



# Newsletter

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## Headline!

## News!

We have had another busy week in school. The children started the week by learning all about how to use their initiative and this was followed up in an assembly to celebrate World Greenpeace Day and how everyone can help look after our world.

On Tuesday, our new CEO, Helen Williams, visited the school to observe Phonics, look at our safeguarding processes and support our curriculum development. She was really pleased with where we are and the path we are on. Staff are working hard to continue to develop the curriculum and move forward with ensuring progression, knowledge and subject discipline support the children as they develop through the school.

The children have continued to enjoy sessions with pacesetters and have had some great sessions with Life Education Northants this week too which has been partly funded by PACT. Thank you to all those that have made this visit possible.

On a personal note, I have really enjoyed seeing more of our parents in and around school from our chats on the playground, Frozen Wednesday supporters and of course the Celebration assembly. After a year of unprecedented times and the inability to invite you to join in our school events, it is wonderful to start getting to know you all. I look forward to seeing you all over the coming weeks.

Have a great weekend,

Mrs Bodman-Knight



### This week's stars are:

- Demeter - Emmoie
- Apollo – Evie
- Poseidon – Oscar
- Athena – Kajus
- Ares – Rosa
- Zeus – Harry



### Thank you!

Thank you for all of your generous donations of clothes, food, toys and toiletries to help the settlement of 10 families seeking refuge in the local area after fleeing Afghanistan.

These donations will be huge appreciated.



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Life Education



This week we had a visit from Life Education Northamptonshire. Each class attended a workshop tailored for their learning.

These workshops covered a wide range of subjects that provided the children with inspiring experiences and will help to develop essential life skills.

Thank you to Life Education Northamptonshire for visiting us!



## AMAZING ART WITH APOLLO!

Apollo continued their Commotion in the Ocean topic this week by creating some fantastic collage art of a coral reef, using recycled materials. Everyone understood how to make a collage and the importance of re-using our recycled materials.

This piece of work tied in perfectly with Greenpeace Day on the 15<sup>th</sup> September. Miss Lett's held an assembly and all the children discussed what they could do to help our environment.

Well done Apollo for starting this already!



Please find the school calendar attached and in your child's book bag. We have tried to put all the main events on here including class assemblies, sports days and parents evenings with timings to be confirmed nearer the event. Due to the current climate, all events are subject to change at short notice. Other dates will be added and placed on the website and in the newsletter for you to add to your calendar.

We hope you find this useful.





Thank you to PACT and you all for support this sale again.

PACT raised £65 which will be going towards developing lunchtime games across the school.



### **PACT AGM – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October 7pm School Hall**

This will be a great opportunity for you to find out about what has been raised, planned events and how we want to develop the school. It would be great to see you all and please note, attending does not mean you have to commit to anything although we may ask to see your moves at some of the children's discos!

 <p><b>COME FOR COFFEE AND CAKE</b></p> <p><b>WE ARE MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT</b></p> <p><b>WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING</b></p>	<p>We would like to invite you all to our Macmillan Coffee/Tea/Cake afternoon on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> September at 2:45.</p> <p>Please pop in, have a drink and a natter and help us raise funds for this wonderful cause.</p> <p>Cake donations are very needed and welcomed and can be taken to the office on the morning of the 24<sup>th</sup>.</p> <p>Thank you to Zeus class and PACT for supporting this event.</p>
	<p>Our Harvest Festival – Harvest around the World will be taking place on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 9:10 am.</p> <p>All children will be involved in this from Iris class to Zeus. It will be our first celebration with everyone together.</p> <p>All being well, we hope to hold this on the playground with parents/grandparents sitting/standing. If it does rain, we will move to a plan B currently in discussion.</p> <p>For the Harvest Festival, we will be collecting food for the Kettering Food Bank (non-perishables please) which will be collected during the assembly and passed on.</p> <p>We are so looking forward to our first whole school event for almost 2 years!</p>
<p><b>2021-22</b></p>	<p><b>Term 1</b>  <b>Wednesday Sept 1<sup>st</sup> – Training Day</b>  Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept – School open to all pupils  Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct – Last day of term  <b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct – Training Day</b></p> <p><b>Term 2</b>  Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November  Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December</p> <p><b>Term 3</b>  <b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – Training Day</b>  Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – School open to all pupils  Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February – End of term</p> <p><b>Term 4</b>  <b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February – Training day</b>  Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – School open to all pupils  Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April – End of term</p> <p><b>Term 5</b>  Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April – School open to all pupils  Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – End of term</p>

	<p><b>Term 6</b></p> <p>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Training Day</p> <p>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June – School open to all pupils</p> <p>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – End of term</p>
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