# Newsletter

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Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

We hope that you had an enjoyable half term. We have had a busy first week back. Year 5/6 had a wonderful time in Alton Castle on their retreat. Every child made us so proud as they challenged themselves, helped each other and were so polite and respectful. It was a really special time away. Huge thank you to Mrs O'Connor and Mrs Glenn for helping support the trip! We are now planning for the children to lead an assembly to share their experience with their parents. This will be <u>Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March at 9.15am</u>. We also welcomed Father Teddy into school this week as we enter the season of Lent. We had a lovely prayer service with him and each child received ashes on their forehead. Ann from Cafod also led a lovely assembly this morning to give information about Cafod's 'Walk for Hunger' campaign which we aim to support this Lent.









#### **REMINDER**

Polite reminder to request parents check your Parent Pay account and pay all outstanding bills.

Thank you in advance

#### All Sorts Magazine

Here is the link to the Jan/March digital version of Allsorts magazine <a href="https://bit.ly/3GTFs5x">https://bit.ly/3GTFs5x</a> ALLSO

you can tap straight to advertisers' websites when viewing the mag on your phone (please mention allsorts). There are lots of activities to keep you busy this half-term, and services to help your family. You can view this issue at <a href="www.allsortsmag.com">www.allsortsmag.com</a> too or on the allsorts Facebook page soon. Stay safe and take care - Michelle Love (Editor).

#### **PTA Green Tokens**

From Feb 1<sup>st</sup> until midnight 31st of May. We are asking all families to go online and vote for Our Lady's so we are in with a change of getting a cash prize.

We could win £500 for first place, £400 for second and £300 for third.

All you need to do to vote is to visit <a href="www.asda.com/green-tokens">www.asda.com/green-tokens</a>

You get 1 vote every 7 days, however if you use a different device you can register another vote! Please help us.



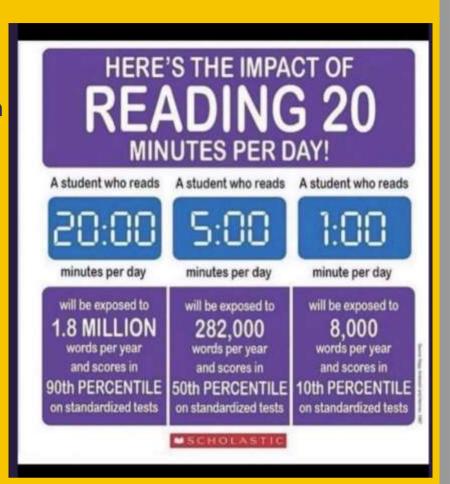
# Reading

All children throughout the school will be going home with new homeschool Reading Diaries, which will be replacing the current homeschool diaries. Any messages for staff will need to be sent via Class Dojo. The reading diaries are for recording any reading completed at home. Please log the date, book title and pages read daily. The children can be responsible for doing this too!

KS2 are expected to read 15 minutes daily. School reading books need to be completed and read through a couple of times if they are short and questions at the back of the book verbally answered with an adult, before they are changed.

At the back of the reading diaries, there is a table for parents to initial and complete once children have read at home. KS2 must read aloud at least twice a week to an adult. When the children have read 5 times in a week, they receive a raffle ticket and will be in with a chance to win some lovely books!

In Reception and Years 1/2 your teachers will be giving you further information about what is required as it also links with the new phonics scheme.



### **World Book Day**

Yesterday was a real celebration of books in school. It was lovely to see the children and staff dressed up as their favourite book characters.



## **PTA REQUEST:**

Our Lady's PTA challenge our pupils to each raise £20.22.

Our Lady's PTA challenged our pupils to each raise £20.22. We have received lots of money back to school ready to pass to the PTA. Please can any outstanding money be sent into school for Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March.

Huge well done to everyone that has taken part. There have been some great activities that the children have undertook.





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#### Workers Of The Week

	Year N & R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Whole class	Zenyra	Jenson	Clara	Noah S	Whole class	Whole class

# Attendance and Punctuality Whole school: 94%

Year N & R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
100%	93%	88%	98%	97%	88%	97%

#### Next Week at a Glance

Date	Time	Activity	
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> March	3.15 – 4.30pm	Football Club	
Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Lunchtime 3.15pm- 4.15pm	Cross Country Running Club Y5/6 Archery	
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> March	9am 3.15 – 4.15pm	Music Lessons with Mr. Roe Y3/4 Yoga & Wellbeing	
Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup> March	Lunchtime 3.15 – 4.15pm	Cross Country Running Club Years Reception, 1&2 Spy Club	
Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> March	2.50-3.15pm 3.15 – 5pm	Celebration Assembly Irish Dancing	

#### **School Lottery**

Congratulations to Mrs G, last week's winner of £10.50! Please consider signing up if you haven't already. <a href="https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/our-ladys-primary-school-princethorpe">https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/our-ladys-primary-school-princethorpe</a>

#### Looking further ahead

23<sup>rd</sup> March: Parent Consultations

1.30-7pm

1<sup>st</sup> April: EASTER DISCO

2<sup>nd</sup> April: Our Lady's Duck Race.

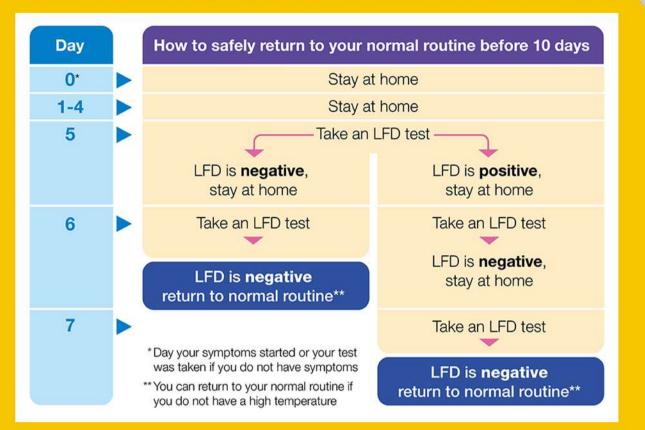
Twitter/Facebook For up to date information and sharing what we are up to - keep an eye on our Twitter feed

@OurPrincethorpe and Facebook Page —
Our Lady's Primary School, Princethorpe @OurPrincethorpe



#### COVID-19

#### If you have COVID-19, stay at home and avoid contact with other people



If your day 5 LFD test result is positive, you can continue taking LFD tests until you receive 2 consecutive negative test results.

Children and young people with COVID-19 should not attend their education setting while they are infectious. They should take an LFD test from 5 days after their symptoms started (or the day their test was taken if they did not have symptoms) followed by another one the next day. If both these tests results are negative, they should return to their educational setting if they normally attend one, as long as they feel well enough to do so and do not have a temperature. They should follow the guidance for their educational setting.

Avoid meeting people at higher risk of becoming seriously unwell from COVID-19, especially those with a severely weakened immune system, for the 10 days after your symptoms started (or the day your test was taken if you did not have symptoms).

#### **NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTION**

Parents are advised to subscribe below to receive the newsletter electronically and keep up to date with all the fantastic news and activities in school.

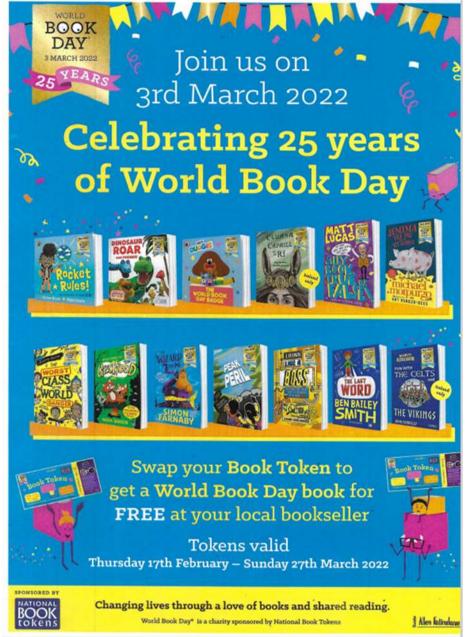
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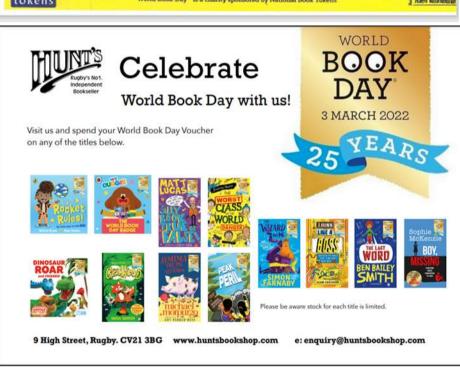
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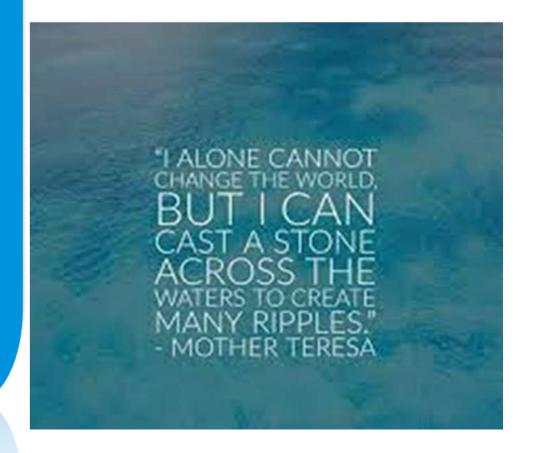
The newsletter is usually updated each Friday afternoon.

#### **Community links and Information**

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- · Help give our fundraising a much needed boost
- · Tickets cost just £1 a week
- · Guaranteed cash prize winner every week
- Jackpot of £25,000!

Play Now! Go to:

#### YourSchoolLottery.co.uk/play

and search for: Our Lady's Primary

Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. See weltsite for T&Cs. Closing dates: 26th February 2022





# Medals for all 21st February - 25th February 2022 £16 A DAY, 10AM - 3PM, SUITABLE FOR AGES 5 - 13 YEARS SHOOT-OUT COMPETITION MATCHES TOURNAMENTS PRIZES TO BE WON FUN AND FREEDOM FOR ALL AND MORE FOR more information please contact: E: nick,gray@rbcoaching.academy T: 07485293283 F: The Football Playground Or book via https://the-football-playgroundtd.class4kids.co.uk/camp/30

THE FOOTBALL PLAYGROUND

# Facing hardship?

Help is available for people struggling to afford food and pay household bills.

A range of food solutions for those who may be vulnerable or in financial crisis can be found online at

www.warwickshire.gov.uk/foodsupport
and www.warwickshire.gov.uk/foodbanks

The Warwickshire Local Welfare Scheme supports the most vulnerable residents at times of unavoidable crisis when they have no other means of help. The scheme provides basic and essential help for food and energy in the form of emergency food parcels or credit for energy.

Call 0800 408 1448.

Act on Energy provides free and impartial energy saving and fuel bill advice including referrals for energy saving measures such as insulation, advice on funding support and onward referrals for benefit checks.

Visit www.actonenergy.org.uk or call 0800 988 28811.

If you don't know where
to turn and are in need of
financial support, visit
www.warwickshire.gov.uk/
facinghardship
or call
01926 410410.



