

Newsletter

1st April 2022

Learning to Love; Loving to Learn



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

This week in school we have been busy with assessments for the end of term. Children have worked so hard and we are incredibly proud of them. Children have continued to raise money for Lenten charities – we will have a whole total next week to share. Today the whole school took part in a 'Walk for Hunger.' On Monday Reception and Y1/2 are leading their cake sale. Please can children in those classes donate some cakes to sell and all children are welcome to bring in some change to buy them. Thank you for your continued support this Lent.

Sent separately today there is also a Reading newsletter which has got some lovely ideas of popular books for children of all ages.



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 March/May digital version of Allsorts magazine <https://bit.ly/3qhzXqV> ALL SORTS_MARMAY22

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 Easter, and services to help your family. You can view this issue on our sparkly new website www.allsortsmag.com too or on the allsorts Facebook page soon. Stay safe and take care - Michelle Love (Editor).

PTA Green Tokens

From Feb 1st 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 www.asda.com/green-tokens

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



Healthy Lunches

What to include in your child's lunchbox

A healthier lunchbox should:

- be based on [starchy carbohydrates](#) (bread, potatoes, rice, pasta)
- include fresh fruit and vegetables/salad
- include a source of protein such as [beans and pulses](#), eggs, fish, meat, cheese (or dairy alternative)
- include a side dish such as a low-fat and lower-sugar yoghurt (or dairy alternative), tea cake, fruit bread, plain rice/corn cakes, homemade plain popcorn, sugar-free jelly
- include a drink such as water, skimmed or semi-skimmed milk, sugar-free or no-added-sugar drinks



The [Eatwell Guide](#) shows you how to have a healthy balanced diet and can help you decide what to put in your child's lunchbox. Find healthy lunchbox ideas at [Change4Life](#).

PTA NEWS



Tomorrow our school will be hosting its inaugural DUCK RACE 12-2pm!!!

We look forward to your attendance at this fun-filled event.

Stalls and refreshments will be available.

The event will be busy so we ask that you park considerately and respect our neighbours.

Thank you in advance for your support



Prayer for Ukraine

PRAY FOR 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 brothers and sisters 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.

CAFOD
Catholic Agency for
Overseas Development

Workers Of The Week

	Year N & R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Olivia	Lola	Charlie	Finn Rubie	Layla Jessica P	Noah	Thomas

Attendance and Punctuality
Whole school: 95%

Year N & R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99%	86%	95%	98%	98%	90%	95%

Next Week at a Glance

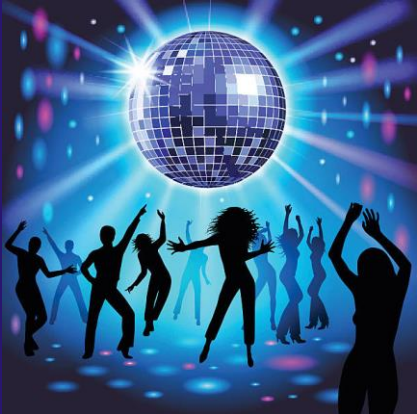
Date	Time	Activity
Mon 4 th April	3.15 – 4.30pm	Football Club
Tues 5 th April	Lunchtime 3.15pm- 4.15pm	Cross Country Running Club Y3/4 Yoga & Wellbeing
Wed 6 th April	9.00-10am 3.15 – 4.15pm	Music lessons with Mr Roe Y5/6 Archery
Thurs 7 th April	Lunchtime 3.15 – 4.15pm	Cross Country Running Club Years Reception, 1&2 Spy Club Cooking Club
Fri 8 th April	2.50-3.15pm 3.15 – 5pm	Celebration Assembly Irish Dancing

School Lottery

Congratulations to Mr D, last week's winner of £11.10! Please consider signing up if you haven't already.
<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/our-ladys-primary-school-princethorpe>

EASTER DISCO TONIGHT

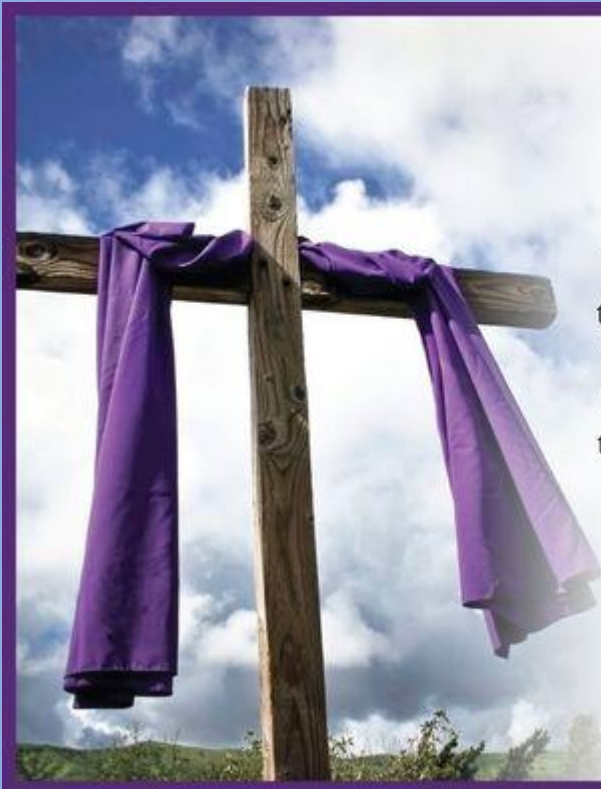
6pm – 7.30pm



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

For your information

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St. Jude Prayer for Lent

St. Jude, walk with me this Lent. Open my heart to the wisdom of God in His Word, and give me the strength to share that wisdom with others. Through this time of reflection, may I arrive at Easter energized to celebrate Christ's Resurrection and more ready than ever to receive God's love. Amen.



#StJudePrayforUs
National Shrine of St. Jude
www.shrineofstjude.org

Covid 19 Updated information

What to do if you/your child develops symptoms of COVID 19

For most people, especially children, COVID-19 will be a mild illness.

The most common symptoms of COVID-19 are recent onset of:

- new continuous cough and/or
- high temperature and/or
- a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If anyone in the household develops any of these symptoms of COVID-19, they are strongly advised to remain at home and avoid contact with others. They can return to normal activities when well and they do not have a temperature. If they have tested positive for COVID-19, it is recommended they stay at home and avoid contact with others for 5 clear days (for adults) or 3 clear days (for children) after the day their symptoms started (or the day they tested if they have no symptoms), and until they are well and have no temperature. When COVID-19 is circulating, it is worth also being aware of the wider symptoms of COVID-19 including: sore throat, headache, muscle ache, fatigue, shortness of breath, blocked/runny nose, diarrhoea and vomiting, and cold-like symptoms.

We are asking you to do this to reduce the further spread of COVID 19 to others in the community. If you need support with isolation, please contact Warwickshire County Council on 0800 408 1447.

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.

Copy the link below into your browser and follow the instructions to subscribe:

<https://www.ourladysrc.warwickshire.sch.uk/parents/news-letters>

The newsletter is usually updated each Friday afternoon.

YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

WIN A WHEELIE AWESOME PRIZE!

WIN A £500 BIKE VOUCHER

- Help give our fundraising a much needed boost
- Tickets cost £1 each
- Cash prize every week
- Win up to £25,000

To support your school, go to:
YourSchoolLottery.co.uk/play
and search for: Our Lady's Primary

Players must be 16 years of age or older. Offer ends 23rd Apr 2022. T&Cs apply (see website for details).

Debt and benefits

Citizens Advice provides free, confidential, impartial and independent advice on a range of subjects, including benefits, debt, money management, consumer rights, employment and more.

Call **0800 144 8848** or visit the website for your area:

Bedworth, Rugby and Nuneaton: www.brancab.org.uk

North Warwickshire: www.nwcab.org.uk

South Warwickshire: www.casouthwarwickshire.org.uk

For more information on debt advice, Universal Credit and help with household bills, visit www.warwickshire.gov.uk/benefitsandwelfare



Housing advice and support

Contact your local district or borough council:

North Warwickshire Borough Council
www.northwarks.gov.uk Tel: **01827 715341**

Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council
www.nuneatonandbedworth.gov.uk Tel: **02476 376376**

Rugby Borough Council www.rugby.gov.uk Tel: **01788 533533**

Stratford-on-Avon District Council www.stratford.gov.uk
Tel: **01789 267575**

Warwick District Council www.warwickdc.gov.uk
Tel: **01926 456129**

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**.



Help to pay your household bills

Are you, or is anyone you know, struggling to pay energy bills?

If you or someone you know are struggling financially and unable to afford to pay their gas or electricity bill, please call the Local Welfare Scheme in confidence.

Call **0800 408 1448** between 4 and 22 April 2022.

www.warwickshire.gov.uk/localwelfarescheme



The Household Support Fund can help households in need of support

