



# Newsberries

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## Headline News - Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

This week we met with class teachers for Pupil Progress Meetings. These meetings are held each term and involve the class teacher and the Senior Leadership Team. We look at the attainment and progress of each pupil and evaluate how they are doing. Time is also spent during these meetings planning and making sure the curriculum and provision in each year group meets the needs of all pupils. We always find these meetings informative and thoroughly enjoy discussing our hardworking pupils!

We also met with two Year Five pupils this week to discuss an exciting new project. Watch this space!

### Change of INSET Day

In order to avoid the school being open on a Polling Day, an INSET had been planned for Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May. We have been informed by HCC that there will no longer be local elections on this day. Therefore we will be moving the INSET Day to **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> May**. We felt that this would be a better option for parents in the knowledge that the Monday (7th) is a Bank Holiday. We apologise for this change and hope this is beneficial to you!

Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

## For Your Information...

### School Grounds

Please make sure that your child does not go onto the school field or play equipment before or after the school day. Can we also make you aware that there is an area which is currently out of bounds on the school field. Please ensure that neither you or your child enters this area.

## Diary Dates

Date	Event	Class
Jan	Curriculum Leaflets Home	All
25/01	Athletics at Queens	Y6
25/01	Volunteers Training Session	
31/01	School Nurse for Reception	YR
31/01	SATs and IOW Meeting – 7pm	Y6
06/02	Athletics at Queens	Y4
07/02	Primary Maths Bonus Round	Y6

### **New Dance Club**

A new musical theatre class has started for pupils in Years 1-6, on Tuesdays at 4.40pm. Please contact Lauren on 07957 134355 for further details.

02/03	PTA School Disco	All
05/03	Class Trip to Hazard Alley	Y5
06/03	Parent Consultations	All
08/03	Parent Consultations	All
09/03	Class Assembly	Y2
09/03	PTA Mother's Day Shop	All

*Please also refer to the Key and Term Dates*

## **Please remember...**

### **Parking**

Please can we remind parents to be considerate when arriving, leaving and parking near the school. Our children's safety is paramount and we need to ensure we are working together to keep the children safe.

We have received a number of complaints from our neighbours, in particular where parents and carers are parking over and blocking local resident's driveways. Unfortunately the local police have also received a complaint. Please remember to use the one way system and make sure that you do not drop children off or park in the pan-handle. The support of parents in this system is crucial in safeguarding our children on their journey to school.

## **PTA**

This term, we are launching an exciting new initiative, the Newberries School Lotto. Please see the attachment for details and other forthcoming events.

**Would you like to buy a gift or make a financial contribution to the school? Take a look at the PTA's Fundraising page!!**  
[www.newberriespta.org.uk](http://www.newberriespta.org.uk)

## **Stars of the Week**



**Congratulations to all our stars!**



<b>Rec</b>	<b>Mia S</b>		
<b>Y1</b>	<b>Olympia J</b>	<b>Y2</b>	<b>Ruby B</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Alfred R</b>	<b>Y4</b>	<b>Max J</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Will M</b>	<b>Y6</b>	<b>Jessica H</b>