



Newsletter



Friday 11th June 2021

Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

It has been lovely seeing all the children back after the half term break –we hope you had a lovely week and the sun making an appearance finally was very welcomed. I can't believe we are in the final half term of the summer. This is set to be an incredibly busy half term in school. All children have enjoyed the opportunity to use the swimming pool again this week. We have seen such improvement from every child in terms of their swimming ability and their confidence. There have been so many 'WOW' moments with individual children where they have gone from non-swimmers to swimmers! Well done children you have amazed us.



This half term, children will continue to work hard in their classes to 'plug gaps' due to the school closures. In Maths and English, the Curriculum has and continues to be adapted so that new learning is underpinned with lost learning. We will also be carrying out very detailed assessments on all children in school. Summative and formative assessments in Reading, Writing and Maths are always important but now more than ever. The assessments will help us further analyse gaps due to the pandemic, compare progress from the last assessment point in the Spring term and inform our strategy and plans for next year. During our parent consultations that are due to take place in July (we are still planning for these to be face to face) teacher's will be able to give accurate feedback to exactly where your child is in their learning journey and what their next steps will be. You may know that this year there have been no National assessments such as SATs in Year 2 and Year 6, no phonics screening in Year 1 and the implementation of the new Year 4 times tables test has also been delayed. Our Year 2 and Year 6 children will sit old SATs papers during assessment week so that we can use the data to inform our strategy planning – it will not be shared Nationally. We plan as ever for each child to go home at the end of term with an end of year report to celebrate their successes.

As we think about this final half term there are several long standing events that form the calendar in any school at this time such as an end of year production for Year 6, Sports Day etc. We have been strongly advised by the Local Authority to plan very carefully what events we organise and how we run them particularly with the ever changing guidance and cases still transmitting through schools. As a school we are very conscious that we don't want the children to miss out on the events that they look forward to so we will be holding a Sports Day and an end of year play for Year5/6 however due to the complexities and the guidance we are receiving we will not be able to have audiences for either. Staff will take plenty of photos and share them on Dojo/Tapestry for our Sports afternoon and our production will be filmed in the last full week of term to be shared. I am really disappointed that we cannot have parents in for these events but we have to follow the advice we are being given so that we can continue to keep everybody as safe as possible. It would be an awful shame to have bubbles isolating on the last week of term into the first week of the holidays. Please be assured that these decisions and practices are across local schools and in our neighbouring Local Authorities. More information will be given closer to the time about a Year 6 Leavers Assembly and Leavers celebration.

We thank you for your continued support and understanding.

Sun cream and sun hats

During the sunny weather and warmer months, please apply sun creams to your child/children before coming to school and ensure they bring a water bottle and sun hat.

School Photos

We have a photographer in school on Monday morning to take class photos. Can we ask all children that would normally have P.E that day to come into school with their uniform and bring their P.E kit in their bag.

Fundraising and Wish List

We still have various ways to raise help us raise extra money for the school including Our School Lottery, Our Easy fundraising link and also our Amazon Wish List. Here are each of the links again if you are able to help out. Any support is greatly appreciated. Mrs P won last week on our Lottery! Well done!

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/our-ladys-primary-school-princethorpe>

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ourladyspsprincethorpe/>

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/68HKA3R082RZ?ref=wl_share

Parent Pay

A reminder that Parent Pay is our preferred method of payment. Almost all our families have signed up to Parent Pay for online payment convenience. Joining details have been sent out to all families. We encourage you to sign up. Please enquire at the school office if you require your set up details.



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Mass with Father Teddy

Remember from home you can join Father Teddy as he celebrates Mass each weekend at 9.30am from St Anne's Catholic Church, Wappenbury. The link to use is fb.me/stanneswappenbury or in the chapel at Princeshorpe at 11am.

Workers of the Week

Workers of the Week 😊	Year R Whole Class	Year 1 Sebastian K	Year 2 Maisie	Year 3 Monty	Year 4 Austin	Year 5 Caleb	Year 6 Holly
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Attendance
Whole School
100%
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Next Week at a Glance:

Date	Time	Activity
Mon 7 th June SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS	9.15am 3.15 – 4.30	Assembly (Virtual) Football
Tues 8 th June	3.15 – 4.15	Tennis Y3/4
Wed 9 th June	9-15am 3.15 -4.15	Music Lessons Tennis Y5/6 and Gardening Club
Thurs 10 th June		
Fri 11 th June	3.15 – 5.00pm	Irish Dancing

Mission of the week:

Our Mission of the Week:
What target can we set ourselves for this final half term?

Have a lovely weekend!
[Mrs R Batson](#)
Headteacher

Twitter/Facebook For up to date information and sharing what we are up to keep an eye on our Twitter feed @OurPrinceshorpe and Facebook Page – Our Lady's Primary School, Princeshorpe @OurPrinceshorpe

Our Lady's Catholic Primary School, Princeshorpe

NURSERY

Opening
September 2021





Apply now for your 2021/22 Nursery place. Limited 15 hour & 30 hour funded places available for pre-school aged children. Please contact the school for an application form or if you would like more information.

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The **PEARfect** prize!

- 🍏 Help us raise essential school funds
- 🍏 Tickets cost just £1 a week each
- 🍏 Cash prize winner **EVERY** week
- 🍏 You could even win the £25,000 jackpot!

To support your school, go to:

[YourSchoolLottery.co.uk](https://www.YourSchoolLottery.co.uk)

and search for: **Our Lady's Primary School, Princeshore**

Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. See website for T&Cs. Closing date for entries: 17th July 2021



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Please meet our Volunteer Parent Champions for Rugby Borough Children and Family Centres



Lucinda – 07708 468196



Gina - 07708 468194

We can help you find out more about childcare in your local area.

We can chat to you about everything on offer at your local Children & Family Centre.

Parents offering experience and local knowledge

We can give you details of who to contact for help with; housing, finance, parenting and many other issues.

Our Parent Champions are Barnardo's Volunteers who have received training and have lots of local knowledge about support and activities available in the Rugby Area. You can contact the Parent Champions by **text** to ask a question, find out information or arrange to speak with them directly. Please allow time for our Parent Champions to respond to you as they are volunteers and may not pick up your message immediately.

Rugby Borough Children & Family Centres (CFC):
Claremont CFC, Claremont Road, Rugby, CV21 3JU
Boughton Leigh CFC, Wetherell Way, Rugby, CV21 1LT
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