



Newton Westpark Primary School

Newsletter Week Ending 6th October 2017



A Spaceman in our School!

Kingfishers had a special visitor last Friday ... a spaceman! He told them some interesting facts about Neil Armstrong and the moon, he showed them his spacesuit and even let them all try on his helmet. They fired their own rubber rockets aiming to get the highest target and they used different materials to build their own space stations.



Year 5 Class Assembly

It is the Year 5 class assembly at 9:00 am next Wednesday (11th October). Everyone is welcome to attend.

High School Applications

FAO Y6 parents: The closing date for high school applications is Tuesday 31st October 2017. Make sure you get them in by this deadline. You apply online, but for anyone experiencing difficulties we have paper copies in school.

Ancient Greek Warfare Workshop

Year 6 had a visit from Tony from Time Trips on Monday. He taught them all about Ancient Greek warfare. They learned about the different formations that were used by hoplites and found out more about the Battle of Marathon. They then made shields and helmets and used these to reenact the strategies used by the soldiers. They had lots of fun.



We have a temporary vacancy for a Welfare Assistant position. Please contact the school office if interested. The closing date is Tuesday 10th October. Thank you

Nursery

There is also a vacancy in Nursery if anyone is interested or knows anyone (see Mrs Borrowes for particulars).

Learners of the week	
Robins	Brooke K
Kingfishers	Lucy T
Owls	Leon S
Falcons	Brodi-Lee S
Eagles	Tahlia R-B
Ospreys	Logan S
Year 6	Declan C

Dates for diary	
Wednesday 11 th October	Y5 class assembly @ 9:00am
Tuesday 17 th October	Harvest Assembly @ 9:00am
Thursday 19 th October	Spooky Disco - KS1: 4.00pm–5.00pm, KS2: 5.00pm–6.00pm
Monday 23 rd October – Friday 27 th October	Half-term
Tuesday 31 st October	New Reception (2018) Open Day
Friday 3 rd November	Individual photographs (AM)
Tuesday 7 th November	Parents' Evening – 4.00pm – 7.00pm
Wednesday 8 th November	Y1 class assembly @ 9:00am
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Wednesday 15 th November	Y4 class assembly @ 9:00am
Wednesday 22 nd November	Robins' class assembly @ 9:00am
Wednesday 29 th November	Y3 class assembly @ 9:00am