



HOMELINK

15th July 2022

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Key Dates

July 2022

- 15th Annual Reports to Parents
- 18th Newlands' Got Talent Festival
- 19th Sports Day
- 20th Y6 Leaver's Service
- 20th FONDS Disco
- 21st Break up for Summer at 1:30pm

September 2022

- 1st Children Start Back (Years 1-6)
- 7th Reception Children start
- 30th INSET—School closed to children

October 2022

- 21st Break up for half term
- 31st Children back to school

November 2022

- 25th INSET—School closed to children

December 2022

- 16th Break up for Christmas @ 1:30pm

Dear Children & Parents,

I'm writing this weeks Homelink after the final performance of the fantastic Y6 production 'Pirates Of The Curry Bean'. I'm struggling to find the words to articulate just how in awe I am of the children. As a collective they were simply amazing, however it's when I think about the individual stories behind the show that I well up. Every single child pushed themselves to achieve their best. From those who enjoy the limelight and learnt up to 107 lines of script, to those who the idea of standing on a stage and delivering lines is a terrifying prospect, I'm immensely proud of you all. Today we will finally be able to share the results of KS2 SATS. Again, I know how hard the children have worked and I'm confident that they will all be proud of what they have achieved, especially given the Covid disruption of the last few years. As a collective they were amazing. The results are staggering with standards at Newlands being significantly (14-24%) above those being reported nationally and within Hampshire. With each child being worth about 3% this means between 4-8 children have met the expected standard that statistically speaking wouldn't necessarily have done so in another school. Events like the Y6 production, the SATS results and the way in which our curriculum has been lauded by both OFSTED and the local authority is a huge vindication of the work put in by the staff over many years in putting together a broad, balanced and focused curriculum combined with high quality Teaching and Learning.

William Neighbour

Would you like to join the Newlands team this September?

We are currently advertising for Lunchtime Supervisory Assistants. More information can be found on the school website www.newlandsprimary.net/vacancies If you know of anyone who would be interested please direct them to the website or encourage them to ring the office, 01252 871188. If anyone would like to promote the vacancies on Facebook community pages, it would be greatly appreciated.

PTO for Rowan Class photos.



NEWLANDS PRIMARY SUMMER DISCO 20TH JULY

TICKET PRICE £5

TICKET INCLUDES DJ, 2 GLOW STICKS, A DRINK AND CRISPS
(please inform us in advance of any allergies - fondsptanewlands@outlook.com)

4:45 - 6:00PM - YEAR R,1,2,3
6:15 - 7:30PM - YEAR 4,5,6

All children need to be collected by an adult

In order for FONDS to purchase refreshments please pay in advance where possible online quoting surname and class in the reference
ACCOUNT: 60560560
SORT CODE: 30 64 37

Cash and card payments will be accepted on the day



Rowan Class - June 2022

Rowan Class have had an incredibly busy few weeks as we lead up to the end of our time at Newlands. The highlight has to have been performing our production, 'The Pirates of the Curry Bean' to packed out audiences. We had the show professionally filmed for DVD and digital download, performed to the whole school and staff and then performed two shows to packed audiences on two nights. We loved that everyone had a role to play and everyone had a chance to contribute and be on stage – it is something we will never forget! We are now preparing for our Leavers' service and Leavers' party next week. We really have had an amazing time at Newlands – goodbye!

