

Newsletter 4th October 2019



Thank you to everyone who has sent in a donation for our Harvest Festival. We have had a lovely range of goods, which I know the Norwich Food Bank will be delighted with.



Bags 2 School – please return bags for Wednesday 9th October.

Request for Gardening Volunteers - If any parents/carers have some free time during November and would like to help prepare a garden area outside Venus classroom, we would very much appreciate it. Mr Cox has very kindly agreed to prepare this over some weekends in November so please speak to the office if you are willing to lend a hand. In the spring term, Venus Class are going to create a garden and grow some vegetables which we will then use in cooking lessons.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Website – Our new website is now up and running. Over the next few weeks we will be adding new materials and photographs. Please have a look and find your way around it.

<https://newtonflotman.norfolk.sch.uk/>

Reminder – Please can we remind that if a child has had sickness or diarrhoea they must remain off school for **48 hours** after the last time they are sick. This is so that it does not spread throughout the school.

Voluntary One Way System – during drop off and pick up times we have a voluntary one way system to help cars along the road in front of the school. We ask cars to come in from St Mary's turning into School Road and then exit via Church Lane.

A big thank you to all the parents who came in today to help Mercury Class dig their new garden. It was a very muddy job, but great fun for all involved.

Over the coming months you will all be able to see the progress of these plots in front of the school kitchen.



Cakes for Coaches – Today we raised £22. That is a total of £35 to date. Thank you. Another cake will be raffled next week. 🍰🍰🍰🍰🍰🍰🍰

HELLO YELLOW.

Don't forget that the children can come to school next Thursday wearing something yellow. All we ask is a donation of £1 to support Young Minds. It can be one item, or several items worn.

From the 16th September 2019, Free School Meals are launching an on-line application service. Parents and carers can create an account at the following website address and using their details, carry out a check on any entitlement. This information will be submitted direct to Norfolk County Council Free School Meals team for processing.

www.norfolk.gov.uk/neo

Parents can also access this via the Council's website www.norfolk.gov.uk

Dates

Tuesday 8th October – KS2 Cross Country Event

Wednesday 9th October – Bags2 School

Thursday 10th October – Hello Yellow Day

Tuesday 15th October – Yr3 –Yr6 Girls Football competition.

Tuesday 15th October – Parents Evening 3.15-5pm

Thursday 17th October – Parents Evening 4-6pm

Friday 18th October – FOS Cake Sale

HALF TERM – 21st -25th October

Thursday 31st October – Open Afternoon 1.15 to 2.45 for new parents and children

Friday 1st November – FOS School Disco – Big Bang

Friday 15th November – Children In Need FOS Cake Stall

Friday 22nd November – Non-Uniform Day for Christmas Prizes

Wednesday 27th November – Year 3 in Mars class start swimming. Letters will be sent nearer the time.

Saturday 30th November – Christmas Fayre

Sunday 8th December – Wreath Making Workshop in the Church Room – 2-6pm