



# Newsberries

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## Headline News - Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

Another exciting week at Newberries! Year Three set off on their school trip to Celtic Harmony on Tuesday, where they found out more about the Celtic lifestyle. The children enjoyed the enriching experience especially weaving, making bread and creating their own bracelets.



On Thursday, to celebrate World Poetry Day we enjoyed a visit from the poet Ian Bland. This was funded by the PTA. He began his visit with a whole school assembly where the children recited poetry together and then each class had the opportunity of experiencing a workshop with Ian where they got to write their own poems. We hope the children enjoyed the experience.

The Year Five assembly took place this morning. Thank you Mr Almond and his class for sharing their advice about how to stay safe which they learnt on their trip to Hazard Alley.

We ended the week with our 'Daily Mile with a Difference'. Pupils were encouraged to bring in a donation to support Sports Relief and take part in an alternative Daily Mile as a thank you for their efforts. The children thoroughly enjoyed today's walk, we will let you know how much was raised in next week's Newsberries. The charity supports projects in the UK and elsewhere in the world to help children and young people lead happier, healthier and safer lives.

Finally a big thank you to the PTA for running their Easter Bake Sale after school today. One of the many things which PTA Funds are currently supporting are the increased enrichment activities which are being planned across the school. Thank you to everyone who has donated, sold or bought cakes today!

**Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon**

**Please remember that school finishes for the Easter Holidays  
at 2pm on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March!**

## For Your Information...

### School Office Closure

The school office will be closed from 12 noon on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March for the rest of the day, apart from emergencies. The office staff are attending essential training.

### 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.

### Calling All Superheroes!

Reception have been having great fun with Superhero and Fairy-tale action figures recently. If you have any you no longer need, we would be happy to take them off your hands! Please pass them to the Reception Team.

## Diary Dates

Date	Event	Class
26/03	World Autism Week	All
26/03	School Nurse Visit	Rec
27/03	Year 3/4 Play & Choir 1.30pm	Y3/4
28/03	Year 3/4 Play 7.00pm	Y3/4
29/03	RSPB Visiting	All
29/03	School Finishes @2pm	All
16/04	Children Back to School	All
18/04	Sports Partnership PE Session for YR,1 and 2	KS1
18/04	Sports Partnership Change for Life Session for Y3 & 4	Y3/4
19/04	Science Workshop	All
20/04	YR Trip - What the Ladybird Heard	YR
27/04	Year Three Assembly	Y3

*Please also refer to the Key and Term Dates*

### Year 3 and 4 Production

We look forward to next week's production of Peter Pan. Please make sure you have purchased your ticket from the school office. We will be holding a collection at the performances for Great Ormond Street Hospital.

## Letters / Communications home this week

Y3/Y4

Year 3/4 Play Evening Arrangements

## PTA

Thanks to everyone who supported our bake sale today. We hope you enjoyed it.

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

“Remember to look up at the stars and not down at your feet. Try to make sense of what you see and wonder about what makes the universe exist. Be curious. And however difficult life may seem, there is always something you can do and succeed at. It matters that you don’t just give up.”

**Professor Stephen Hawking**



**Congratulations to all our stars!**



<b>Rec</b>	<b>Zara</b>		
<b>Y1</b>	<b>Alanys</b>	<b>Y2</b>	<b>Orin</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Ariella</b>	<b>Y4</b>	<b>Victor</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Sam E</b>	<b>Y6</b>	<b>Emily D</b>