



Newsletter

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OPAL Play launch day has arrived!

Monday is the big OPAL launch day and it is going to be great fun. Final reminder...

- All children need to be prepared for serious outdoor play and fun so please send your children in outdoor PE kits.
- Please remember to send in wellies if you have not yet done so as no wellies will mean children cannot access certain areas and activities.
- Children wanting to play football on the field will need an old pair of trainers to wear to be able to play safely whilst the ground is still muddy.

Many thanks to the parents who have brought in donations for our OPAL launch. If you have anything on the OPAL list at home that you no longer need, we would love to give it a new purpose. Look out for photos and videos of the launch on our social media!

PFA Disco prep volunteers

The PFA have had one kind offer of help to prepare the sweet bags for the disco, they need at least another 2 helpers for it to work. Can you give half an hour of your time on Wednesday, March 25th @6pm here at school? Lots of children would be very grateful.

Road safety competition

There is one week left for the competition to design a safety banner for the school site. Please see last week's newsletter for details.

Walk and Wheel

The walk and wheel initiative begins on Monday and lasts for 2 weeks, there is parking at Cullington Fields for those families who do not live in the village but still want to take part.

Class Photographs

A reminder that the photographer will be in school on Wednesday, March 18th to take this year's class pictures.

Mental Health Workshops

The Schools Mental Health Support Team will be in school on Thursday, March 19th to run workshops with each KS2 class. They are working on specific areas of need for each class including worries, friendships, the importance of sleep and navigating the on-line world.

Red Nose Day

Friday, March 20th is Red Nose Day. Children are invited to come dressed however they choose for a donation of at least £1. Come silly, come in pyjamas, come cool or come dressed red to toe! Anything goes! Don't forget to bring a joke so that the whole school can do something funny for money!

Parents in School

C4 parents are invited to join the class On Monday. March 23rd between 9:30am – 10:15am when the children will be creating willow sculptures!

Sickness bug

We have a sickness bug doing the rounds in school. If your child has sickness or diarrhoea, please remember to keep them at home for at least 48 hours to help us prevent the spread of germs. Thank you for your support.

Attendance Matters

This week our attendance has been 94.8% compared with the national average of 94.7%

Children mentioned in Good Work assembly:

(This can be for a good piece of work in any subject, good effort or for showing resilience etc.)

YR: Scarlett & Mima Y1: Stanley Y2: Catherine Y3: Ivy Y4: Paul Y5: Olly Y6: Freya

Children mentioned for demonstrating any one of our values:

YR: Tommy & Bruce Y1: Josie Y2: Phoebe Y3: The whole class! Y4: Evangelina Y5: Sam Y6: Seth

Do you or anyone you know receive Universal Credit? If you fit the criteria please apply for Free School Meals as, as well as helping you at home, we are then able to access some extra funding to support the children in school. <https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/learning/schools-colleges-and-academies/school-meals/free-school-meals/>

Tickton Play Pals after school club continue to offer a completely flexible and parent led service to meet your childcare needs before and after school. Please text Helen on 07717175689 to book your sessions as needed. They are open from 7:30 am for school drop off and after school pick up until 5:30pm.



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Feedback: We do appreciate your feedback as it helps us to improve our school further as well as celebrate the things that have gone well, so if you are happy – or not – about something, please let us know.

Parental Feedback:

Date:

Feedback/ Issue:

Name:

Would you like an appointment with Ms Anderson to discuss this further?

You can also share your thoughts and opinions, both positive and negative, of our school through the Ofsted site Parent View either by using this address/link, <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk>, or typing 'Parent View' into Google.