

Norwood Primary School NEWSLETTER December 2015

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Head Teacher—Mrs D Reynolds

Absence Reporting

Please can we remind you that if your child is unwell and unable to attend school please contact school on 574717 or email school by 9.00am to let us know on the first day of absence. There is an answer machine on which you can leave a message if no-one in the office is available to take your call. Please remember that if your child has sickness or diarrhoea they must be kept off school for a minimum of 48 hours from the last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting.

Email Replies

Please can we remind parents/carers to check the email address when replying back to correspondence that needs permission. The school office has noticed that sometimes the email address to reply to is groupcall and not the admin address. Please double-check that you are replying back to admin@norwood.peterborough.sch.uk We are investigating this with our provider.

Peterborough Foodbank

We have received a thank you letter from Peterborough Foodbank. Norwood Primary School donated 25.3kg from our Harvest Festival donations. This food has been distributed to families across Peterborough.

A huge thank you to our school community for supporting such a worthy cause.

Curriculum Letters

The class curriculum letters for the new spring term have been sent out by email. These letters include the learning your child will take part in over the next term.

Christmas Performance DVDs

KS1 Christmas performances were a resounding success and many family members were able to attend to see the children perform. Christmas performances were filmed and DVDs are on sale for £5 each. Please make payment on ParentPay. Orders need to be made by **Friday 18**th **December**. DVDs will be issued the week commencing Monday 12th January 2016. These are a wonderful lasting memory for your family to enjoy.

Youth Dreams Project Football Inter-school Football Tournament

On **Monday 14th December 2015**, a team of ten girls and nine boys in Years 4, 5 and 6 played in YDP Interschool Tournament at St John Fisher School.

The girls competed against 3 teams and won every game scoring 33 goals and only conceding 1.

Girls Star Player was awarded by Youth Dreams Project to Isabel Cuenca and most goals scored was Bethany Smith with 10 goals.

The boys competed against 2 teams and won every game scoring 26 goals and only conceding 3 goals.

Boys Star Player was awarded to Ryan Davies and most goals scored was Max Woods with 8 goals.

A big well done to all the children involved and to Mr Johnson for managing the teams. GO NORWOOD!

Pastoral Appointments

If you would like to make an appointment with our Pastoral Leader-Mrs Smith please do so via the school office.

Term Dates 2015-2016

Spring Term

Term Starts Tuesday 5th January 2016

Half Term Monday 15th February - Friday 19th

February 2016

Term Finishes Wednesday 23rd March 2016

Summer Term

Term Starts Tuesday 12th April 2016 **May Day** Monday 2nd May 2016

Half Term Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June 2016

Term Finishes Friday 22nd July 2016

Christmas

We break up on Friday 18th December 2015 and will return to school on **Tuesday 5th January 2016**.

On behalf of all Norwood Staff and the Governing Body we would like to say a huge thank you to you the parents/carers who have worked with the school and supported us so much throughout the year.

Thank you!! We wish you all a very Merry Christmas!!

