

Welcome back and we hope that you all had a lovely Christmas and New Year!

Dates for your Diaries

Wednesday 29th January

Year 4—Science Off the Page (details to follow)

Monday 3rd February

Year 6 visit to Stibbington

Monday 10th February—3:30-7pm

Parent Consultations (details to follow)

Wednesday 12th February—3:30—5:30pm

Parent Consultations (details to follow)

Friday 14th February

School closes for Half-Term

Monday 24th February

School re-opens for children

Monday 24th February

Year 3—History Off the Page (moved from 9th January)

Thursday 27th February

Year 1—History Off the Page (details to follow)

Ann Searson

A letter was sent out at the beginning of this week informing you of the very sad news that our dear friend and colleague, Ann Searson passed away over the Christmas holiday. Ann had worked at Corby Old Village for over nineteen years when she had to leave her positions of lollipop lady and cleaner due to medical reasons. Both staff and children will miss her dearly.

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to Ann's family at this very difficult time.



Celebration Assembly

Star of the Week certificates were given to the following children on:

10/01/2020

Class

Pixie	Chase
Unicorn	Lyla
Pegasus	Theo
Griffin	Mario
Centaur	Alex-Lee
Dragon	Cassie
Phoenix	Tia



Well done everyone!

Weekly attendance %

Class	W/C 06/01/2020
Pixie	97.2
Unicorn	91.3
Pegasus	98.6
Griffin	99.3
Centaur	99.0
Dragon	94.1
Phoenix	97.2

Bikes and Scooters

Children are more than welcome to bring their bikes and scooters to school and leave them in the rack in the playground during the day.

Please can we remind parents and children that they must be pushed through the playground and not ridden before and after school.

We had an incident recently where a young child was knocked over and was very shaken up. We would like to prevent anymore accidents from happening.

Thank you!

New Parent Governor

We would like to let you all know that our new parent governor is Stacey Gadke.

Stacey is a parent of one of our Year 3 children and also runs the salon next door to the school, Salonista.

If you need to speak to Stacey and are not able to contact her, please leave your details at the school office and we will happily pass them on to her for you.

Applying for a Primary School Place

If you have a child who is due to start primary school in September 2020, you need to submit your application by **5pm on Wednesday 15th January**.

You can apply online at www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/admissions

Sickness

If your child has sickness or diarrhoea, they must stay away from school for **48 hours** after the last episode. This is to try and prevent the illness from spreading. If your child comes back to school too soon, we will insist that you take them home again. This guidance is supplied to schools from the HSC, Public Health Agency.

Safeguarding

If you ever have any concerns regarding the safety and wellbeing of our children, please contact the School and ask for Miss Thomas or Mrs Lowe (Designated Safeguarding Leads).

Uniform

Please be aware that once our current stock of uniform runs out, we will no longer be keeping any uniform in school, other than one item of each size for parents to look at and check sizes. If you would like to order any items, you can either order on the supplier website which is, www.rock-itpromotions.co.uk, or you can fill in an order form at the school office which we will order for you. We will only be placing orders at the end of every month so there may be a delay in getting your order to you.

In November, we were very kindly donated some brand new green cardigans and jumpers from Sainsbury's. We still have some of this stock left which parents are welcome to purchase for a small donation towards the school fund. We have ages 6 and 7 jumpers and ages 7 and 12 cardigans. If anyone would like any of these, please pop into the school office.

Bikeability

This morning, sixteen children from Centaur Class took part in a Bikeability Level 1 course. The course is designed to prepare children for cycling on the road. All of the children had a fantastic morning.

