

Nunsthorpe News!



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We have been looking at ways we can do our bit to become a 'greener school'. Instead of sending out over 400 copies of our newsletter, we are going to put it on our website and send you a text to remind you when a new one is added. There will be some paper copies in the office that you can grab if you find this easier.

We will let you know after half term about the 'My Child At School' app we are launching, which will give you LOADS of information and communication from us at the touch of a button!

SAVE THE DATE!



#ChildrensMentalHealthWeek

Children's Mental Health Week 3rd to 9th February 2020

Children's Mental Health Week is now in its sixth year. Children's Mental Health Week is run by the mental health charity Place2Be to focus on the importance of looking after our emotional wellbeing from an early age.

This year's theme is **Find Your Brave**

Life is all about taking small brave steps every day. Bravery could be about sharing worries and asking for help when you need it, trying something new, making the right choices or pushing yourself outside of your comfort zone. Life often throws us challenges. Bravery isn't about coping alone or holding things in. It's about finding positive ways to deal with things that might be difficult, overcoming physical and mental challenges and looking after yourself.

Finding Your Brave can build your confidence, self-esteem and make you feel good about yourself.

Did you know that 1 in 8 children and young people have a diagnosable mental health condition? At Oasis we're proud to be supporting Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week to shine a light on the importance of our children and young people's mental health. All next week children will be taking part in special assembly's and class activities, to help them explore what it means to be **brave**. Why not ask your children what makes them **feel brave** and encourage them to share their stories. Help us to inspire and empower our children to **Find Their Brave**.

Learn more at www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk



Oasis 9 habits			What are you working on today?
Compassionate	Patient	Humble	
Joyful	Honest	Hopeful	
Considerate	Forgiving	Self-controlled	

CONGRATULATIONS....

Join us in giving a big “Nunny” Well Done to Miss Winfarrah from Year 4 who finally finished her University journey when she graduated last week.

She had the best day, celebrating with her family, except for the bruised nose she received when someone’s hat hit her in the face during the celebrations!



STUDENT COUNCIL and BIRTHDAYS!

Our Student Council meet every two weeks with representatives from Year 3 to Year 6. At the meetings Councillors discuss a variety of topics that affect their school life. Amongst the things they wanted to take forward to Mrs McGuire was wearing their own clothes on their Birthday. The children thought it would encourage children who normally stay at home on their Birthday to come to school. Mrs McGuire also liked this idea and has agreed to the request, with a few rules!

- If their birthday is at the weekend or while school is closed e.g. school holidays, they can decide to wear their clothes on the Friday or Monday, (first day back if we are closed for school holidays) but not both.
- Children must ALWAYS wear school uniform on all school trips. They can wear their clothes the day before or the day after.
- We KNOW when our children’s birthdays are, so any child trying to trick us will be given spare uniform to wear!
- This is NOT compulsory. We know some children would rather wear their uniform and that is fine with us.



Year 3’s Trip to Magna

Tuesday 4th February—leaving school at 08:45—don’t be late!

Pancake Day Special Dinner Menu

Tuesday 25th February—check our Facebook page

School closes for Half Term

Friday 14th February at 3:15pm

School reopens—Breakfast club open from 7:45am

Monday 24th February—Breakfast Club open from 7:45am

WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 5th March—Watch this space, theme to be announced soon!

Parents’ Evenings

Monday 9th March & Wednesday 11th March—Save the date

GRAND PROJECT DAYS

Wednesday 25th March, Thursday 26th March & Friday 27th March

CHEERLEADING CLUB

This afterschool club with Miss Young has now been changed to a **MONDAY**.

This is so that it doesn’t clash with SAT’s Booster Club on Tuesday and Year 6 are able to attend. We hope this doesn’t cause any confusion. Please pick children up on time after clubs as this impacts on staff time.



HUB OPENING HOURS—The community Hub will be open as follows next week:-

- Monday**—Boxing Club 6-8pm; **Tuesday**—Food Pantry 1-3pm; **Wednesday**—CLOSED;
Thursday—Boogie Babies 10-11:30am; Boogie Babies 12:30-2pm; Food Pantry—1-3pm;
Friday—Baby Group 12:30-2:30pm



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