



Doxey Primary School

NEWSLETTER - Monday 24th February



Our Stars of the Week



Our stars for week ending 14.02.20

Reception	Simba for showing perseverance in writing his name.
Year 1	Adam for self-belief in learning number bonds. Well done.
Year 2	Amber for demonstrating great pride in all pieces of work, her presentation is simply stunning.
Year 3	Oliver for showing perseverance in his writing especially his handwriting, he is also spotting his own fix-its. Well done!
Year 4	Destiny for super drum playing during the Indian Drum workshop.
Year 5	Rukaiyo for pride and perseverance with his writing, he has made huge leaps with your handwriting, fabulous!
Year 6	Logan W for showing self-belief and perseverance with his reading. He is doing a fantastic job, and Mrs Leighton is very proud of you.



WOULD ALL PARENTS PLEASE BE AWARE THAT WE HAVE CHILDREN AND STAFF WITH NUT ALLERGIES .

PLEASE REFRAIN FROM SENDING FOOD INTO SCHOOL THAT CONTAINS NUTS.



NURSERY CLASS—SEPTEMBER 2020

WAS YOUR CHILD BORN BETWEEN 1st SEPTEMBER 2016 & 31st AUGUST 2017

If the answer is **YES**, you may wish to apply for your child to join our maintained nursery class from September 2020.

The deadline to register an interest is Tuesday 5th March 2020.

SWIMMING YEAR 3 ONLY

EVERY WEDNESDAY – STARTING THIS WEEK

From Wednesday 26th February children from Yr3 will be attending swimming lessons at the local leisure centre. The aim of the sessions is water safety. Please ensure all swimming kits are in school. Girls will be required to wear swimming hats, these can be purchased from the school office for £1.00. Due to safety reasons **goggles are NOT PERMITTED**, however we are aware there are special circumstances for some children. Please speak to the class teacher if you have any queries.

WORLD BOOK DAY

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Friday 6th March

Children can come to school dressed as their favourite book character, and also bring their favourite book.

CLASS WITH THE BEST ATTENDANCE—Week ending 14.02.20

Year 6—98.2%

Here's how the other classes performed

Reception—81.1%, Year 1— 92.6%, Year 2 – 95% ,
Year 3—89.6%, Year 4— 97.7% , & Year 5 – 94.3%



If you like craft activities, stories, fun and food, then Messy Church is for you and your family! (children must be accompanied by an adult). Messy Church

meets in the school hall, once a month, 3.15pm—4.30pm , free of charge!

The next sessions are:

Friday 28th February

Friday 27th March

Parent Evenings

Wednesday 11th and Thursday 12th March 2020

Today children will be sent home with a letter inviting parents to 'Parent Evening'. Reply slips to book appointments must be returned by, Friday 6th March to allow time for teachers to organise and inform you of your appointments.

REPLY SLIPS ARE TO BE RETURNED TO THE CLASS TEACHER.

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Tuesday 25th February

Pancake Day

Choose a Main Meal...

Local Sausages, Creamy Mash & Gravy
or
Staffordshire Oatcakes with Cheese (v)

On the Side...

Fresh Carrots
Sweetcorn

On the Side...

Lemon Pancakes
or
Cooks Homemade Traybake

Chartwells

LUNCH MONEY—PAYMENTS

Could we respectfully remind parents that lunch money **MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE**. School lunches are £2.30 per day (£11.50 per week).

Parents whose children take paid lunches must keep accounts in credit. **WE ARE UNABLE TO SUPPLY SCHOOL LUNCHES TO CHILDREN WITH AN OUTSTANDING DEBTS.**

Lunch money is paid via Parent Pay or Pay Point. Reminder texts are sent out to parents on a daily basis if a child has ordered a lunch and has arrears on the account. If you are unable to make a payment on that day by 11am, a packed lunch must be provided until arrears have been cleared.

VACANCY FOR PARENT GOVERNOR

We have two vacancies for Parents to serve as a Governor of the school. The Governing Body has a significant role in the Strategic Leadership of the school and as such Parent Governors can make an important contribution to the development of policies and priorities and in overseeing the school budget.

Although not essential, the Governing Board would benefit from new members who have the knowledge or experience in Primary Education or Early Years provision; however, the most important requirement is that Governors should have strong commitment to raising standards and developing the services offered by the school.

Training is offered to all new Governors.

If we receive more than two applications, the position will be decided through a full secret ballot which will be open to parents of all children currently registered at the school—the term of office is 4 years.

Application forms are available from the school office and closing date to submit forms is Friday 28th February 2020.

AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT CLUBS

The school will be hosting a range of afterschool activities starting Monday 24th February 2020. Some sessions are free of charge and some sessions are chargeable (prices are shown below per child/per club and must be paid in advance.) These clubs will run until week ending Friday 3rd April.

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Enrichment Activity Clubs – Spring 2

Name _____ Class _____ Contact Number _____

My child would like to attend (Tick Applicable):

- Monday – KS2 (Y3,4,5,6) Steel Band Club 3.15pm – 4.30pm (Payment of £6.00 required)
- ~~Tuesday – Y2, Y3 & Y4 Multi Skills Club 3.15pm – 4.30pm (Free of Charge) – CLUB IS FULL~~
- ~~Tuesday – Y5 & Y6 Football 3.15pm – 4.30pm (Free of Charge) CLUB IS FULL~~
- Wednesday – KS2 Choir (Y3,4,5 & 6) 3.15pm – 4pm (Free of Charge)
- Wednesday – KS1 Boccia/Bowls (Y1 & Y2) 3.15pm – 4.30pm (Payment of £6.00 required)
- Thursday – KS2 Badminton (Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6) - 3.15pm – 4.30pm (Payment of £6.00 required)

My child will be: Collected from the hall by _____

Allowed to walk home on their own

I enclose the payment of: £

CHEQUES CAN BE MADE PAYABLE TO: STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Signed _____ Parent/Carer

Dates for your Diary...

Tuesday	25th February	Pancake Day Lunch Menu
Friday	28th February	Messy Church
Friday	6th March	World Book Day
Wednesday	11th March	Parent's Evening 3.30pm—5.30pm
Thursday	12th March	Parent's Evening 4.30pm—7pm
Friday	20th March	Easter Service at Doxey Church 2pm
Friday	27th March	Messy Church
Friday	3rd April	School Closes at 3.15pm for Easter Holiday
Monday	20th April	School Re-opens to pupils.



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