



# NEWSLETTER



Friday 17th November 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	Amelia	Isla	Musa
Y1	Hallie	Oscar	Thor
Y2	Molly	Alyais	Isla B
Y3	Poppy	Hallie	Harlen
Y4	Willow	Isla M	Matthew
Y5	Louis B	Donny	Jakob
Y6	Fearne	Thomas E	Oliver E

## *Our Christian Value for this term is Love*

Shine Award – is to Emma Year 4. It has been a joy to have Emma in SHINE. We are delighted that she has recently joined our Nutgrove Family and have enjoyed getting to know her in the group this week.

*Headteacher's Awards -  
Harper (Y4)*

## *'Living life in its fullness' at Nutgrove*



*Year 1 had a go at creating and exploring the colour wheel*

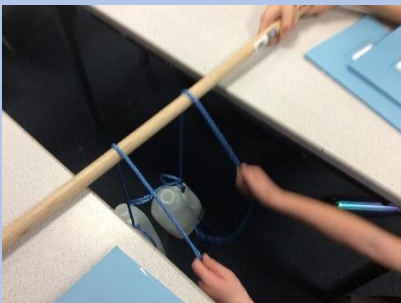


*Reception class made gingerbread men*



*Year 2 Art - Still life sketches and watercolour paintings*

*This week, as part of our forces and mechanisms unit, Year 5 have been exploring pulley systems and how they can be used to create a mechanical advantage. The children worked within groups to create their own pulley system and enjoying trying it out.*



## Year 6 - Remembrance

Year 6 created some Remembrance art in the style of a well-known artist, Jacqueline Hurley. The children used their skills to create a background with paint and then added silhouettes and poppies to complete their work. Don't they look amazing!



# Our Safeguarding Team

## Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs R Bottell – Headteacher

## Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads

Mr C Chuard – Deputy Headteacher

Mrs K Barlow – Pastoral Assistant

Mrs S Picton – Safeguarding Governor

Email: [safeguarding@nutgrove.epworthtrust.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@nutgrove.epworthtrust.org.uk)

## Celebrating our children's achievements outside of school

Lucas Year 2 – Received a swimming certificate this week 'Well done Lucas'



## Dates for your Diary

- 22<sup>nd</sup> November – Parents’/Carers’ Evening – please contact the school office if you have not yet booked an appointment.
- Year 4 Parents' evening on 22<sup>nd</sup> November will be with Miss Williams the postponed meeting from the 8<sup>th</sup> November will be run on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November at the same times. Any issues, please contact the school office
- 7<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Fair 3.30-5pm Front Playground
- Year 2 Nativity – Tuesday and Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30am – Tickets will be released w.c 11.12.23 for both dates only 2 tickets per family. Reception and Year 1 will also be included whilst Year 2 perform the main Nativity.

## PTFA

Thank you so much to our wonderful PTFA who organised a fantastic Silent Disco for our Key Stage 2 children on Wednesday. The children loved it and we raised £200.

“ *It was boss!*” “*I had a great time!*”, were some of the many comments made after the event.

We are looking to organise a Key Stage 1 disco in early February for our younger children.

The next PTFA event will be our Christmas Fair

Children to be collected from school and then taken to the event on the front playground

All classes will be dismissed via the front door for this event



# ATTENDANCE

- ✓ This week the class with the highest attendance is Year 4 with 98.8%
- ✓ This week the whole School's attendance is 95.4%
- ✓ The whole School attendance so far this year is 94.7%
- ✓ National Average so far this year is 94.9%



**Monopoly Winners this week are Year 4 1<sup>st</sup> £10 and Year 6 2<sup>nd</sup> £5**

## PE TIMETABLE NOVEMBER 2023

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Year 2</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Year 1</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Years 4 and Year 3</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Year 6 and Year 5</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Reception and Year 2</b>



## CLUBS

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NO WORSHIP AMBASSADOR CLUB THIS WEEK**

Our Breakfast club runs from 7.45am. The gate will be closing at 8.35am in time for the start of the school day.

The following afterschool clubs will be running

Monday	Y2/3 Art (20/11, 27/11, 4/12) Y4/5/6 Rugby (20/11, 27/11, 4/12)
Tuesday	Worship Ambassador Club (28/11, 5/12)
Wednesday	
Thursday	Y5/6 Indoor Athletics (23/11, 30/11)
Friday	

All clubs will be available on ParentPay to book on. Please note Worship Ambassador Club is by invitation only and with therefore not be available on ParentPay.

## Prayer of the Week

Living God,

Thank you for all the people in my life who help me to be the best person I can be.

Thank you for the people who love me and want the best for me.

Thank you that I can help others too, and thank you for everyone that I love.

Help me to grow in the Christian Values of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

In Jesus name

Amen

# Community News



A festive poster for a Sustainable Christmas Market. The background is dark green with a string of colorful lights at the top. The central text reads "BOOK YOUR FREE TICKETS SUSTAINABLE CHRISTMAS MARKET SATURDAY 25TH NOVEMBER". To the left is a shopping bag with a list of items. To the right is a QR code and a circular logo for Gillmoss Recycling Discovery Centre. The bottom features a row of colorful houses, a sleigh, a snowman, and a Christmas tree.

BOOK YOUR FREE TICKETS

## SUSTAINABLE CHRISTMAS MARKET

SATURDAY 25TH NOVEMBER

- Over 15 local stallholders
- Hot drinks
- Sweet treats
- Unique gifts
- Children's entertainment

**Gillmoss** RECYCLING **Discovery** CENTRE

NORTH POLE