

## Newburgh Primary School

"A caring school where every child matters" (OFSTED)

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<u>What's on this</u> <u>week</u>	Monday 3rd July	Tuesday 4th July	Wednesday 5th July	Thursday 6th July	Friday 7th July
Before school 8am-8.55am				School Bank 8.30am	
Activities during the school day	Violin (am) Guitar (pm) <b>Y5 to RSC 1.30pm</b>	Woodwind (pm) Violin (pm) Brass (am)	Guitar (am/pm)	Non-uniform day ~ donation day for PTA Summer Fair	
Lunchtime	Y5/6 Drama	Home learning		Y4,5,6 Running Club Y3 Recorders	
After school (3.15-4.15pm unless otherwise stated)	Girls Choir Y1 Mini-Golf Reception Cricket <b>Y5 @ RSC</b>	Boys Choir Y6 Rounders	Y4,5,6 Gardening club <u>NO</u> KS2 Athletics Y3 Tennis <b>Y5/6 residential</b> meetings for 2018 5.30pm	<u>NO</u> Orchestra Y5/6 Art club 3.15- 4.30pm	Y2 Athletics Y1 Handball <b>PTA Summer Fair 3.30pm</b>

#### Dear parents,

For those parents who have children in Reception or Years 1 and 2 there will be a change of entrance to the infant playground during the last four days of this term. The usual gate will not be accessible at the beginning and end of the school day as it will be in use for the construction team who will be building the new canopy outside Year 2's classrooms. We would therefore ask that parents and children access or leave the playground via the gate near to the Children's Centre wall. This will be in force from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July until Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July inclusive. Have a good week. Many thanks, Mr. Smith

#### PUPILS FROM WARWICKSHIRE AND ACROSS THE COUNTRY PERFORM AT ROYAL SHAKESPEARE COMPANY (RSC) PLAYMAKING <u>FESTIVAL</u>:

Pupils from Year 5 at Newburgh Primary School Warwick are set to follow in the footsteps of some of the world's best known actors later this month, when they perform in Stratford-upon-Avon as part of the RSC's *Playmaking Festival* for schools. Taking place between the 27 June and 7 July 2017, the *Playmaking Festival* is an opportunity for schools all over the UK who work with RSC

Taking place between the 27 June and 7 July 2017, the *Playmaking Festival* is an opportunity for schools all over the UK who work with RSC Education to showcase their work through a series of live performances.

The first half of the Festival (27-30 June) will feature performances by schools across Stratford-upon-Avon and other RSC partner schools. The second half (3-7 July) will see schools who are part of the RSC's Associate Schools Programme\* performing their versions of *The Tempest* in front of a live audience at the RSC's Studio at The Other Place.

63 pupils will make the journey to Shakespeare's hometown on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July where they will perform extracts from The Tempest supported by RSC 'Director Mentors'.

By combining movement, body percussion and dialogue, Year 5 has created a performance based on one of the plays characters; the monster Caliban, and his personal journey throughout Shakespeare's famous piece.

\*The RSC's *Playmaking Festival* brings together all the schools across the country who work in partnership with the RSC as well as those who are part of its Associate Schools Programme. The Associate Schools Programme is a long-term partnership open to any state-maintained primary, secondary and special school in England and invites them to work with the RSC and their regional theatre to inspire each other with Shakespeare's work. The programme produces extraordinary results with teachers reporting improved literacy, attainment and concentration amongst pupils and students talking about their contribution in the classroom being valued and heard for the first time. Commenting on the Festival, Jacqui O'Hanlon, Director of Education, said:

"When schools sign up to our Associate Schools programme they make a long-term commitment to go above and beyond the curriculum to work in partnership with the RSC and their regional theatre. At the heart of all of that work is a commitment to making theatre together, whether that's in a classroom or a school hall or on one of the stages of the Royal Shakespeare Company. Our *Playmaking Festival* celebrates the talents of young people across the region and the nation. It shows us young people who now believe that the stories Shakespeare tells are about them and their lives. We know that belief can be an unmatched passport to genuine inclusion and powerful change."

The schools' performances as part of the *Playmaking Festival* are open to members of the public. Performances are ticketed and cost £3. To reserve tickets contact the RSC box office on 0844 800 1113 and ask for a ticket to the Playmaking Festival on the date and time of chosen performance. For more information about RSC Education and the work it does in schools nationwide, please visit www.rsc.org.uk/education.





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