



Kilnhurst St Thomas' C of E Primary Academy
Newsletter - Friday 6th January 2023



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Welcome Back and Happy New Year

It's lovely to see you all back this week. We hope you have all had a lovely Christmas and we would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year.

Mrs Sherwood
Head of School

Learner of the week

The following children have been chosen by their Class Teacher as 'Learner of the Week'. Each child will be presented with a certificate at Monday's Celebration Assembly. Congratulations to you all.

Parents/Guardians are welcome to attend the Celebration Assembly which starts at 9.05am in the Main Hall.

FS1 – Ariel G-B	Year 3 – Maisie T
FS2 – Daisy H	Year 4 – Toby H
Year 1 – Alisha R	Year 5 – Orla G
Year 2 – Harrison F	Year 6 – Ayla-Mae

DOJO Behaviour Awards

The following pupils will be awarded an Outstanding Behaviour (DOJO) Certificate at Monday's Celebration Assembly. Congratulations to you all.

Parents/Guardians are welcome to attend the Celebration Assembly which starts at 9.05am in the Main Hall.

	Gold	Silver	Bronze
FS1	Maddox G	Axle-Anthony	Freya Y
FS2	Lillie C	Brennan H	Emily D
Year 1	Matthew A	Frankie T	Brogan D
Year 2	Leo R	Effie D	Nancy C
Year 3	Jayce B	Amber C	Olivia L
Year 4	Ruby A	Freddie C	Finley D
Year 5	Jacob F	Oskar G	Francesca L
Year 6	Ross M	Isabella W	Josie C

Extra Curriculum Achievements

Congratulations to Tom M in Class 4 for achieving his swimming awards up to level 4. Well done!



Weekly Class Attendance

FS1 – 100%	FS2 – 95.3%	Year 1 – 97.7%	Year 2 – 98.3%
Year 3 – 100%	Year 4 – 96.6%	Year 5 – 98.8%	Year 6 – 91.6%

Congratulations **Class FS1 and Class 3**, you are this week's attendance winners, well done.



Reading Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have achieved their reading awards:

FS1

Harper R – **Silver**
 Evelyn C - **Silver**

FS2

Amelia A – **Bronze**
 Lilliker-Rose - **Bronze**

Hugo E – **Bronze**
 Meadow T – **Bronze**

Height, Weight and Measurements

The nursing team will be in school on the following dates to do the height, weight and measurement checks on the children in FS2 and Year 6 only.

You will receive an online consent form from the Nursing Team very soon. This will be e-mailed to you from the school so please ensure we have your most up to date contact information.

FS2 – Thursday 23rd February 2023 (am)

Year 6 – Tuesday 28th February 2023 (am)

After School Clubs

The following After School Clubs will be running this term starting next week for 4 weeks. Please note we do not hold any ASC during the last week of term.

To book your child a place you will need to log in to your Arbor account. Please note these are allocated on a first come first serve basis.

ASC	Pupils Eligible	Day	Time
Maths SAT's Boosters with Mrs Raison	Year 6 Pupils Only – all pupils are expected to attend (no need to book on arbor)	Monday's	3.00pm to 4.00pm
Apparatus with Mr Lyons	KS2 (years 3 to 6)	Monday's	3.00pm to 4.00pm
Choir with Mrs Mitchell	Selected pupils only. Choir will only run until the Young Voices Concert on the 9 February 2022. (no need to book on Arbor)	Monday's	3.00pm to 4.00pm
Boys Football with Mr Lyons and Mr Turner	KS1 and KS2 (years 1 to 6)	Thursday's	3.00pm to 4.00pm
Girls Football with Mr Walton	KS1 and KS2 (years 1 to 6)	Thursday's	3.00pm to 4.00pm
Board games / Film Club with Mrs Sanderson	KS1 (Years 1 and 2)	Tuesday	3.00pm to 4.00pm

Weekly Attendance Awards

To promote 'Good' attendance in school. Pupils who achieve 100% attendance; and are in school on time each day will have their name put into a prize draw each week at Monday's assembly. The child who has their name drawn will get to choose a prize from Mrs Sherwood.

Good luck.

100%



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Dates for your Diary – Autumn Term

Week commencing 9th January 2022 – Mock SATS – year 6
 17th January 2023 – Year 6 visiting St Thomas' Church for Eucharist Service (am)
 9th February 2023 – Young Voices Choir
 10th February 2023 – Last day of school
 13th February 2023 – School closes for 1 week
 23rd February 2023 – FS2 weight and measurement checks – Nursing Team (AM)
 28th February 2023 – Class 6 – Height, weight and measurement checks -Nursing Team (AM)
 w/c: 31st March 2023 – Book Fair – times tbc

Lunch Menu – Week 3 (W.C: 9th January 2023)

WEEK THREE	GREEN EARTH MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN OPTION	Cheese & Tomato Pizza and Potato Wedges	Chicken Pie & Mashed Potato	Roast of the Day, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Sausage with Mashed Potato & Gravy	Fish Fingers & Chips
VEGETARIAN OPTION	Loaded Wedges with Cheese or Beans	Vegetable Korma with Mixed Rice	Quorn Roast, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Veggie Mince Pasta Bolognese	Marconi Cheese
VEGETABLES	Mixed Vegetables Garden Salad	Carrots Sweetcorn	Winter Greens Cauliflower	Carrots Baked Beans	Baked Beans Garden Peas
SANDWICHES	Freshly Made Sandwich with a Choice of Cheddar, Tuna Mayonnaise or Ham				
JACKETS OPTIONS	Freshly Baked Jacket Potato with your Choice of Toppings: Tuna & Mayonnaise, Grated Cheese or Baked Beans				
DESSERT	Hob Nob Cookie	Jelly & Mandarins	Flapjack Finger & Custard	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Frozen Toffee Yoghurt



SCHOOL TERMS DATES 2023

SPRING HALF TERM

Holidays starts - Monday 13 February 2023

Back to school - Monday 20 February 2023

EASTER

Holiday starts - Monday 3 April 2023

Back to school - Monday 17 April 2023

SUMMER HALF TERM

Holiday starts - Monday 29 May 2023

Back to school - Monday 5 June 2023

SUMMER HOLIDAY

Holiday starts - Monday 24 July 2023

BANK HOLIDAYS

- New Year – Monday 2nd January 2023
- Good Friday - Friday 7 April 2023
- Easter Monday - Monday 10 April 202
- May Day - Monday 1 May 2023
- Spring Bank Holiday - Monday 29 May 2023



Special Menu for Tuesday the 24th January 2023 to celebrate the Chinese New Year.



Menu

Chicken Chow Mein

Or

Sweet Chilli Quorn & Noodle Stir Fry (v)

Served with

Mixed Salad

For Dessert

Mandarin Orange Jelly

*Having mandarin oranges around the home at New Year is said to bring
riches into your life.*