



# Newberries Primary School

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# Newsberries

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## Headline News - Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon

A beautifully sunny end to a short, but busy half term. We hope you have enjoyed hearing a little more about some of the things we have been doing at Newberries through our Newsletter. Please contact the school office if you have any further ideas that would be of interest to you about the work of the school or school life.

A final reminder that the school will be closed on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June as it will be used a Polling Station for the General Election. Thank you once again to parents for their support and understanding in this matter.

We wish you all a restful half term break and look forward to seeing the children return on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June.

**Ms Peters & Mrs Traxon**

### Highlight of the Week

#### Year 2 SATs

Well done to Year 2 who have completed their SATs over the last two weeks. They have all worked very hard. We are very proud of you Year 2!



Year 2 enjoying their picnic yesterday

### Diary Dates

Date	Event	Class
05/06	Class Trip	Y2
08/06	General Election – SCHOOL CLOSED	All
09/06	PTA Father's Day Secret Shop (during school day)	All
11/06	Radlett Festival	Community
16/06	Class Assembly	Reception
20/06	Class Trip	Reception
21- 23/06	Cuffley Camp Trip	Y4

Please remember...	Sports
<p><b>Gardening Club</b> The gardening club are looking for extra volunteers. They meet on Friday afternoons. Please pop into the office if you would like to help.</p> <p><b>Summer is here...hopefully!</b> Please make sure that your child is protected with sunscreen before they come into school on sunny days. Children will also need hats and their water bottles. On days where it is very hot at lunchtimes, the children are encouraged to drink plenty and spend some time playing in shaded areas.</p>	<p><b>Cricket</b> Year 6 took part in a Kwik Cricket festival at Queens this week, against different schools in our local area. Well done to all of the children who displayed some excellent skills!</p> <p><b>Football</b> Our Year 5/6 girl's football team defeated Fairfield 1-0 here on Thursday afternoon. It was an excellent effort from all the children who played in the match. A particular well done to Gabriella who scored a great winning goal.</p> <p><b>Swimming Gala</b> Congratulations to Ben, Joe and Cleo from Year 5 who represented Newberries Primary school at the Watford and District Schools swimming gala on Friday 12th May. They all swam really well and were a credit to the school, with Ben going through to the next round.</p>

## Information

### Manchester Incident

Following the news in the media this week we have been answering many questions from the children. Events such as these are difficult to make sense of as an adult, so it is understandable that children find this challenging. The following link may be useful for you to view as a parent (or with your child if you feel it is appropriate). The short animated film is aimed at supporting young people if they have been worried by what they have heard in the news this week.

### Advice if you are upset by the news - Newsround

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/13865002>

## PTA

### Summer Fair

There will be a competition to design the cover of the Summer Fair brochure. See the attachment for details

### PTA Gift List

Check out the new items available on the PTA gift list. See attachment for details.

### Father's Day Secret Shop

This will take place on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June.

**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>	Ali		
<b>Y1</b>	Lexie	<b>Y2</b>	Dexter
<b>Y3</b>	Annie	<b>Y4</b>	Lucy
<b>Y5</b>	Cleo	<b>Y6</b>	Charlotte