reporting an absence :** Now the cold and flu season is upon us a quick reminder to contact the school before 9.30am to let us know if your child will be absent. You can either email [admin@navigationprimary.com](mailto:admin@navigationprimary.com) or leave a message on the absence line. Simply tell us your child's name, class and provide a brief description of their illness.

**Lunch Refunds:** Linked to the above – if you have paid for a school meal and you've advised the school your child is absent you can claim a refund on Evolve – Go to 'Primary Meals' / Manage orders' click on the date and cancel order.

**Parking:** Sorry we have to mention this again but one of our neighbours could not leave for work today as a Navigation parent had parked directly across their driveway. Please consider others when you are dropping off or collecting your children.

## PARENT GOVERNOR

Due to a governor's term of office coming to an end, we will shortly be advertising for a new Parent Governor. If you are interested in finding out more about the role and whether this may be for you, please get in touch with Ms Patterson.

## WELLBEING SUPPORT

Solihull Approach aims to improve emotional health and wellbeing by supporting relationships. We have arranged for our parents to be able to access a range of their free online courses designed to help understand your child's emotional health, brain development and wellbeing. The courses are written by CAMHS professionals alongside other health and education workers. You can access these courses [here](#) using the access code: WATERPARK



## GOLDEN BOOK & VALUES

	<i>Golden Book</i>	<i>Values</i>
<b>Nurs</b>	Linden Gresty	
<b>RLK</b>	Wren Jeffery	Nancy Lenahan
<b>RMD</b>	Alex Oxley-Berry	Lewis Ball
<b>1ML</b>	Lisali Kandamby	Bella McDonagh-Waller
<b>1SW</b>	Omer Selim Apaydin	Zara Robertson
<b>2BH</b>	Harper Harris	Olivia Hughes
<b>2TG</b>	Ridhaan N	Emilia Krasinska-Beman
<b>3LC</b>	Annabelle Lilley	Harrison Oliver
<b>3BW</b>	Cora Wood	Vitor Ferreira
<b>4AC</b>	James Robertson	Magnus Birrell
<b>4CD</b>	Clara Marshall	Dylan Hyde
<b>5IF</b>	Emilee-Rose White	Aarish Sajja
<b>5PM</b>	Casper Fallon	Flora Lyons
<b>6DH</b>	Adrian Kashir	Theodore West
<b>6SM</b>	Yunis Ben Fadel	Emily Freeman

## SPORTING OPPORTUNITIES

Our Netball Club has places for Y3/4 children on a Thursday morning. Register [here](#) if your child is interested - its a great way to start the day!

We've also been contacted by Altrincham Kersal Rugby Club. They welcome new players aged 5yrs+ - all abilities welcome. Training is on 9.30am Sunday with junior members getting a free kit and everyone getting a hot dog! Email [altrinchamkersalruffc@gmail.com](mailto:altrinchamkersalruffc@gmail.com) or check them out on social media to find out more

If any keen runners would like to take part in the Trafford Cross Country weekend events this autumn/winter, please see the dates below, with the first one being this Saturday. You do not need to enter, just turn up and race. Happy running!

- Altrincham AC @ John Leigh Park. First race 10am on Saturday 18 October; Saturday 8 November; Saturday 29 November.
- Trafford AC @ Longford Park. First race 10:30am on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> September; Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November; Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> January.
- Sale Harriers @Crossford Bridge. First race 1pm on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November; Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December; Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> January.



## FURNITURE DONATIONS

The British Heart Foundation has been in touch to promote their furniture collection services. If you have any pre-loved items that need a new home the BHF offer a collection service just visit [bhf.org.uk/houseclearance](http://bhf.org.uk/houseclearance) to donate



## MUSICIAN OF THE MONTH

This week we danced to the classic tune 'One for Sorrow'. Formed in 1997 Steps quickly became one of the biggest pop groups in the UK, releasing hit after hit and touring the world. Alas In 2001, the group decided to take a break but - hurrah - they reunited in 2011. Fans were excited to see them perform again, release new music go on tour and since 2017 they have been very active and continue to make new music and perform for their fans.

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

Mon 29th	<p>12.15 -12.45: Y1-3 Bitesize Bootcamp (playground)  12.50 -1.20 : Y4-6 Bitesize Bootcamp (playground)  12.20 – 12.50 : Y4-6 Boxing - <a href="#">After the Bell</a> (studio)  3.30 – 4.30 : Y1+2 Spanish - <a href="#">La Jolie Ronde</a> (RMD)  3.30 – 4.30 : Y1 -Y6 Dance - <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (hall)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-Y4 Multi-sports - <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (playground)  3.30 – 4.30 : Y3-6 Girls Football - <a href="#">AFC</a> (playground)</p>
Tue 30th	<p>8 - 8.45 : Y3-6 Basketball - <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (playground or hall)*  12.20 – 12.50 : Y4-6 Judo (<a href="#">Judo Education</a>) (studio)  12.45 – 1.15 : Origami - Y4-6 - Mr Mosely – 5PM  3.30 – 4.15 : Y4 – 6 Hockey – Mrs Coates – playground  3.30 – 4.30 : At Club (Y1-6) – <a href="#">Tactile Arts</a> – 6sm  3.30-4.30 : Gardening Club – Y3-5 – Mrs Graham – (2TG)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-4 Gymnastics - <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (hall)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y5 &amp; 6 – Taskmaster club - Ms Patterson (5PM)  <b>GIRLS FOOTBALL LEAGUE</b></p>
Wed 1st	<p>8 - 8.45 : Y5+6 Netball – <a href="#">Alt Junior Netball Club</a> (playground)  <b>9.15 -10.45 : 3LC Swimming</b>  3.30 - 4.30 : Y1 &amp; 2 Football <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (hall)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Football <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (playground)  <b>6.00 - 6.30 : Trafford Selection Test Info Evening - Y5 Parents</b>  <b>6.45 - PTA AGM (school hall)</b></p>
Thurs 2nd	<p>8 - 8.45 : Y3+4 Netball – <a href="#">Alt Junior Netball Club</a> (playground)  3.30 – 4.30 : Cooking club – Y3+4 – Mrs Coates (4AC)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Spanish club - <a href="#">La Jolie Ronde</a> (3BW)  3.30 - 4.30 : Y1-6 Drama Club - <a href="#">Tactile Arts</a> (hall)</p>
Fri 3rd	<p>3.30 - 4.30 : Y3-6 Dodgeball - <a href="#">Sports &amp; All</a> (Hall)</p>