8th March 2019

Mundford Mail

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

Worship Theme:

The Disciples

Stars of the Week:

Emmy (Oak)

Teya (Hazel)

Lewis (Maple)

Mieka (Cedar)

Fraser(Rowan)

Jake (Elm)

Writers of the Week:

Eliana (Oak) George(Hazel) Amelia(Maple) Lily (Cedar) Eve (Rowan) Mia & Alycia (Elm) This week there been quite a lot of focus on safety. The week kicked off with Elm Class attending Crucial Crew, a multi-agency event where they visit a variety of different interactive scenarios, including: alcohol & drug awareness; first aid; road safety; healthy friendships & relationships; fire safety; seaside safety; online safety, apps & sexting; resilience & coping with emergency situations; CPR & awareness of defibrillators. It was an action packed-morning with lots of useful tips. Some of our Year 5s this week have taken their Level 2 Cycle Training course. This covers everything they need to know to be safe when biking around local roads. Finally, this week was also world book day. The children had some fabulous and inventive costumes and it was lovely to hear them all talking about their favourite books and boo characters. We hope you used the opportunity to join in by sharing a story. And don't forget to take them to a shop to spend their book token – they can exchange it for either a free book, or use it towards the cost of a more expensive book.

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		Diary Dates Sharing Assembly Friday's 2:45pm	KS2 Choir: Hazel Classroom Monday lunchtime KS2 Homework Club:
		 12/3/19 Maple Mundford Junction 2:00pm 15/3/19 Red Nose Day Talent Show No Sharing Assembly this week (15th March) PTA Film Night more details below. 14/3/19 SENDCo Kenco 9am 18th - 22nd March: Mundford Science Week 18/3/19 Y6 Challenge Morning at St Peter & St Paul Academy (Carbrooke) 20/3/19 Rowan Mundford Junction 9:00am 25th - 28th March: Y6 Mock SATs Week 28/3/19 Cedar Mundford Junction 2:15pm 2/14/19 Elm Mundford Junction 9:00am (will include information for parents about the Y6 SAT tests) 3/14/19 Class Photographs 5/14/19 Children return to School 	Elm Classroom, Thurs lunchtime. Search & Rescue: Hazel Classroom. Alternate Fridays 3:15 – 4:15pm Our after-school clubs are run by Premier Sports – see below
)			Premier Sports- Fencing Monday years 1 & 2 Tuesday years 3 & 4 Wednesday years 5 & 6 Registration is now open online: <u>http://www.premier-</u> education.com/sport
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uniform/

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Message from the school kitchen

Owing to delivery problems we are not able to offer Jacket Potatoes as an alternative meal option on Monday 11th & Tuesday 12th March. Pasta in a tomato sauce will be available as an alternative on these days.

Norfolk County Cross Country Competition 6/3/19

Congratulations to Lucie Cooper, Ava Stoker, Samuel Hall, Beck Bennett, Henry French and Eleanor Brown who represented the Breckland Cluster at the annual event which took place at Holkham Hall. They all dug deep in the face of very stiff opposition and should be proud of their efforts.

School Improvement Project - Science

Thank you for your responses to the science questionnaire. We are thrilled that so many people have offered their expertise to enrich the subject in school. Mrs Oswick will be in touch. National Science week is officially next week, but we will be holding Mundford Science Week from 18th – 22nd March, with activities all week focussing on science.

Red Nose Day - Friday 15th March

Children will be allowed to wear non-uniform and red noses on Friday 15th March. We will also be holding a talent show in the afternoon. If children are interested in performing, they should speak to their class teacher. Each class will hold auditions and the chosen acts from each class will perform for the rest of the school.

Please note there will be <u>no sharing assembly</u> on Friday 15th.

Red Nose Day Film Night Friday 15th March.

The PTA are organising a film night for the children.

The first film HOP will be for YR-2 children from 4.30pm to 6.15pm. Reception year parents are required to stay for the duration.

The second film The Incredibles 2, is for Y3-6 at 6.30pm-8.30pm.

As it's the right of Red Nose Day, we shall be asking for donations as an entry fee. Refreshments will be available to purchase.

A letter will be sent out with more booking information.

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Maths Problems of the Month			
KSI	KS2		
	I'm thinking of a number. My number is both a multiple of 5 and a multiple of 6. What could my number be? What else could it be? What is the smallest number it could be? I'm thinking of a number.		
There are 22 legs on the cobweb. How many spiders and how many flies could there be? Can you find different ways of solving this?	My number is a multiple of 4, 5 and 6. What could my number be? What else could it be? What is the smallest number it could be?		
	I'm thinking of a number that is 1 more than a multiple of 7. My friend is thinking of a number that is 1 more than a multiple of 4. Could we be thinking of the same number?		
A farmer counts all the legs in his field. There are 32. How many sheep and how many chickens are in the field? Are there different ways of solving this?	Here's a challenging extension: We know that: - When 59 is divided by 5, the remainder is 4 - When 59 is divided by 4, the remainder is 3 - When 59 is divided by 3, the remainder is 2 - When 59 is divided by 2, the remainder is 1		
What if the farmer is standing in the field and counts his legs too?	Can you find a number with the property that when it is divided by each of the numbers 2 to 10, the remainder is always one less than the number it is has been divided by?		
	Can you find the smallest number that satisfies this condition?		

Want to help your child at home with Maths?

- Every child has log-ins for Maths Garden & Purple Mash, where they can play online Maths games. Speak to their class teacher if you need help with these.

see how other children have solved them as well as submit your own solutions.

- Learning times tables helps children of all ages to develop confidence in Maths. There is an online simulation of the tables test that is being in traduced in Year 4 from 2020 here: <u>https://collins.co.uk/pages/primary-mathematics-times-tables-test-simulator</u>

- On our website you can find copies of the Mathe Essentials for each year group, along with ideas for practising at home: <u>http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/wp-</u> <u>content/uploads/2018/07/L075688L66729196932-website-mathe-essentials-yrs-r-6.pdf</u>

- Use Maths in real-life: play games where you have to count or keep score; weigh ingredients for cooking; find money and work out change when they you go shopping.

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