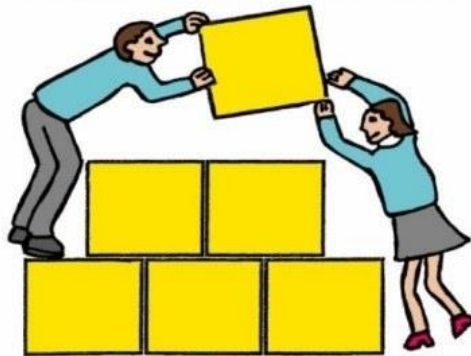


Sproston Junior School



Building and Working Together

SJS Weekly News - 23rd September

If your child has attended a club this week, I hope he or she has enjoyed it. We have tried to put on a good variety of clubs this term and will soon start to plan for some different clubs to offer in the spring term. For those who booked up for Tag Rugby, we apologise that the club isn't able to run at the moment. The provider was unable to provide a coach. We will be running the club again, hopefully in the spring term.

We have had our first cases of covid this week (Year 4) which was inevitable as we all came back together. It is important that the children continue to practise good hygiene. We will let the year group parents/carers know when we have cases in a year group so we can be as transparent as possible. It is important we are cautious and stop the virus spreading as much as possible. As you know, the children can all continue coming to school as long as they remain healthy and haven't tested positive for the virus.

We have had some donations for the foodbank this week - thank you! We are discussing harvest and food in assemblies at the moment. We will be collecting for the Norwich foodbank until the start of October if you would like to make a donation. All donations need to be taken to the school office.

Next week we have our first event for parents since the start of 2020! We have a coffee morning at 9am on Thursday 30th September in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. The coffee morning will end at 9:45am after which we will have our Friends' AGM. We hope to see many of you there, if you have the time. The event will take place in the school hall to ensure we have plenty of space and we ask that all parents/carers attending come to the front of the school at 9am.

Later this half-term, we will be having an Inspiring through Diversity week. Each day, the children will have a lesson or assembly inspired by amazing figures and stories from history and different cultures.

We hope everyone has a good weekend!

Kind regards

Matt Walton, Headteacher



1 - 3C have enjoyed lots of exciting Science this week! They have been buying food from Sprowston Stores to make a balanced, healthy meal!

Diary Dates

Monday 27th September - Local area walk (Year 3)

Thursday 30th September - Macmillan Coffee morning (9am)

Thursday 30th September - Friends' AGM(9:45am)

Thursday 7th October - Year 6 football versus Falcon Junior (home)

Friday 8th October - Foodbank appeal finishes

Monday 11th October - Individual Photographs

Tuesday 12th October - 4I visiting Norwich School (Science)

Tuesday 12th October - Maths Parents' session - 9am

Tuesday 12th October - Maths Parents' session - 2pm

Wednesday 13th October - Year 3 visiting St Mary and St Margaret's church - Harvest

Thursday 14th October - Year 6 football versus Firside Junior (home)

Monday 18th October - Inspiring through Diversity week

Monday 18th October - Year 6 football versus Old Catton (away)

Tuesday 19th October - 4P to Norwich School (Science)

Wednesday 20th October - Year 5/6 Korfbal tournament (1pm)

Monday 25th October - Half-term



2 - More 3C Science!

Year 6 House Captains!

In our celebration assembly this morning, we gave out House Captain badges to our new Year 6 Captains. They are as follows:

Emily & Riley (Air), George H & Mia (Earth), Oliver R & Julia (Fire), Samuel & Gracie (Water)



3 - 4! were working hard on their timestables this morning!

Nut free School

Please do note that we are a nut free school and any foods that have nuts in them should not be brought into school for break or lunch-time. If you are unsure whether a certain product is allowable, please do get in touch.



4 - 3W have been learning how to use a compass.

Jewellery

Please can we remind parents/carers that we allow studded ear-rings only and not any other types. This is for health and safety reasons. Children should not wear necklaces or rings either please.



5 - Our Feel Good Friday winners! Well done to all for a great week.