



Withinfields' Newsletter - 7.2.25

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Events coloured in green are either those which are funded by our enrichment pot or events that contribute to the pot as fundraising. Thank you for your support.

BUN SALES – 50p

We hold a bun sale on Fridays at playtime. We ask for donations of buns from a different class each week as detailed below. Proceeds from these sales go into our Enrichment pot which funds trips and special events for all children.

TOAST ROTA – 50p

Children can purchase toast each week by bringing 50p on their day as detailed below or payment can be made via School Gateway at any time. This will be provided at playtime.

11.2.25 2.40pm Greece Demonstration of Learning
12.2.25 2.40pm Ireland Demonstration of Learning
13.2.25 2.40pm Poland Demonstration of Learning
14.2.25 Last day of half term
25.2.25 TUESDAY - Back to school

| Date | Class to bring buns |
|---------|---------------------|
| 14.2.25 | Greece |
| 28.2.25 | Netherlands |
| 7.3.25 | Sweden |
| 14.3.25 | Austria |
| 21.3.25 | Belgium |
| 28.3.25 | Switzerland |
| 4.4.25 | Finland |

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| Monday | Reception and Nursery |
| Tuesday | Years 1 & 2 |
| Wednesday | Years 3 & 4 |
| Thursday | Years 5 & 6 |

School Dinner Menu

Although we aim to serve this menu next week, sometimes stock availability means that it does have to be altered at short notice.

| | Main | Vegetables | Sandwich option | Side dish | Desserts |
|-----------|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Monday | Fish fingers Vegetarian Sausage roll | Peas Salad bar | Tuna sandwich Chicken wrap | Potato wedges | Strawberry smoothie Fresh fruit Yoghurt |
| Tuesday | Macaroni cheese Pasta bolognese | Mixed vegetables Salad bar | Tuna sandwich Chicken wrap | Garlic bread | Chocolate fudge cake Fresh fruit Yoghurt |
| Wednesday | Chicken fillet Quorn fillet | Carrots Broccoli Salad bar | Cheese sandwich Ham wrap | Roast potatoes Yorkshire pudding | Jam sponge Fresh fruit Yoghurt |
| Thursday | Chicken burger Quorn burger | Sweetcorn Salad bar | Cheese sandwich Ham wrap | Diced potatoes | Biscuit Fresh fruit Yoghurt |
| Friday | Pizza Quorn nuggets | Baked beans Salad bar | Cheese sandwich Chicken wrap | Chips | Icecream tub Fresh fruit Yoghurt |

Buns and Toast Sponsor of the week

We are delighted that **Complete Joinery Solutions (CJS)** have donated funds to ensure that all children can have a bun and toast that would like this week. Thank you!

If you have a company that would like to sponsor a week or you wish to do it as a family, please let me know on ClassDojo or via email and I can let you have details of how to pay. You can use it as an opportunity to raise awareness of your business through being named in the newsletter, take the credit yourself or ask to remain anonymous.

News from this week

Asda donation

We have found out this week that we will receive £535.67 from Asda from the scheme that they ran before Christmas whereby they agreed to donate a percentage of registered spending to schools. Thank you for your support with this. You may have noticed that we have been doing some work behind the Y4 classrooms. This area will eventually become an outside reading area and this funding has helped to purchase the shed and do the building work along with a grant from Tesco too.

We are now starting to collect magazines and comics for the reading shed. If your child gets these regularly and doesn't know what to do with them when they have been read, please consider bringing them into school for them to be put in the shed. We are also looking for annuals and non-fiction books like the Guinness Book of World Records and interesting books that children can dip into when they are reading at playtime without needing to read the whole thing. Again, please just send these into school.

Information for next week

NSPCC Speak out, Stay safe

We are starting to deliver some work by the NSPCC next week which encourages children to 'speak out and stay safe'. It will involve the delivery of assemblies in KS1 and KS2 and some work in PRHE. After half term, volunteers will work with Y2, Y5 and Y6 in the delivery of workshops for the children to reinforce some of the messages. There is further information in the letter which is attached with the newsletter today.

Valentine's day meal

We are holding a special school dinner on the last day of the half term which happens to be Valentine's day. The meal will consist of a hotdog (or vegetarian equivalent) and chips along with a heart-shaped biscuit and heart sweet. We are holding a poster competition with a winner in KS1/EYFS and a winner in KS2 getting VIP treatment with a chosen friend and a free lunch. If your child would like to take part in this competition, they need to create a poster advertising the meal. The poster then needs returning to school with the entry fee of £1 attached to it. An independent judge will determine who the winners are!

If your child would like to order a meal for this day and they don't normally have a school dinner, please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/BefKs3oBUWWFdmBu5>

Beetle Drive

Due to a lack of numbers interested, we are postponing this event in the hope that we can drum up more support in the future. We will refund the money to those parents that have already paid.

Other information

Science Fair

Miss Binns, who leads our Science in school, is holding a Science fair during Science week after half term. More details will follow next week.

Improving Attendance Information

Which class has the highest attendance?

At this point in the year, the attendance per class stands at:

| Class | % Attendance | Position |
|-------------|--------------|----------|
| Nursery | 92.7 | 13th |
| Ireland | 95.9 | 3rd |
| Germany | 92.2 | 14th |
| Greece | 96.1 | 2nd |
| Sweden | 94.5 | 9th |
| Austria | 95.3 | 5th |
| Belgium | 95.0 | 6th |
| Finland | 94.3 | 11th |
| Switzerland | 94.4 | 10th |
| Poland | 95.4 | 4th |
| Netherlands | 96.4 | 1st |
| Italy | 94.9 | 7th |
| Spain | 94.1 | 12th |
| Denmark | 94.8 | 8th |

A massive well done to Netherlands who can spend some time next week in the wildlife area!

At Easter, we will give the reward to the class with the most improved attendance from now to the end of term!

Special Educational Needs and Disabilities information

Advance notice

There will be a coffee morning on 7th March at 9am which will be attended by professionals from services who support children with ADHD and Autism. If you have a child with a diagnosis or who is awaiting an assessment or you are interested in finding out more, please come along for a brew and cake!