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# Mundford **Mail**



The newsletter from **Mundford C of E Primary School** - Your school, your news!

#### Homework

We were really pleased with the turn-out for the Homework Mundford Junction and want to thank everybody for the many ways you encourage and support your child's learning at home. In response to some of your suggestions, Miss Beaumont will be running a lunchtime homework club, where children can come and have a go at their homework at school. This is entirely optional – simply for those children who may prefer to get homework done at school.

An after-school homework club has also been suggested. Currently, we can't work out how this could run without clashing with other clubs on offer to the children and the meetings that the teachers are required to attend. However, if anyone has any ideas for how we could manage this, please let us know! We will keep the idea in mind and it may be something we can organise setting up in the future.

#### **After-School Clubs**

After being presented with different options in an assembly, the children voted on the following clubs for this half-term:

Year 1 & Year 2: Archery Year 3 & Year 4: Archery Year 5 & Year 6: Dodgeball

Places are limited and can be booked online:

www.premier-education.com/for-families/searchfor-activities-near-you

We expect children to demonstrate the same high standards of behaviour at clubs as they do in school, upholding our values of kindness, honesty and respect. Please be aware that should your child's behaviour not meet this, the opportunity to attend an after-school club may be withdrawn.

# Reminder: Children are NOT at school on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October.

They finish for half-term tomorrow, and return to school on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October.

## **Parking**

Please could we remind everybody that the yellow lines outside the school are there to keep our children safe. Both the Village Hall and Cricket Club kindly allow parents to park in their car parks to drop off and collect children.



## **Federation Day**



On Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November our children will be joining with those from Gooderstone for a musical themed day to launch our next half-term's learning. Key Stage 1 children will spend the day at Gooderstone, with visiting musicians and a workshop on playing the spoons. Key Stage 2 will be at Mundford, learning songs, circus & acting skills before putting on a collaborative performance of The Tempest. We hope this will inspire and engage the children with their new topic: *Musical Minds*. More information about the specific learning in each class next half-term can be found on the class pages of the school website.

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#### **Parent Teacher Consultations**

There will be an opportunity for parents to meet with their child's class teacher on:

- Wednesday 1st November 3:30 7:30pm
- Thursday 2nd November 3:30 5:00pm

Appointment Lists will be on classroom doors from Monday 30th October. If you are unable to sign up for an appointment in person, then please phone the school and we will be happy to make one for you.

In line with other schools, we have decided to hold all of the consultations in the hall. There will be a waiting area in the middle of the room and you are welcome to bring your children with you if you aren't able to make alternative arrangements. However, the children will be expected to remain with you at all times.

# **Diary Dates**

Events for next half-term can be found on the school website: http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/mundford/news-events/diary-dates/