



Newburgh Primary School

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

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| What's on this week | Monday 11th November | Tuesday 12th November | Wednesday 13th November | Thursday 14th November | Friday 15th November |
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| Before school 8am-8.55am | | | | | |
| Activities during the school day | Violin lessons | Stay and Play group Violin/Woodwind/ Brass lessons School Tour for parents with children due to start school in Sept 20 @ 9.30am Y6 Class assembly at 10.20 am & 2.45 pm | Guitar lessons | Forest School Y3 (Group 2) | Y4 Celebration Assembly 9 - 9.30 am Y6 Swimming |
| Lunchtime | Card swap club | Home Learning club | | Orchestra Club | Home Learning club |
| After school (3.15-4.15pm unless otherwise stated) | Girls Choir Reception Multisports Club - Fitt4Kids Y1&2 TAG Rugby Club - Fitt4Kids Reading meeting Y3,4 & 5 5.30 - 6.30 pm | Boys Choir Reception Well being Club | KS2 Football Club Y5 Cookery Club Y1 & 2 Tennis Club run by Coolsportz | | |

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Our Pebble Path has now been installed! Thank you to Mr Brandrick, who did all the heavy digging and cement mixing, to Mrs Flint for sharing such a brilliant idea with us and volunteering her time to complete the project with the children and for Miss Masani for sharing the story with the children at the start of our Well Being week last term. Each Pebble is unique and a brilliant celebration of diversity in our school.

Kind regards,

Mrs Simpkins
Headteacher



ATTENDANCE

Newburgh Primary School is committed to raising the profile of attendance and its link to pupil achievement and well-being. It is important therefore that you support us by ensuring that your child attends school on time, every day and by not taking your son/daughter out of school for holidays during term time. If you feel that there are exceptional circumstances that justify a request please complete a 'Request for Exceptional Term Time Leave' in advance and before any arrangements are confirmed or monies committed.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

11th November - Reading meeting for Y3,4 & 5 parents 5.30pm - 6.30pm.

12th November - Y6 class assembly 10.20am & 2.45pm.

16th November - Cross Country @ Priors Field, Kenilworth.

21st November - Maths evening for Rec & Y1 6pm.

27th November - Lower School Xmas decoration morning.

28th November - Upper School Xmas decoration morning.

3rd December - Nasal flu vaccinations for all children (consents will be sent home shortly)

We are currently in the process of compiling a list of all Christmas activity/event dates and will forward this by eSchools communication next week.

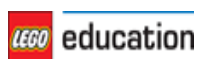


CAR PARKING

Please show consideration to our residents when parking in the immediate area surrounding the school. Good community relationships and the reputation of our school are very important to us and we need to be setting examples to our children as good citizens.



Adopted charity for the year.





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Please remember our responsibilities to ourselves, our children and our neighbours when driving or parking around the school site. This is especially important where children and parents are crossing Kipling Avenue to enter school.

BOOK SOME TIME - The Glass Castle, Jeannette Walls

MORE THAN SEVEN YEARS ON THE NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER LIST

A one-of-a-kind, "nothing short of spectacular" memoir from one of the world's most gifted storytellers.



The Glass Castle is a remarkable memoir of resilience and redemption. Jeannette Walls' family are both deeply dysfunctional and uniquely vibrant. When sober, Jeannette's brilliant and charismatic father captured his children's imagination, and taught them how to embrace life fearlessly. But when he drank, he was dishonest and destructive. Her mother was a free spirit who hated the idea of domesticity and didn't want the responsibility of raising a family.

The Walls children learned to take care of themselves. They fed, clothed, and protected one another, and eventually found their way to New York. Their parents followed them, choosing to be homeless even as their children prospered.

"Tragic and comic at the same time...an outrageous story, one that will break your heart" Sunday Independent

This is an astonishing book for our adult readers, Mrs. Fitzpatrick

PTA CORNER

Thank you to everyone who baked or provided cakes for our cake sale during parents evening. We hope you managed to enjoy something.

Prior notice for our Xmas Fair which will take place on Saturday 7th December. Please pop the date in your diaries!

There will be a non uniform day on Friday 6th December where children are invited to donate items for the school fair Tombola.

WET LUNCHTIMES

As the weather begins to change it becomes really useful to have games or colouring activities available that children can share. If you have any board games that would be suitable for wet lunchtime activities or colouring books or pens, we would be very grateful to receive these in school. Please drop these to the school office.



Many thanks, Mrs Turner

BOOK FAIR

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported our book fair. From all the sales made Newburgh were able to secure £833 in commission which has enabled school to purchase lots of new exciting books for children across the school. Thank you.



MUSIC NEWS

We would like to advise you that from January 2020, Warwickshire Music will be taking over the full administration of instrument tuition at Newburgh. For those children already receiving tuition in school this will mean no difference to their normal routine but families will shortly receive direct communication from Warwickshire Music re payment for the new Spring Term in 2020.

We look forward to continuing our excellent relationship with Warwickshire Music and our visiting instrument teachers.

Moving forward we are hopeful that they will be able to introduce tuition in other instruments to our children.



GOVERNORS CORNER - Adam Geach, Co-opted Governor

I would like to introduce myself, my name is Adam Geach and I have recently enrolled on the Newburgh Governing Body as a Co-opted Governor. As a Co-opted governor I have been selected to join the governing body of Newburgh to bring external skills and to be able to support the effective running of the school.

I currently work as Head of Regions for an Educational charity, working with schools in deprived areas up and down the country. In my role I am lucky enough to work with many different primary and secondary schools, giving me great experience in how a variety of schools run.

I have had a brilliant welcome from the school so far and I am looking forward to working with Mrs Simpkins and the rest of the team at Newburgh and hopefully meeting you all in the future.

If you have a comment or query for governors, please contact us at governors2325@welearn365.com



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