



NEWSLETTER



Friday 13th January 2023

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LOVE HOPE RESPECT

For I know the plans I have for you,
declares the LORD, plans to prosper you
and not to harm you, plans to give you
hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11



'My Best, Always, Everywhere'

Nutgrove Star Awards of the Week

YEAR GROUP	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
Reception	Sam P	Tilly	Eva K
Y1	Joshua J	Lucas C	Nico W
Y2	Ernie H	Poppy A	Cecily W
Y3	John C	Jacob	Luca C
Y4	Joshua D	Donny H	Louis B
Y5	Jessica Mc	Ethan C	Jessica M
Y6	Chloe H	Maddie S	Eternity P

Headteachers Awards

Poppy, Harry and Rebecca (Y6)

Mark and Libby (Y2)

Minahil and Isla M (Y3)

Hanna, Micah and Josh (Y4)

Shine Award

This week goes to my shine ambassador Harry B for his commitment to Shine and giving his 'Best, Always Everywhere'

NOTES FOR PARENTS

- The PTFA's next meeting is Thursday 12th January at 3.20 pm
- Year 6 SATs/Residential meeting -Tuesday 17th January at 3.20 pm
- **The Statutory End of Key Stage 2 Assessments take place from 9th – 12th May 2023**

'Living life in its fullness' at Nutgrove



We welcomed back our Dance Teacher Lucy this week from her Maternity leave. Year 4 will now enjoy learning new dances this term.

Year 2 have made lighthouses out of empty pringle containers. With inspiration from the book "The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch"



Year 6 have been making clay body parts and figures to make a freeze in the style of Nando Glid.



Safeguarding

Please see the NSPCC website for further information about how to keep children safe on social media

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/social-media/>

PE TIMETABLE JANUARY 2023

Intra schools competition - extra sessions of PE on Thursday each week.

Please check the newsletter each week for your child's class to come in a PE kit in addition to a normal session.

The extra PE Session next week is for Year 4

Normal Sessions of PE are as follows:

Monday	Year 1
Tuesday	Year 4
Wednesday	Years 3 and 6
Thursday	Year 5
Friday	Year 2 and Reception



A timetable of additional PE sessions are as follows

Thursday 19.01.23	Year 4
Thursday 26.01.23	Year 6
Thursday 02.02.23	Year 3
Thursday 09.02.23	Year 1

Christian Value

The Christian value we are focusing on this half term is 'Forgiveness'
At the end of this half term, we will be celebrating all children who have shown exceptional 'Forgiveness' with our values celebration.

Prayer of the Week

Dear God,

I am thankful for my family. They are the best. They are nice to me and kind to me. Thank you

Amen

By Reuben (Y3)

PTFA NEWS

The PTFA is holding some Events in February to help us raise money to build a Forest School Area.

Dates for Diary:

7th February Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - Event/Disco Times to follow

9th February Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, and Year 6 - Event/Disco Times to follow (this may be split between Year 3/4 and Year 5/6)

Saturday/Sunday 18th and 19th February we are hoping to get a working party of parents together to help us clear a piece of land that we would like to turn into a Forest School. The PTFA have already arranged a bid to receive 160 trees/hedges in March to plant but we will need support with manpower and tools to clear the area. A leaflet will come out in the next few weeks with more information.

If you would like to help at any of the above events please email

nutgroveptfa@nutgrove.epworthtrust.org.uk

The next PTFA meeting will be on Thursday 2nd February at 3.30pm

ATTENDANCE

- ✓ This week the class with the highest attendance is Year 5 with 100%
- ✓ This week the whole School's attendance is 97.6%
- ✓ The whole School attendance so far this year is 94.6%
- ✓ National Average so far this year is 93.3%



Pastoral Support



We are able to provide pre-loved uniforms, at no extra charge to our families. Please contact Mrs. Barlow via the school office for more information.

Young Carers



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Are You A Young Carer ?

- Are you under the age of 21?
- Do you take on extra responsibilities at home because someone in your family is disabled, has been poorly for a long time, might struggle with their mental health or has issues with taking alcohol or drugs?
- Do you feel you miss out on things after school / college and at weekends because you help someone at home?
- Do you have to take on extra jobs around the home like cooking, cleaning, washing, helping with medication or looking after your siblings because the adult in the home struggles do these tasks because they are ill?
- Do you worry about the person you look after; does this make you feel stressed and anxious at times?
- Are you sometimes a bit overwhelmed with all the things you have to juggle?

If this sounds like you or your child, then here is what you can do next:

- You can contact us by telephone, our telephone number is [01744 677279](tel:01744677279)
- You can e.mail us on info@sthelenscarers.org.uk Please add your contact details; we will then call you back at a time that right for you.
- You can complete the self-referral form detailed below.
- You can ask your parent or a teacher to call us.

If you think your child could be a young carer please contact Mrs. Barlow through the school office