



Newtown Linford Primary School

Fortnightly Bulletin 27th September 2024

Dear parents,

We are so lucky to have such a wonderful team at NLPS. Mrs Burfoot has been off the last few weeks due to a sudden bereavement and the whole team have pulled together to support in Linford.

Mrs Kennedy

School Residentials

We have some very exciting news! We know that our Old John children (and their teachers!) have loved the residential trips they have been on. One of our school values is 'Adventures' and it is important to us to give children the opportunity to try out new activities and experiences. The beneficial effects of a residential course on a child's independence and confidence are well recognised.

This year we will be running a one night residential at Beaumanor Hall for Tyburn Class and an overnight sleepover at school for our Year 2 children. We are also going to move the Old John residential from the end of the school year to the start which will help with team building and developing resilience. The next Old John residential will take place in September 2025 (instead of June 2026) and we have found a fantastic venue for this which we are very excited about. More information about all of these activities will follow soon.



School Values

*Individuality
Excellence
Adventures*

This terms focus is –
Excellence

Newtown Linford Village Scarecrow Festival

Don't forget to support this village event taking place over the weekend. Do not forget to support the school by visiting the school PTA in the village hall for refreshments.

Morning Sports Club

Thank you for your support in ensuring children are dropped at the club before 8.10am. This is already making a big difference to the activities Mr Green can offer and to the safety of our children.

Reading Information evening: Monday 30th @6.30pm

The MS Teams link for this event has been sent to Year R and Year 1 parents. If you have not received this please contact the School Office.

Forest School: Old John

Old John will be starting Forest School on Friday 1st November, with four sessions in total. Please make sure children are suitably dressed for an afternoon at Bradgate Park with appropriate footwear and a warm/waterproof coat depending on the weather!



Harvest

Once again we will be collecting donations to be shared between The Bridge and Falcon Support Services. Please bring items to the school office by 4th October.



Dates for your Diary

Reading Information Talk (online)	Monday 30th September 6.30pm (year R, year 1)
Harvest Festival @ All Saints	Tuesday 1st October 2pm (whole school)
Tyburn Egyptians trip	Thursday 3rd October
Stonehurst Farm trips	Wednesday 9th (Linford) and Thursday 10th (Bradgate) October
Old John Coffee and Cake	Thursday 10th October
Parents evenings	Tuesday 15th and Thursday 17th October
Half Term	w/c Monday 21st October
Bhangra dancing sessions in school	Tuesday 29th October *NEW*
PTA Pumpkin carving competition	Thursday 31st October
Old John Forest School	Friday 1st November - 22nd November (weekly) *NEW*
PTA Halloween disco	Saturday 2nd November 3.30-5.30pm
School photos	Thursday 7th November (school uniform please)
Cheese and wine evening	Tuesday 12th November 7pm, Village Hall
Flu immunisations	Friday 29th November
KS1 Winter Play @The Linford	TBC
KS1 Nativity @ All Saints	Monday 16th December 2pm
KS2 Carol Service @All Saints	Wednesday 18th December 6pm
End of term	Friday 20th December

