



### Message from the Headteacher

I hope that everyone had a lovely half-term break and that those of you who celebrated Diwali had a wonderful time with family and friends.

We've had a fantastic first week back, with children showing excellent attitudes towards their learning, as well as respect for our school rules and values, setting a positive tone for the rest of the term. In our celebration assembly on Monday, I introduced our focus value, Pride. I talked to the children about being proud of their own and one another's achievements, as well as looking after our school and our learning environment.

The House winners were announced for last half term. It was a close result. Peaks were the winning house with 120 points. The reward was an additional 20 minute playtime, which included taking part in additional activities with Mr Allen and Mrs Thorlby outside. The children also received a sweet treat for all their efforts.

Our new Eco Ambassadors Committee has launched the 'Cut Your Carbon Campaign', a national initiative by Eco Schools, aiming to help each family reduce carbon emissions. We encourage you to work through the checklist (which was emailed out earlier in the week) with your child before the end of November. The class with the most participants will win some extra playtime!

#### Assemblies

Our phase assemblies this week were led by Mrs Meller. She introduced our Music of the Half Term, which is Folk Music.

Today's assembly was jam packed! Firstly, three of our pupils: Amu, Austin & Jimmy bravely stood up in assembly and introduced the Language of the Half Term which is Tamil.

Also, our Eco Ambassadors introduced the 'Cut your Carbon Campaign'.

Finally, in today's assembly, Miss Bartlett read the parable 'The Good Samaritan' to the children, when she introduced our Religion of the Half Term which is Christianity.

#### Upcoming whole school events

- Monday 11th November is the start of Anti-Bullying Week. This year's theme is 'Respect', one of our core values.
- Children are invited to wear odd socks on Tuesday 12th November to celebrate what makes us all unique.
- On Friday 15th November, we will be supporting Children in Need. Children are welcome to come to school wearing pyjamas. We would welcome a £1 donation for the charity.

Thank you for your support, and let's look forward to another half term filled with respect, resilience and hard work from our children.

### Key Dates

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| w/b 11th November          | Anti-bullying Week   |
| 11th November              | Dragonball Event<br>Olympic Legacy Park                          |
| 12th November              | IR & Y5 Wonderdome   |
| 12th November              | Odd Socks Day  |
| 12th November              | Online Safety Workshop<br>6pm - 7.30pm, via Teams                |
| 13th November              | STEAM Workshop -Westbourne,<br>3.45pm - 4.45pm                   |
| 13th, 14th & 18th November | Y5 SEND Review Meetings  |
| 15th November              | Children in Need Day<br>Children dress in pyjamas<br>£1 donation |
| 16th November              | Cross Country - Bradfield<br>Secondary School                    |
| 18th November              | Skipathon Celebration Day<br>English Institute of Sport          |
| 18th November              | Y4 Squash Training, Hallamshire<br>Club                          |
| 19th November              | Y6 Victorian Day   |
| 19th November              | Y3/Y4 Maths Workshop, 5.30pm                                     |
| 20th November              | Y5/Y6 Reading Workshop, 5.30pm                                   |
| 20th November              | Y6 NHS Weighing and Measuring                                    |
| 20th November              | STEAM Workshop -Westbourne,<br>3.45pm - 4.45pm                   |
| 22nd November              | NHS Flu Immunisations  |
| 23rd November              | Orienteering Shirebrook, 12-3pm                                  |
| w/b 25th November          | Open Classrooms  |

## This Week's Awards



**Head Teacher Awards**  
 IR - Hasnain  
 Y3 - Ayah, Sofia, Willa  
 Y4 - Chris, Freya & Jemima  
 Y5 - Teddy, Joshua & Shelby  
 Y6 - Elsie, Bryce & Emily

## Attendance

Please ensure that your child is on time for school. Children can be brought into the yard from 8:40 am. Learning in school starts at 8:50 am.

**Our attendance this week was 97.4%**

**LOST MINUTES =  
LOST LEARNING!**



| House Points |     |
|--------------|-----|
| Steel        | 115 |
| Cutlers      | 108 |
| Originals    | 119 |
| Peaks        | 120 |



### Pumpkin Dash

Thanks to EVERYONE again for making the Pumpkin Dash such a brilliant success. The children really went for it and travelled a massive collective distance so a huge congratulations to them for that and their fundraising efforts. Although we can take donations until the end of this week, we are very happy to share that the total raised already is a fantastic **£3428!!!!** This is a phenomenal total and evidence of the amazing community that we have! The money is being split equally between NGJS PTA and the fantastic charity 'Young Minds'.

Young Minds have been in touch to let us know how grateful they are for the donation and wanted us to share with you just what the £1714 we raised for them could pay for! So, here is a list of all the things your donations will help pay for:

- The training of **FIVE Parent Helpline Advisors** to be on the end of the phone to give information and support to parents and carers.
- A **call back** for FIVE parents or carers from an independent, experienced Professional Advisor
- The training of **FIVE young activists**
- The provision of **mental health resources** for FIVE schools taking part in #Helloyellow
- Allowing the charity to reach over 600 children or young people through **#Helloyellow** to show them they are not alone.
- Help to ensure the **Young Minds Parents Helpline** continues to provide advice and support to a parent worried about their child's mental health.

Basically, the money we have raised together will make a difference so THANK YOU from us!!!

### Xmas4Schools

Thank you to everyone who has already returned their Xmas4Schools artwork form to the school office. Please note that the deadline for returning forms has now passed. Unfortunately will not be able to accept any late entries.

Shortly, you will receive a link to your own unique payment portal where you will be able to place your order and pay Xmas4Schools directly. The PTA will then receive £1 for every item purchased, so we really hope lots of you will support this project.

If you have any questions or problems with the form then please email [friendsofnethergreen@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofnethergreen@gmail.com).

### Upcoming events

We have LOTS coming up over the next half term for everyone to get excited about! Below are some dates for you to save.

- **5th December:** Y3/4 Cinema Club (3.35-5pm)
- **12th December:** Y5/6 Cinema Club (3.35-5pm)
- **13th December:** Elfridges (all day!) We are open to donations now! Any unwanted giftable items that we could feature in our pop up Elfridges store would be very gratefully received.

## Office Messages

### ParentPay Reminders

- Y5 & IR Wonderdome, Tuesday 12th November. Please give consent if you haven't already done so.
- Online Safety Workshop, Tuesday 12th November, 6pm via Teams. Please register your interest on ParentPay.



# ParentPay

### Y3&Y4 Basketball

This club will now start on Thursday 14th November. It will begin straight after school and runs until 4.45pm.

## Anti - Bullying Week



ABA are official organisers of Anti-Bullying Week and Odd Socks Day in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Anti-Bullying Week 2024 will take place from Monday 11th - Friday 15th November, with the theme: Choose Respect.

Odd Socks Day is taking place on Tuesday 12th November, with adults and children being encouraged to wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique. So, our children are invited to come to school on Tuesday 12th November in odd socks, if they would like to participate.

## Lunch Menu - w/b 11th November

### Nether Green Juniors Autumn / Winter 2024/2025 - Week One

Dates: 9<sup>th</sup> Sep, 30<sup>th</sup> Sep, 21<sup>st</sup> Oct, 11<sup>th</sup> Nov, 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec, 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec, 13<sup>th</sup> Jan, 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb, 24<sup>th</sup> Feb, 17<sup>th</sup> Mar, 7<sup>th</sup> Apr



| WEEK ONE              | GREEN EARTH MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  |
|-----------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| Main Option           | Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Tomato Pasta Salad                                  | Red Tractor Pork Sausage Roll with Skin on Baked Potato Wedges | Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Roast Potatoes          | Red Tractor Beef Pasta Bolognese & Garlic Bread       | MSC Fish Fingers & Chips  |
| Vegetarian Option     | Butternut Squash, Chickpea & Lentil Dhal Served with Rice & Naan Bread Fingers | Cheese & Onion Pastry Roll with Skin on Baked Wedges           | Quorn Grill with Gravy, Stuffing & Roast Potatoes     | Cheese Flan with Skin on Baked Potato Wedges          | Crispy Vegetable Fingers & Chips  |
| Shared Food           |  | Vegetarian Breakfast Wrap with skin on Wedges                  |   | Cheese & Tomato Melt with Salad                       |   |
| Vegetables            | Country Mixed Veg, Sweetcorn   | Red Tractor British Peas, Baked Beans                          | Broccoli/Cauliflower & Carrots                        | Broccoli/Cauliflower & Sweetcorn                      | Baked Beans British Red Tractor Garden Peas                               |
| Baked Jacket Potatoes | Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans                          | Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans          | Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans | Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans | Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise, Salm on Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans |
| Homemade Dessert      | Chocolate Mousse and Orange Smiles   | Homemade Jam Buns & Custard                                    | 'Hidden Fruit' Chocolate, (Beetroot & Pear) Brownie   | New Homemade Vanilla & Cherry Cookie Cup & Custard    | Strawberry Jelly and Mandarins  |

Portion(s) of fruit or veg Source of wholegrain Contains plant-based proteins 50% fruit Oily fish **England's target for 'free sugar' intake for your child.** vegetarian portion sizes are calculated using School Food Standards. On average our desserts do not exceed a third of a child's recommended 'free sugar' intake.







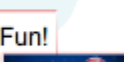

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# FRIDAY FUN for Families

Time: 4.00 – 5.15 pm

Place: Broomhill Community Library

- Activities for school age children
- Choose what you enjoy
- Try something new

|                       |                                    |  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| 8 November<br>Friday  | Games                              |   |
| 15 November<br>Friday | Games, Lego & 3D Puzzles           |   |
| 22 November<br>Friday | Lego & 3D Puzzles                  |   |
| 29 November<br>Friday | Games                              |   |
| 6 December<br>Friday  | Christmas Craft                    |   |
| 13 December<br>Friday | Christmas Party: Film, Food & Fun! |  |

Donation £2.00 per child requested to Broomhill Community Trust



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# 'Chatterbooks' Book club

Wednesdays  
16:00 – 17:00  
(term time)



Children aged 7-11

★ Word Games

★ Drama

★ Reading

★ Useful writing

★ Discussion

★ Stories



Suggested donation of £1.00 to Broomhill Community Trust



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# CRAFTY KIDS' CORNER



CUTTING - CREATING - CRAFTING  
5-11 YEAR OLDS  
EVERY TUESDAY 16:00 – 17:00

BROOMHILL COMMUNITY LIBRARY  
10, TAPTONVILLE ROAD, S10 5BR

Suggested donation £2



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