



HARPLEY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS AND INFORMATION

MONDAY 23rd November

PLEASE CAN ALL MONEY FOR THE WEEK COME IN TODAY, LUNCH (£2.30 per day) & MUSIC LESSONS. THANK YOU

Class I pupils to come to school in their PE kit, including school jumper, and remain in it all day
1.00-2.00 Junior music lesson with Mr Hall

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Benjamin Howell, piano tuition

THURSDAY

All pupils to come to school in their PE kit, they will remain in them all day
1.00-2.00 Junior PE
2.00-3.00 Infant PE

FRIDAY

Library day

Stef Judd guitar and drum tuition

Class J pupils to come to school in their PE kit, including school jumper, and remain in it all day

Sadly only 8 families have responded to our email sent at the beginning of the week confirming they would like to purchase either a DVD or memory stick of our Christmas festivities. Mr Heazel spends many hours compiling, editing and producing these every year - so unless most families would like them it might not be financially viable to offer them this year.

SPECIAL MENTIONS (until we are able to hold celebration assemblies again we will put special mentions here)

INFANTS: Ruby for amazing writing, Maud for brilliant reading, Chloe for lots and lots of writing! YR for fantastic Indian cookery. Nojus for amazing maths homework.



JUNIORS: Heidi for kindness and understanding of others.

☺ THE POSITION HAS BEEN FILLED ☺

We would like to thank everyone in KS2 for their job application for the position of library assistant. We have been overwhelmed with the response and we will keep all applications on file - more children will have the opportunity to fill the role next term.

CONGRATULATIONS
Lucy Y6 and Oliver Y5

Lucy and Oliver have been given a fantastic reference by members of staff and will carry out the job into the spring term. This term's first reserves are **Hattie Y6 and Piper Y5**.

We look forward to working with you!

Reading has a huge impact on children's learning; please continue to read, at home, every day.

Infant's learning highlights this week:

We have learned about Captain Tom Moore and what he did to raise money for the NHS. In Maths, the children are becoming addition experts! Yr R have been learning about the number 4 and ways to make it and Yr 1 and 2 have been learning and practicing addition skills. A big shout out to Yr 2, who mastered some tricky skills!

The Infants had a Diwali party on Wednesday learning about how Hindu's celebrate this festival.



Junior's learning highlights this week:

Y3/4 were learning how to classify minibeasts using a branching database. They were writing the narrative to accompany a short animation they had watched called Marshmallows



We are very sorry to be saying goodbye to Amy Garner, our PE coach. Amy is leaving to pursue a new career; we are very grateful for all that she has done for our school and wish her the very best for the future. From December, our PE lessons will be provided by ICS Coaching. We are starting a collection to get her a gift, if you would like to donate please give your donation to Sue by Wednesday. Thank you.



FIRST ADMISSIONS **TO SCHOOL -** **SCHOOL YEAR 2021/22**

Parents of children born between 1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017 should automatically receive a booklet and application form through the post. Parents can apply online www.admissionsonline.norfolk.gov.uk (website open between 28th September 2020 and 15th January 2021)

Or you can contact admissions on 0344 8008020. Applications received after 15th January 2021 will be treated as late and will not be considered until places for all on time applications have been allocated.



HEADTEACHER CONTACT

Mrs Stibbon (Headteacher) is available Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays.




Mrs Stephens (Co Headteacher) is available: Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays.

Mrs Stibbon & Mrs Stephens can be contacted on:

Headteacher's phone: 07825104854 Harpley: 01485 520274 Great Massingham: 01485 520362

Of course, it is always possible to speak directly to a class teacher or other members of staff.

TERM DATES

2020 AUTUMN TERM 	2021 SPRING TERM 	2021 SUMMER TERM 
Monday 7 th September - Friday 18 th December (Half term - Thursday 22 nd October - Friday 30 th October)	Monday 4 th January - Friday 26 th March (Half term - Monday 15 th - Friday 19 th February)	Monday 12 th April - Wednesday 21 st July (Half term - Monday 31 st May - Friday 4 th June)

HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

Please remember we cannot authorise ANY holidays in term time and any holiday absence will be recorded as UNAUTHORISED



CLOTHES & TEXTILE RECYCLING

Planning a 'clear out'? Don't forget the school textile bank for unwanted clothes, shoes, bedding, curtains etc. This is a great earner for our school, for no effort. Please support it - every little helps!

From October 2019-February 2020 this raised £69.60. March raised £4.80.