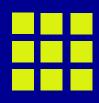


# **NINE ACRES NEWS**

## 'Striving for Excellence'



## Friday 14th June 2019

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### **Dear Families,**



Another busy week at Nine Acres started with Year 5 taking part in the CPR workshops on how to save a life <u>#restartaheart</u>. As a school we really do pride ourselves in giving our children opportunities to develop their life skills. Now fully trained our Year 5 pupils are our ambassadors for such an important skill.

On Tuesday, we enjoyed Stirling's Class assembly about plastic pollution and the harm this causes to the environment, they also gave us really good tips to help tackle this, thank you to Miss Boxell, Mrs Scott and

Mrs Sibbick for supporting the children as always.

We enjoyed our own mini festival at school on Thursday as EYFS held the main stage performing their acts. Security was tight getting in, but if you were lucky enough to get a special wristband, you had a wonderful time.

Next week we are excited to start our first transition meeting with our new EYFS families on Wednesday afternoon. We have already begun to advertise for places at Nine Acres for EYFS 2020, so if you know any families please tell them to get in contact with us early!

On that note if you are going to the festival have a great time enjoying yourselves - I hope the weather holds for you and if you're choosing not to go I hope you have a relaxing weekend away from all the hustle and bustle it brings.

Don't forget we are closed to pupils on Monday 17th June so the teachers can begin to unpick the new OFSTED framework and continue to further think about developing our school curriculum.

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Dyer

## School Development News

On Tuesday the Y6 team were moderated by 2 Local Authority Moderators to check that our assessment of the children's writing was correct. Schools usually get moderated every 4 years and this year it was our turn. I am so proud of how hard the Year 6 children have worked this year including choosing to stay after school for extra 'publishing' and extending their writing further.

I am also privileged to have such an incredible Year 6 staffing team who have dedicated themselves to ensuring the children are as Secondary School ready as possible so they can go to their new high school confident in their abilities. A special mention to Mrs Tingle, who is actually a LA Moderator herself, for all her support and outstanding English subject knowledge!

I am pleased to say that we passed with flying colours with all judgements agreed. The moderators commented on the staff's knowledge of the children, knowledge of the standards expected and their exceptional professionalism. Well done Team Nine Acres! <u>Monday 17th</u> <u>June 2019</u> is a Development Day - School is closed to pupils.



Thank you.

## Year 3 Swimming Lessons

Year 3 swimming lessons continue - children leave on the coach at 9.00a.m. prompt. All children require a swimming costume/swim shorts, a pair of goggles, a named towel and a bag for wet items. Children with verrucas need to wear a verruca sock and children with long hair should have it tied up or wear a swimming cap. Tuesday 18th June Tuesday 25th June

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July



## **SCHOOL DINNER BALANCES**

As of Tuesday 7th May, any school dinner balances which are near to **£10.00** will require payment by the end of that school day. Failure to pay will mean your child will require a packed lunch from home and you will be notified to supply this until the debt is cleared. Please ensure your dinner account kept below this amount. All payments are to be made using ParentPay. **Thank you.** 



We can now confirm the dates for our Sports Days as **Monday 15th** July for KS2 and Tuesday 16th July for EYFS/KS1. Please pop these in your diaries. Timings will be confirmed nearer the event. However, we would ask that each child wears a T-Shirt the colour matching their House colour please.

**Saxons - RED** 

Celts - Green

Vikings - Blue

**Romans - Yellow** 

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Adnuck: 93.55% 1 Warwick 96.43% 2 Edinburgh: 94.58% 4 Stirling: 99.09% 1 Durham: 94.33% 10 York: 93.67% 3 Whole school attendance this week is: 95.33% Well done Stirling!! Development Days <u>so far</u> Monday 3rd September 2.018	Warwick's Amazon World Trip Friday 19th July 2019 We have organised a visit to Amazon World, which will provide great opportunities to enrich the children's learning about animals and their natural habitats, as well as			
Friday 23rd November 2018 Friday 21st December 2018 Monday 17th June 2019 Tuesday 23rd July 2019 <u>HELPING HANDS</u>	the different climates of our planet. <u>Please make payment of £11.00 on Parentpay.</u> <u>Flefping Class Led Assemblies</u>			
***Calling all runners!!!! Round The Island Relay Race *** It is that time of year again already! The date for the fourth Round the Island Relay Race, against Brighstone Primary PTA, has been set for Saturday 14th September 2019. This year, we will be running around the Island in the clockwise direction. The 70 mile coastal path is chopped into 'legs' of different lengths. If you can run any distance between 2miles – 10miles we would love to have you on the team!!! The race starts at 5.00am and finishes approximately 5.00pm (depending on how fast we run) so you can choose a leg that fits around your day. If you are interested in taking part and would like more infor- mation please leave a message for Mrs Sim at the office.		Please find details below for the class led assemblies, each class will lead an assembly where families are invited in to watch. Please sign in at the office at 9.15 a.m.		
***NEW DATE*** - Family Bingo Night – Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> July 6-8pm We are pleased to announce, that we will be having a Family Bingo Night on Friday 5th July 6.00-8.00pm, back, by popular demand!! It would be great to see lots of you there! It is £1.00 entry per person playing and we normally manage to squeeze in approximately 4 games during the evening. There will be a small raffle and refreshments available.		Date 07/05/19 09/05/19 21/05/19 04/06/19	Time (Hall) 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am	Class Warwick Arundel Corfe Edinburgh
NEXT MEETING - Monday 1st July **New time** 1.30pm         All members of the school community are very welcome to attend! We are trialling a new time to see if we can tempt even more people to get involved.         Dates for your Diary         ***NEW DATE*** - Family Bingo Night – Friday 5th July 6-8pm         NEXT MEETING – Monday 1st July, 1.30pm meet by the office.         Saturday 14th September - Round the Island Relay Race		11/06/19 20/06/19 25/06/19 27/06/19 10/07/19 11/07/19	9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am 9:15-9:45 am	Stirling Alnwick Windsor Balmoral Carisbrooke Yarmouth

## UNE

22 Apr, 13 May, 10 June 1 July, 22 July

Spaghetti Bolognaise Wholemeal Pasta Neapolitan with Spinach Carrots & Garden Peas Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble with Custard

Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Platter

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Sausages with Baked Potato Wedges & Gravy Quorn Sausages with Baked Potato Wedges & Gravy Sweetcorn & Green Beans Chocolate & Beetroot Brownie Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

Roast Pork with Roast New Potatoes & Gravy Creamy Vegetable Pie with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Presh Mixed Seasonal Vegetables

Apple Flapjack Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

Chicken & Vegetable Wrap with Rice Macaroni Cheese Grated Carrot Salad & Mixed Green Salad Iced Sponge Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

Salmon Fish Finger / Fish Fingers, Chips & Tomato Sauce Cheese & Pepper Whirl with Chips Baked Beans & Garden Peas Fruit & Yoghurt Station 29 Apr, 20 May, 17 June 8 July

Beef Burger in a Bun with Balted Jacket Wedges Quorn Burger in a Bun with Balted Jacket Wedges Mized Green Salad & Coleslaw Chocolate & Banana Square Vordnut / Frech Fruit Salad

BBQ Chicken with 50/50 Rice Lentil & Sweet Potato Curry with Rice Green Beans & Carrots Lemon Drizzle Yoghurt / Fresh Frutt Platter

Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Fresh Mized Seasonal Vegetables Peach Upside Down Cake with Custard Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread Vegetarian Fajitas with 50/50 Rice Broccoli & Sweetcorn Sliced Cheese, Apple & Biscutts Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Platter

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Battered Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce Vegetable Pasty with Chips Baked Beans & Garden Peas Fruit & Yoghurt Station 6 May, 3 June, 24 June 15 July

#### Wholemeal Beef & Red Pepper Pizza with New Potatoes Wedges

with New Potato Wedges Sweetcorn & Tomato Salad Mixed Fruit Crumble with Custard Yorhurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

Beef Meathalls with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

Vegetable Cottage Pie Green Beans & Sliced Carrots Vanilla Shorthread Voghurt / Fresh Fruit Platter

Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy Vegetable Wellington with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Broccoli & Cauliflower

Apple Pie with Ice Cream Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Salad

#### Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice

Tomato & Onion Salad & Diced Cucumber Chocolate Cocoa Cookie Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit Platter

Fish Fingers, Chips & Tomato Sauce Red Pepper & Cheese Frittata with Chips Garden Peas & Baked Beans Fruit & Yoghurt Station



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LPPA Award

We are continuing to work on our Leading Parent



Partnership Award (LPPA award). From our visit in January the accessor was overwhelmed by the amount of support our parents give us and the community feel. She could see the 'sense of belonging' that both our children, staff and parents felt. If you can think of any furthers ways to support our work for this award please see Mrs Broome.

# HEADLICE

We have had several reported cases of headlice this week. Headlice and nits are very common in young children and their families. They don't have anything to do with dirty hair and are picked up by head-to-head contact. Please can you check you children's hair everyday and treat your child if necessary.

Should you require support our school nurse team number is:

01983 821388



## Schools Walk the Wight 2019 Sponsorship Money



Please return your sponsorship money to the school office by <u>Friday</u> <u>5th July 2019</u>, if you have already paid this to Mountbatten this is not a problem.





## P.E Stars of the week!

The P.E star of the week was another difficult decision! This week we decided on 2 pupils that have put maximum effort into the sports they are doing, perfectly modelling the type of pupil we expect in to see in our lessons. Our final reason for picking these 2 pupils is when they try a new skill and it doesn't go exactly to plan, they smile or laugh and try again! A massive WELL DONE to **Lily-Anne** and **Taylor P**!

## This week in PE...

**EYFS** - Dance

Year 1 - Personal Challenge

Year 2 - Personal Challenge

Y3, 3/4 & 4 - Cricket

Year 5 & 6 - Rounders

## **Upcoming Events**

U9 Cricket Tournament - Friday 21st June

U10 Cricket Tournament - TBC

Year 5 and 6 Quad Kids Competition - July TBC

Active Travel Week Monday 1st July -5th July



# Active Travel Week 1st to 5th July 2019

Leave the car behind, get on board, win prizes!

Active Travel Week focuses on the 'school run'. It challenges all school communities; parents, carers, pupils and staff to consider the way they currently travel to school. The week aims to encourage and support as many people as possible to leave the car behind and enjoy the fresh air by walking, biking or scooting to school, organised by Wight Cycle Training's Shift It team.

The children will be logging all their active journeys, to and from school, using a touch screen app.



Be part of this fantastic Island-wide challenge!







For details and to get involved, visit www.activetravelweek.co.uk