



NEWSLETTER

Wednesday 18th October 2023



Phonics Feedback

Thank you to all the parents that came to our phonics evenings last week - from the feedback, Reception parents found the information very useful - it was so nice to welcome you into school. We look forward to seeing you all over the next two evenings for parent's consultations. I will be selling Pumpkin Patch tickets at the same time - so grab one or two whilst you're in school - just £3 each.

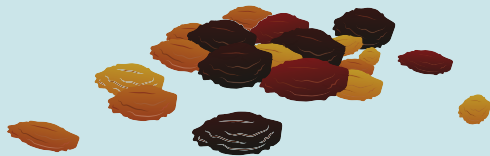
Only one week left to go, in a long first half term - we know the staff and children are getting tired - but please keep going, we can do it!

Enjoy the rest of the news!

Mrs Barker

Raisin Funds

Thank you to everyone who ate their raisins and brought back the box filled with spare change. We've had our FONS team in to count the pennies and we've raised a grand total of £144.87 - that's the most we've ever raised with this initiative, so well done everyone!



Pumpkin Donations

We have had many allotment owners and green-fingered gardeners kindly donate their home-grown pumpkins to our pumpkin patch event. If you're a grower or know a grower that could help by donating a pumpkin or two - please let us know via the office. Indeed if you would like to donate a shop-bought pumpkin, we'd be very grateful!



Children In Need

Children in Need 2023 is on Friday 17th November. We will ask the children on this day to dress in spots for a donation. There is absolutely no need for you to buy anything new, or invest in any Children in Need merchandise for this day - you can make your donations online by clicking on the picture:



Mr Bibbles Update

Mr Bibbles has enjoyed his first half term here at Netherton Infant School. He has helped lots of children already. He always puts a smile on everyone's faces when he gets taken for a walk around the playground on his lead! He loves his school hutch - which was kindly donated to us by Pets At Home, in fact it's more of a castle...

Welcome Centre Donations

We'll be accepting donations right up until Friday - here's an idea of what they would like...



We politely ask you not to donate the items below as we either have a surplus of stock or we are unable to use these items.

- Sugar-free
- Trickle products
- Outdated food items
- Items containing alcohol
- Non-vegetarian products
- Canned or spray foods
- Artificial sweetener

Scholastics Book Fair

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we have had to postpone the Book Fair until the week commencing Monday 27th November - it does mean that the books will also be available to buy at the Christmas Fayre on Saturday 2nd of December - just in time for Christmas presents!

Our new school council have got their badges and are officially here to help!

Dates for your diary

- Friday 20th October – Harvest Donations
- Friday 27th October – Last day of Half-term
- Friday 27th October - Pumpkin Patch in the meadow - 3:30pm-4:30pm
- Monday 6th November - First day back
- Wednesday 8th November - Y2 Mosque trip

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