#### SANDFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER



ISSUE 3 - October 2023

#### EXECUTIVE HEADTEACHER'S WELCOME



#### **Dear Families**

It's been another busy few weeks for us all here, and we are delighted to have overcome our recent staffing challenges with the latest bout of illness. Thank you for all your support and understanding during these last few weeks.

Following on from our last newsletter, our pupil voice groups have been chosen and I very much look forward to holding our first School Council meeting of the year next week!

We have shown around a number of visitors to our school of late from the Wessex Learning Trust and beyond, including our newly appointed Primary Director and Deputy CEO of the Wessex Learning Trust, Mrs Libby Fiddock. Her feedback has been extremely positive and alongside the success of our statutory results last year, we are feeling extremely proud of our school and its achievements so far.

We look forward to seeing you at our Parents Evening sessions in a few weeks' time and hope to see you all there. During your visit, we will be asking you to complete a small online questionnaire to help us glean your feedback on our lovely school and how we can further enhance our provision for your children. Thank you for your continued support and we wish you all a lovely weekend.

Mrs Lorna Richardson

#### **REMINDERS**

Although it's lovely and sunny today, it is often chilly now we're in Autumn, so remember to send your child in with a coat just in case.

Braeburn Class – SS Great Britain trip on Wednesday – remember to cancel Aspens hot lunches for this day.

Please make sure you keep on top of your ParentPay accounts so that we don't need to issue reminders!

#### CALENDAR DATES

10.10.2023 UKS2 Girls' Football Tournament

11.10.2023 Braeburn Class to SS Great Britain

16.10.2023 Parent Consultations

18.10.2023 Parent Consultations

17.11.2023 BBC Children in Need

1.12.2023 PTA Xmas Fayre

4.12.2023 KS1 Nativity (VIPs only)

5.12.2023 KS1 Nativity

7.12.2023 KS1 Nativity

11.12.2023 Xmas Pantomime

12.12.2023 Xmas Dinner

14.12.2023 KS2 Carol Service

15.12.2023 End of Term 2

18.12.2023 INSET Day

19.12.2023 INSET Day

20.12.2023 INSET Day

4.1.2024 Start of Term 3

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## **Crew Points for last week**

	Work	Work	Conduct	Conduct
	Week	Term	Week	Term
Milligan	33	149	15	53
Carroll	64	208	20	62
Wilson	52	183	10	49
Zephaniah	65	220	15	67

### **Crew Points for this week**

	Work	Work	Conduct	Conduct
	Week	Term	Week	Term
Milligan	100	249	27	80
Carroll	110	318	29	91
Wilson	93	183	28	77
Zephaniah	96	316	27	94

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#### **HELLO YELLOW 2023 MENTAL HEALTH DAY**

In support of this year's Hello Yellow campaign, we would like to invite our pupils to wear something yellow on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October, alongside their school uniform or instead of, as long as it's yellow!

We would be very grateful, also, if you could donate to the Just Giving page we have set up, as follows:

https://www.justgiving.com/page/miss-stevens-1694078986861?utm\_medium=fundraising&utm\_content=page %2Fmiss-stevens-1694078986861&utm\_source=email&utm\_campaign=pfp-email



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Mrs Stevens has been very busy in the foyer area of our school, creating a beautiful display of the children's artwork. We think you will agree it looks fantastic!







YEAR 6 PARENTS — A REMINDER

Just a reminder that the deadline for applying for a secondary school place for September 2024 is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023 at 23:59 hours.

Remember to get your applications in!

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# 17th October

Italian Beef Bolognese
Ragu with Twirly
Spaghetti
or
Creamy Cheesy
Spaghetti Topped with
Garlic Crumbs
with
Swirly Carrot and
Courgette Ribbons
and
Zucchini & Limone
Muffin

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#### **DEFIBRILLATOR UPDATE**

We have been informed that the defibrillator located outside school has been used in the last week or so, so hopefully this has helped save someone's life! We are so lucky to have this resource close at hand.



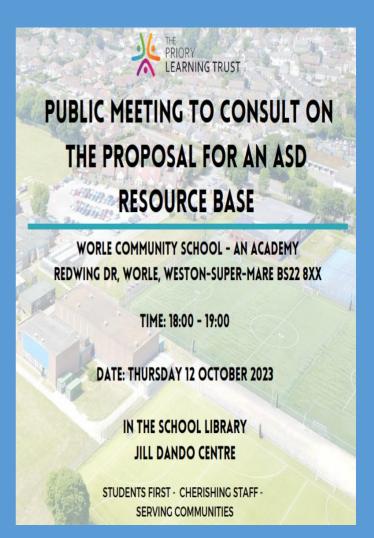
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Have a good weekend everyone and enjoy the promised sunshine!



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