

# Newfold Primary School



## Headteacher's Newsletter Autumn Term 2010

**Welcome back** to the new year at Newfold Primary School. I hope you have had an enjoyable Summer and managed to grab some **sun** somewhere in the World!

We have a busy **Autumn Term** ahead and I have included a list of some of the key dates with this newsletter. I will endeavour to keep you further informed throughout the year.

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### *Welcome!*

I would like to welcome **Miss Grogan** to our **Early Years teaching staff**. Welcome also to **Miss Tabern** who will be working in **Year 4**, **Miss Green** who will be based in **Nursery** and **Mrs Edwards** who will be supporting in **Year 2**.

I am sure they will all be very happy here at Newfold.



## *Refurbishment*

There has been a considerable amount of **refurbishment** and **building work** undertaken during the summer holiday.

The **Junior building** has been painted outside and at **99 years old**, is looking terrific! The **School Foyer**, **Junior Cloakroom**, **Community Gallery** and ceilings throughout the **Junior building** have all been decorated.

New soffits have been fitted on the **Infant building**, and a new fence has been erected around the **Early Years Outside Learning Space**.

The refurbishment projects reflect the high standard of learning environment we strive for at Newfold.



### *Sparkling!*



Our school is looking **fantastic** due to the hard work undertaken by **Mr Strachan**, **Mr Dillon** & **Mrs Fairhurst** over the summer break.

**Many thanks to all of them.**



### *School Uniform*



**Thank you** for continuing to support our policy on school uniform.

Our children **look terrific!**

Please ensure that **all clothing is labelled** with your child's name.

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## Parking



May I please remind parents/carers about the car **parking procedures** in and around the school?

The small parking area before the barrier is for **visitors** to the school.

It is also a '**drop off**' zone for the parents/carers of children attending **Lynn's Play Place**. The area is therefore **NOT** a parking area for any parents except those designated as disabled.



May I therefore respectfully ask that parents **DO NOT** park their cars in this area **AT ANY TIME?**



Thank you.

## Dogs, bikes & scooters

May I please remind parents that **dogs** must **not** be brought through the school playgrounds or outside any of the classrooms?



Dogs may be left outside school or may be tied up at the railings in front of the **Main Office**.

Please remember also that children must **not** cycle their **bikes** or ride on **scooters** in the school grounds.



I hope you understand that these measures are taken for the **health and safety of all** the children and parents/carers in school.

## Key Stage 2 SATS 2011

Around half of schools nationally supported a **boycott** of the **2010 Year 6 SATs** and as yet action has not been discussed with regard to the **2011 Tests**. In addition to this, the new Government has yet to make a decision on a date or format for the **Year 6 SATs** in **2011**.

I appreciate that this is not particularly helpful for those who wish to book holidays etc and will inform you as soon as further information is available.

## Parents/Carers Evening

Parents/Carers Evening at school has been arranged as follows:

**Monday 18th October**

**3.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.**

A letter giving further details will be sent to you all shortly. We will endeavour to give appointment times to suit.



*Mr P. Edge*