



# Newsletter



Friday 18th June 2021

Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

We have come to the end of another busy week and have enjoyed it being a little less busy now the pool has gone!

Year 5/6 enjoyed a special visit from Dave Shaw a rainforest expert this week. Maddie in Year 6 has written this passage about what her class took part in:

On Wednesday Y5/6 enjoyed a wonderful day packed with rainforest treats. In topic we have been learning all about the rainforest layer and animals so we were very excited to be able to meet Dave a rainforest expert. Throughout the day we enjoyed many activities such as: creating tribal necklaces, learning about many rainforest inhabitants and we got the opportunity to hold some animals including a spider, stick insects and millipedes. Thank you Mrs Garner for organising our great day.



## New playground!

I am delighted to tell you that we are having our playground resurfaced during the summer holidays. We have managed to secure funding from the Diocese to resurface the playground - as it is in a terrible state and also to replace the perimeter fencing and make that more secure. The work is very costly due to the nature of it so we are delighted to have secured 90% of considerable funds to make this happen. The school will have to contribute 10% towards it which comes out of our building fund. The demands on our budget are such that we are asking parents for a small annual voluntary contribution of a suggested amount of £30 per family to contribute towards the 10% cost. Parents can now make donations online via ParentPay. Thank you to all our parents who continue to support our school by making regular contributions to our Building Fund.

The work on the fencing is due to start before the holidays and all work will be completed before the children return in September.

## School Uniform

We are in the process of changing who our uniform supplier is. For next year you will be able to source all uniform items from Andy Blair's shop which is based on Moseley Avenue in Coventry. This will give families the opportunity to either order online or be able to book an appointment and go into the shop to try on items before buying. Our school will be live on their website from the last week of term and information will be given beforehand of how to order etc. We were delighted with the quality of the hoodies which we source from here so know that our new uniform will be of a good quality as well as them being able to offer a personalised service.

## 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.

## Sports Day

On Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June we will be having our Sports Day. Can all children wear P.E kits to school that day so they can take part in all of the activities planned. We will be taking lots of photos to share with parents as we are unable to have an audience this year.

## 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/ourladysprincethorpe/>

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/68HKA3R082RZ?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/68HKA3R082RZ?ref=wl_share)



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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.


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](https://fb.me/stanneswappenbury) or in the chapel at Princethorpe at 11am.

Workers of the Week

Workers of the Week	Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
😊	Caitlin	Charlie	Rubie	Olivia	Zach E	Charlie	Maddie

Attendance  
Whole School  
100%



Next Week at a Glance:

Date	Time	Activity
Mon 21st June	9.15am 3.15 – 4.30	Assembly (Virtual) Football
Tues 22nd June	3.15 – 4.15	Tennis Y3/4
Wed 23rd June	9-15am 3.15 -4.15	Music Lessons Tennis Y5/6 and Gardening Club
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup> June		
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> June	3.15 – 5.00pm	Irish Dancing

Mission of the week:

**Our Mission of the Week:**  
How can we follow Jesus' example?

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

**Our Lady's Catholic Primary School, Princethorpe**

**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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"We are a small school with big personality!"

*Have a lovely weekend!*

Mrs R Batson  
Headteacher



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**WIN**  
A YEAR OF  
**FRUIT & VEG**  
**HOME DELIVERY**

12 monthly fruit & veg boxes  
delivered to your door

**The PEARfect prize!**

**boxxfresh**  
FOOD THAT FEELS GOOD

- 🍃 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, Princethorpe**

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