



Notices & Reminders

- **School Playground**

Please do not park on the playground. We have noticed recently that the playground is being used as a car-park when collecting children from after-school clubs/care. This is creating a potential hazard for both pupils and parents arriving/leaving the playground on foot.

- **Food Policy**

So that we can ensure that any child who is allergic to nuts does not come into contact with them please do not include items containing nuts in packed lunches. The Food policy can be found on the school website <http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Food-Policy-1.pdf>

- **Water Bottles**

Can we kindly request that children do not bring water bottles with loose lids and straws? These aren't suitable for the classroom, as they can easily leak or will spill if knocked over. Sports-style bottles with leakproof lids are preferred. If your child does bring in an unsuitable bottle, they may be asked to keep it outside or by the classroom sink to prevent spillages on work.

- **Before & After School Care**

Is proving to be popular, we still have spaces available, bookings can be made via parentmail.

£7 for Breakfast Club (including breakfast) 07:40-08:40

£7 for After School Half Session (including snacks) 15:20 – 16:20

£13 for After School Full Session (including snacks & light tea) 15:20 – 17:30

- We politely ask that all parents/carers keep their children with them whilst on the playground, at drop off and pick up.
- We ask that you refrain from cutting through the cricket club fence/hedge. Please stick to the pathways for your own safety and the safety of others. The cricket club kindly allow us to use their parking facility, so please be respectful.

Mundford School Food Bank

Thank you very much for all your Harvest Festival donations. The ethos committee made up of school children have decided to turn it into a community foodbank.

Free for everyone in the community, please help yourself from the box outside the school gates

Monday – Friday 08:00-16:30

Plant Request.

If you have any houseplants that you no longer want or need we would be happy to rehome them in school. No plant is too big or too small, we will happily take them all. Many studies have shown that having greenery in, inside spaces can have a calming effect and help to reduce stress and anxiety. As part of our ongoing 'Hygge Approach' we would like to make our school a greener place to be.



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Bake Sale

Year 6 will be hosting a bake sale after school on Friday 24th November, 2:30 pm to raise funds for their end of year leaver's event "Sycamorefest". Please bring your pennies and enjoy some yummy cakes, whilst helping our eldest children in school. Thank you in advance for your support.



Mundford Parish Council

The Parish Council is holding the 10th Christmas Light Switch-On event on Mundford Village Green on Saturday December 2nd 2023. Stalls on the night will include, cakes, tombola, raffle and hot chocolate. Hot dogs, mulled wine and mince pies will be donated by local businesses and served at the event too. Children's names can be entered into a free draw to switch on the lights with Father Christmas. The tickets will be available from 4:45pm to 4.55pm on the night and the lights will be switched on at 5pm

Clubs

This half term we are offering the following after-school clubs.

Monday: Gym & Fitness with Mr Brotherhood KS2

*Monday: Choir with Mrs Jermy and Mrs Saunders KS2

Choir will be open for Y2 (Maple) to join after the Christmas break. If your child would like to join please complete the Myed form which will be sent out next week.

*Tuesday: Taekwondo with John KS2

Tuesday: Art with Miss Musgrove Years 3 & 4

Wednesday: Cookery with Miss Lindsey and Miss Brown

Thursday: Gym & Fitness with Mr Brotherhood KS2

*There are still a few spaces available at these clubs please contact the school office if you would like to book a space.

We also run different lunchtime clubs throughout the year. At the moment we have the following lunchtime clubs: KS2 Homework Club; Cross Country for all; KS2 Football.

If your child is in an eligible year group, you will have received information this week via email with the links to sign up.



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New KS2 Club – Summer Production

Starting in January, Mrs Jermy & Mrs Saunders will be holding an after school club on Wednesdays, working towards a Summer Production for KS2 of 'Pirates of the Currybean'. We are looking for actors, singers and dancers to make this fun pirate production a bit hit! If your child/children would like to join please complete the Myed form which will be sent out next week.

SENCo Kenco



Get in touch and have coffee and a chat if you have any concerns about your child at school.

Katie Tinkley – SENCo katie.tinkley@mundford.dneat.org

If you have any concerns or just need some advice about eating, sleeping, speech and language, mental health and child development this site has so much information to support you.

Do you need health advice for your child aged 0-19? **NHS**

Visit:
[JustoneNorfolk.nhs.uk](https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk)
Norfolk's online NHS resource for families

Text:
Parentline
07520 631590

Call:
Just one Number
0300 300 0123
Mon - Fri: 8am - 6pm
Sat: 9am - 1pm

<https://www.justonenorfolk.nhs.uk/>

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Diary Dates

*Every effort is made to stick to the planned dates, but occasionally circumstances beyond our control may affect in-school events. We will always inform you as soon as possible of any changes.
Thanks for your understanding.*

Friday 24th November: Hazel Mundford Junction 9am

Friday 24th November: Sycamore Bake Sale

Monday 27th November: Cedar Mundford Junction 9:20-10:15am

Monday 27th November: Hazel Showcase 2:30pm

Thursday 30th November: Oak Class Mundford Junction 2:15pm

Sunday 3rd December: Advent family service at **church**, all welcome.

Tuesday 5th December: Rowan Mundford Junction 2:15 – 3:15 pm

Thursday 7th December: Elm Mundford Junction 2:15pm in the hall

Monday 11th December: Cedar Show Case 2:30pm

Tuesday 12th December: Sycamore Mundford Junction 10-11am

Tuesday 12th December: Hazel/Maple Nativity, 2pm

Wednesday 13th December: Hazel/Maple Nativity, 10-11am

Wednesday 13th December: Rowan Showcase 2:15-3:00pm

Thursday 14th December: Maple Showcase 9:00-09:30 am

Thursday 14th December: Christmas Dinner

Friday 15th December: Christmas Church Service

Monday 18th December: Acorn & Oak Carols & Crafts 2:00pm

Tuesday 19th December: Rudolph Run *sponsored event details on page 7.*

Wednesday 20th December - Last Day of Term

21st December – 3rd January Christmas Holidays



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Resources for Supporting your Child at Home

The school website and half-termly class newsletters outline what each class is currently learning, along with ideas for things you can do at home. From Year 2 upwards, homework will be shared on Google Classroom. Please ask the class teacher if you are unable to access this and would prefer paper copies.

Bug Club <https://ww.activelearnprimaty.co.uk>

Bug Club is our online library of reading books, where you will find books assigned to your child's reading ability. It also has questions build-in to develop children's comprehension skills.

Spelling Shed <https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>

Here you can play online games to practice spelling.

Numbots <https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/35246>

& TT Rockstars <https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth>

Practice number facts and times table in a fun game-based situation.

Purple Mash <https://www.purplemash.com/sch/mundford>

We use Purple Mash for teaching computing, but it also contains games sections for practising English & Maths at home.

If your child needs their log-in details for any of the above, please contact the class teacher.

Letterjoin www.letterjoin.co.uk

Desktop Login username: **Mund** password: **ford**

Tablet Login username: **Mund** passcode: a capital 'L' shape starting at top left

This site allows children to practise their handwriting and spelling.

School Uniform

https://corporatetiger.co.uk/?product_cat=mundford

www.facebook.com/myclothingltd

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Sponsorship form - Rudolph Run.pdf

Paper copies of the sponsor forms are available from the school office.

THE NORFOLK HOSPICE TAPPING HOUSE

Rudolph Run

Our Rudolph Run will be on
 Tuesday 19th December
 at
 Mundford Primary Academy

We are raising money for The Norfolk Hospice

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norfolkhospice.org.uk/rudolph-run Registered Charity No. 1062800

THE NORFOLK HOSPICE TAPPING HOUSE

Rudolph Run 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are thrilled to announce that we have signed up to The Norfolk Hospice's Rudolph Run and your child is registered to take part.

We will be holding our Rudolph Run on Tuesday 19th December at Mundford Primary Academy.

About the Rudolph Run

Primary schools and nurseries throughout West Norfolk will be taking part in a sponsored walk, jog or run this Christmas. Each child will receive a free pair of antlers to wear and a certificate when they take part in their Rudolph Run, delivered to the school by Rudolph himself!

Please collect sponsorship using the sponsorship form provided. There is no minimum sponsorship amount required.

By collecting sponsorship on behalf of your child, you can support The Norfolk Hospice Tapping House and help them to continue to provide end of life care in the local community.

For more information about the event, please visit norfolkhospice.org.uk/rudolph-run.

Thank you for your support and happy festive fundraising!

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