

NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a fabulous term this one has been! Today, in assembly, I asked the children what they have enjoyed the most and we were overwhelmed by their responses, which included: Oundle Music Festival, sports events, Animal Encounters Workshop, Easter Technology Day, Bikeability, having fun learning, spending time with their friends and many more! The wonderful learning culture and experiences that we have at John Clare do not happen by chance, and I would like to thank my entire staff team, who are so dedicated to doing their very best for each and every child in school - thank you all!

I would also like to thank Friends of John Clare School who have facilitated many of the fantastic 'additional' experiences that we have been able to provide for the children. These have included: organising Ground Force Day; providing the funding for the animal workshop and the super smart black t-shirts that the children wore to the Oundle Music Festival; organising an Easter Egg Trail for every child in school and many more. If you would like to volunteer on the Friends committee (in any capacity at all), I know that they would be very pleased to welcome you. Please speak with Nicola Read (Chairperson) or contact the school office and we can pass on your interest.

Finally, thank you to all of our parents and carers - we greatly value your support and partnership in your child's learning journey.

Wishing you all a very happy Easter holiday.

Best wishes, Mrs Nicolson



Internet Safety Tips For Parents and Carers - Using You Tube

We have had a number of online safety incidents brought to our attention in school, which have involved the children using You Tube at home. The NSPCC offer some useful advice and tips for how parents/carers can support a safer use of this platform - click <u>here</u> for further details.



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Parking

Parents are only permitted to use the school car park be-

tween 7.30am and 8.00am and after 4.00 pm.

Outside of these times, the car park is only to be used by staff and Disabled Badge holders. If you are dropping off or col-

lecting children outside of the above times, please park safely

and courteously on the road and do not obstruct the en-

trance to school. Thank you for your cooperation.



Nut and Seed Free School

Our school endeavours as far as possible to be a nutfree school, this includes sesame seeds. Therefore we would like to request that any food brought into school for lunches or snacks does not include any nuts or sesame seeds, this Includes hummus.

John Clare Kitchen Menu – Week 1 – W/C 15th April 2024				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cottage Pie	Citrus Chicken	Pepperoni Pizza	Omega 3 Fish Fingers	Roast Chicken with
Topped with Cheesy	Wholegrain Rice	Mixed Salad	Oven Chips	Stuffing, Roast Pota-
Mash	-			toes, Yorkshire Pud-
	Quorn Citrus Vegeta-	Margherita Pizza	Veggie Dippers	ding and Gravy
Quorn Mince and	bles			Quorn Fillet with
Lentil Cottage Pie		Served with Mixed	Served with Baked	Stuffing
	Served with Green	Salad/Salsa	Beans/Spaghetti	
Served with Broccoli	Beans		Hoops	Served with Cauli-
				flower Cheese & Pea

A selection of hot and cold puddings, freshly baked wholemeal bread, fruit and water

Positive Posts

This week, the endeavours of the following children have been recognised with a Positive Post:

Reuben - for working hard, being kind and a fantastic role model this half-term.

Roxie - for improving her spelling scores.

Amelie A - for trying her best and presenting her learning to a high standard.

Temperance - for great work in history.

Laila - for a super drawing of Aztec gods.

Hugo - for improving his spelling scores.

Isobel - for a mature understanding in RE.

Milo - for having a very positive attitude.

Beatrice - for a super attitude to history.

Finlay - for a super drawing of Tlaloc.

Charlotte D - for a brilliant drawing of Huitzilopochtli.

Scarlet - for a very positive attitude to all aspects of life in Swaddywell!



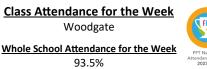
Change of footwear



Please ensure that your child has a change of footwear in school every day, including PE days.



Some children have not been bringing a change of footwear on PE days and are having to wear their muddy trainers in the classrooms.





School Noticeboard

The following are dates in our school calendar but may be subject to change

Easter Holiday -

Friday 28th March to Monday 15th April

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School Opens 8:40am

KS2 Cross Country—AMVC