

# NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 14 OCTOBER 2022

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## A small school with a big heart



#### Star of the Week Class 1

Ruby: for always wanting to challenge herself in maths!

Jack: for always trying so hard in all subjects.

#### Star of the Week Class 2

Poppy: for always going the extra mile in her homework.

Jimbob: for working hard to improve his musical skills with Mr Warren.



## Big Hearts are awarded to:

George: for being kind and caring to the younger pupils.

Grace: for making an excellent start in Class 2. Keep up your amazing work ethic!



Happy Birthday to Ruby, who is 6!

# **Notices**

**Music concert in school:** the concert on Tuesday 18 October has been postponed and a new date will be confirmed after half term. This will give the children more preparation time and chance to grow their confidence before they wow you with their lovely performances.

End of the school day: when you arrive at school, please buzz the gate and we will let you in. You are welcome to come on to school grounds to avoid waiting by the road.

**Photograph orders:** please return to school any outstanding photograph orders by this Wednesday. Many thanks.

**Parents' meetings:** these will take place in the second week back after half term. Class teachers will send out times by Seesaw.

**After-school club:** thank you for your understanding and support at this time. It is much appreciated. The link to our vacancy is live and you can read about it <u>here</u>. If you are interested or know anyone else who might be interested, please contact us.

**Passwords for pick-up:** could anyone who has not returned their password please do so as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Friends of Claughton: if any parents would like to join our friendly group of parent supporters, please do let us know. A meeting will be arranged soon in order to organise Christmas events.

**Parent Governor vacancy:** we have a vacancy for a parent governor. If you are interested or wish to find out more, please let us know. We will then organise an election for the position.

Packed lunch days: our new exciting school dinners are now up and running. As you are aware, the dinners are transported from the kitchen of another school. There are three dates this year when their kitchens will not be open due to inset days taking place. On those days we would ask that you send your children to school with a packed lunch. The dates are: 3 January 2023, 4 January 2023 and 26 May 2023. We will issue reminders nearer the time.

#### The Week Ahead

Monday 17 October Whole school mass 9.15 in Claughton Church

Class Two PE

Tuesday 18 October Class One PE

Wednesday 19 October Class Two PE

Thursday 20 October Class One PE

Friday 21 October Class Two virtual visits: Skeletons and Healthy Lifestyles

Class One Forest school enrichment club until 4.30pm

Class Two Lego coding enrichment club until 4.30pm

School closes for half term

# **Date for Your Diary**

Tuesday 1 November School reopens

We continue to pray for the people of Ukraine...

Loving God,

We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid,

that you will be close to them and protect them.  We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.  We pray for the world that, in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our sisters and brothers in need.  May we walk in your ways, so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.
Wishing you all a pleasant weekend and we'll see you on Monday