



Middleforth Church of England Primary School

Our Christian Value this half term is Respect



Friday 17th June 2022

Headteacher's Message

I cannot believe we have only been back just over a week. We have been blessed with some beautiful weather this week and it's been nice to enjoy a bit of sunshine at lunch time whilst playing and talking the children.

Our Jubilee celebrations on Friday 10th June were fantastic and it was real team effort to ensure the day was a huge success. The children loved their street party lunch and all the amazing and creative lessons which took place on the day.

Mrs Rushton, who will be our new Deputy Headteacher in September, has been in this week and visited each class and even managed to speak to a few parents on Wednesday morning. I'm sure you will all make her feel part of the family once she starts.

All our amazing Year 1 and some Year 2 children have now completed their Phonics check, and they have made us incredibly proud of the progress they have made. Well done Year 1 and 2.

Key Dates

Wednesday 29th June – Welcome event for new Reception 2022 children and parents/carers

Thursday 30th June – PTFA disco. Infants 3.15-4.15pm, juniors 4.30-5.30pm (**Book via Scopy**)

Monday 4th July – Non-uniform day in aid of www.sparklebean.co.uk

Wednesday 6th July – Sports Day (am KS2, pm KS1)

Thursday 7th July – Transition Day, All Classes

Mon 11th to Weds 13th July – Y6 Trip to Robinwood

Monday 18th July – Y6 End of Year Production

Wednesday 20th July – Y6 Prom

Thursday 21st July – Y6 Leavers Assembly

Friday 22nd July – school closes at 2pm (no after school club)

Collective Worship

Our half term Christian value this half term is **Respect**. This week Rev Nick came into school to share worship around Trinity Sunday. We looked at how God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit and how this was represented in a special picture.

We have also looked at the story of the Good Samaritan and the importance of caring for one another regardless of our differences.

Allergies in School

For some time now, we have been a nut free school due to allergies in school. Starting next week, we will also have a pupil with an egg and milk allergy. Although we will not be going egg and milk free, I would like to ask that you speak to your children about the importance of good hygiene and not sharing food in school, especially when around children with allergies.

If you are sending food into school, especially to share with Year 5, please can I ask that you remember that a pupil has an egg and milk allergy and make conscious choices to avoid items with these in.

If you are unsure then please speak to Mrs Gordon or the school office.

Stars of the week

Minis: Ilinka

Reception: 'Whole Class'

Year 1: Lily & Rhys

Year 2: Hugo & Edward

Year 3: Reeve & Tia

Year 4: Adam & Leo

Year 5: James A & Grace

Year 6: Jessie & Freya



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In the news this week



Buckingham Palace has unveiled the full line-up of celebrations to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee this year. Street parties, a concert with some of the world's biggest entertainment stars, a chance to see the Queen's homes and a street parade are just some of the formal plans. Many will take place during the upcoming special four-day Bank Holiday weekend from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th June. 2022 marks 70 years of the Queen's service – the first British monarch ever to reach the milestone.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Is your community or school doing anything to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee? Are there any events or activities that you are looking forward to?
- The Queen has held her role for 70 years! Do we think this is a long time? Talk about any roles and responsibilities you all have in your household, e.g., feeding pets, preparing meals, tidying rooms etc.

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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School Term and Holiday Patterns 2021/2022

SUMMER TERM 2022

School closes on

Friday 22nd July 2022 at 2.00pm

School term and holiday patterns 2022/2023

Autumn Term 2022

Re-open on

Monday 5th September 2022

School closes on

Friday 21st October 2022

Mid-term closure

Monday 24th October - Friday 28 October 2022

School re-opens on

Monday 31st October 2022

School closes on

Friday 16th December 2022

Spring Term 2023

Re-open on

Tuesday 3rd January 2023

School closes on

Friday 10th February 2023

Mid-term closure

Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023

School re-opens on

Monday 20th February 2023

School closes on

Friday 31st March 2023

Summer Term 2023

Starts

Monday 17th April 2023

May Day

Monday 1st May 2023

School closes on

Friday 26th May 2023

Mid-term closure

Monday 29th May – Wednesday 7th June 2023

School re-opens on

Thursday 8th June 2023

School closes on

Friday 21st July 2023

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ages 5-7

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Major League
ages 8-11

Teenz
ages 12-14

Join the older end of Playscheme with our Teenz division. Join in the bigger trips and enjoy your own activities with that bit more freedom such as *Onsite: Teenz Laser Tag, Bungee Trampolines, Neon Disco* and trips like: *Swimming, Bowling, Teenz Cinema and Party Barge*

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