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## **NEWSLETTER Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021**

Dear Parents,

Wow! I can hardly believe the first half term is already over! It's been such a busy half term, we've achieved so much, and had a lot of fun too - I'm sure lots of the children are ready for a break and I think the holidays will be well deserved for everyone at school.

### **LANDSCOVE LEARNERS**

In Class One the Reception children have been busy settling into school life and making new friends. Their learning this term has been based on our topic of 'Farming' and in every activity they have been enthusiastic little learners with really positive 'can do' attitudes! Well done Class One, you've made a great start to the year and we look forward to more learning adventures next half term! **Mrs Barons and Mrs Woods.**







In their computing lesson this week, Class three became parts of a network passing messages around to each other. It was far easier when they introduced a network switch. The children assure me that this is simpler than it sounds!

Over the course of this half term in Design and Technology, Class 4 have been designing and making their very own board game. Children have designed their own board, rules, cards and figurines based around our topic of the Shang Dynasty.



In our FaB learning about creation, we focussed on day 7 - the day of rest. We role played being busy on the playground by running around and then calm and restful by stopping and looking at the clouds. We then used colouring pencils to portray what day 7 would look like as a picture. Lots of the children decided to draw beds as we rest when we are asleep!





## STAFFING NEWS

We said farewell...for the time being...to Miss Kearle this week – we held a lovely assembly and the staff will be taking her out tonight to shower her with baby loveliness!

After our recruitment process across the last couple of weeks we would like to offer a warm welcome to Flossie West who will be joining us to cover Miss Kearle's maternity leave. We look forward to her joining the Landscope team.

## FOLS NEWS From Justina

FOLS would like to welcome the new members to the team.

Secretary position has been filled by Lisa Mortimore, and treasurer position by Michelle Pearse. The Vice Chair position is still available. If anyone feels they might like to join our team please chat to one of the members or email [FOLS@outlook.com](mailto:FOLS@outlook.com)

Suzy Parker - mum of Darcy, has kindly taken over the Second Hand clothes sale from after half term.

The Christmas Fair will be held on Friday 3rd December. This is one of FOLS 's biggest fund raising events of the year. Please look out after half term for notices about the fair. The raffle tickets will be sent out in advance. If anyone has a raffle prize they could contribute, please email or catch Justina after school.

Bags2School collection is Tuesday November 2nd. Please spread the word to anyone you know who is clearing out! This is a great way to fund raise and free up wardrobe space!

The 100 club is still up and running. Unfortunately, numbers have started to drop due to school leavers. If you feel you would like a number, hopefully a winning one! Please email [100clubfols@gmail.com](mailto:100clubfols@gmail.com).

Recent winners:

July - Una

August - Jo Colwill

September - Jennie Farrell

From the FOLS team have a lovely half term and we look forward to planning the Christmas Fair!

## SCHOOL LUNCHES

Please don't forget to make your lunch orders 48hrs in advance via ParentPay for next term. Our menu will be back to normal next half term - thank you for being so understanding about the changes we had to make over the last two weeks.

## SAFEGUARDING

It has come to our attention that children are discussing and maybe watching shows outside suggested age ranges. Please use the following links to find out more about setting parent controls. Miss M has also put some useful information on our website.

<https://help.netflix.com/en/node/264>

### Parental controls on Netflix

To choose the types of TV shows and movies your kids can watch, you can manage their profiles individually or create a profile with the Netflix Kids experience with titles just for kids.. Start using parental controls:

[help.netflix.com](https://help.netflix.com)

## COMING UP

- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> STEM club begins
- Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November School Photographer
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November Open Evening & Art Exhibition
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November Flu Vaccinations

**AND FINALLY...** That's about all for now. Amazing, isn't it? We're already one sixth of the way through the year! It's been a busy start at the school – as always. The new children have all settled in well and the school continues to roll on in a positive direction. I look forward to next half term and all the joy it will bring. I wish you all a lovely half term - Happy holidays!

*Jill Ryder.*