

NORTHWOOD news

Friday 7th October

MISS HUSSEY SAYS...

The Christmas shows are in the Diary Dates this week!

Stars of the week!

Apple	James Toney Poppy Swift Jessica Osman
Cherry	William Gill-Cheney Bailey Hume Anastasia Iorio
Willow	Colby Moulard Imogen Badham Mason Johnson
Elm	Libby Henstridge Ted Plant Jacob Fallick
Beech	Amy Nichamin Alicia Barton Hercules Lovett-Fenner
Sycamore	Hayden Meyrick Hadley Downer Hayden Lythgoe
Oak	Jake Millward Marshall Manton Nick Richardson

Learning Tip 5

Say things to your child to show you can see that there's improvement, however small. Compare 'then' and 'now' and praise the difference. Learning is all about getting better; lots of getting better steps.

Attendance

You should have received a text regarding your child's attendance for the month of September. Well done to everyone who was 97% or above as this is the target the children are working on. Please work with us on this matter as every day in school really does count!

Lunchtimes

We are working hard with the children at the moment at making our dinner times as positive and calm as we can. Year 4 children will be supporting the younger children with their table manners and their choice of games and all adults will be encouraging positive play at all times.

Volunteers

With the demands of the new curriculum we are finding it harder to find the time to hear all children read frequently. We desperately need volunteers who can give up just a few hours to hear children read or support with small groups in the classroom. We know it is a big ask but we have no extra money for support staff so we really need your help. It would be great to have some male volunteers to encourage our reluctant boy readers and Grandparents are always more than welcome too.

Osborne House

The year 5/6 trip to Osborne House was fabulous on Tuesday. The children got loads of inspiration to write their gothic, horror stories and their behaviour was impeccable. It is always a joy when members of the public comment on their good manners and smart uniform.



Shoebox Appeal

A little reminder that we are supporting the Rotary Shoebox Appeal again this year. Please pick up a leaflet from the office if you would like to fill a box for disadvantaged children in Albania, Montenegro, Moldova or Romania. All boxes should be sent to school ready for collection by **Friday 21st October**. Boxes can be placed in the school foyer.

Coats and Uniform

A HUGE plea to you all that all clothing is named. Children often discard jumpers and coats during playtimes and at lunch. We will always do our best to reunite mislaid items with their owners and understandably this is easier if they are named! Unnamed, unclaimed items are either sold by the PTA or recycled.



If your child is unwell and unable to come into school, please contact the office by 9.30am. Telephone 293392 or email office@northwoodpri.co.uk

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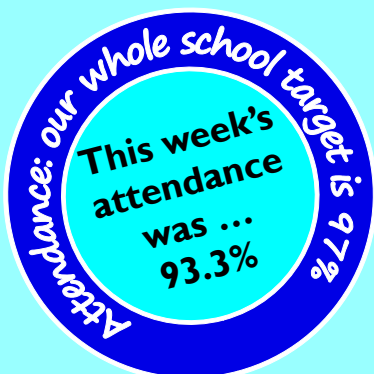
SUPPORTERS OF NORTHWOOD

Halloween Disco
Tickets available now.
£2 per child. Please send money into class in a named envelope.

Congratulations to last week's lottery winner - Susan Cheney.
Sign up to our lottery at www.yourschoollottery.co.uk

Search for Northwood.
Current prize £20 each week with a chance to win the national prize of £25,000!

Please look out for flyers coming home soon with more ways to raise funds for school when shopping online.



Dates for the Autumn Term

October

12th Hand to Mouth Theatre Gingerbread Production - Apple, Cherry, Willow and Elm

13th Y3/4 Triathlon @Lanesend

14th Literary Festival - visiting authors

18th Open Morning for September 2017 families @9.15am

20th Y3/4/5/6 Cross Country Relays @Medina College

20th PTA Halloween Disco

21st Rotary Club Shoebox Appeal Closing Date

21st Break up for Half Term

31st Back to School

November

8th Open Afternoon for September 2017 families @1.30pm

9th Y1,2 and 3 Flu Vaccinations @3.15pm (opt-in)

9th Teaching Reading Information Evening @6pm

16th Teaching Mathematics Information Evening @6pm

December

2nd Christmas Fayre

7th Open Evening for September 2017 families @6pm

12th KSI Christmas Show @1.30pm

12th Y5/6 Indoor Athletics @Cowes Enterprise College 3.30-5pm

13th KSI Christmas Show @9.30am and 1.30pm

13th Y3/4 Christmas Show @5pm

14th Y3/4 Christmas Show @9am

14th Christmas Dinner Day

15th Y5/6 Victorian Christmas @2pm

16th Party Day and Break up for Christmas

Back to school Wednesday 4th January 2017

Development Days 2016/17

Monday 5th and

Tuesday 6th September 2016.

Tuesday 3rd January 2017

Monday 24th and

Tuesday 25th July 2017.

Facebook

We now have a school Facebook page so do take a look and "Like" us-

<https://www.facebook.com/northwoodpriow/>

This will be regularly updated with news from school.

Year 3 Swimming

This week Y3 went swimming at a venue new to us - the UKSA. Staff report that it was a great success. Thank you to our parent volunteers.



OPEN DAYS

18th Oct - Morning 9:15

8th Nov - Afternoon 1:30

7th Dec - Evening 6:00

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Parking
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