# Newsletter

Newsletter Date: 17 September 2021



### Headteacher's Message:

Dear Parents/Carers

Lunchtime and afterschool clubs will all start next week, unless otherwise stated on the letter. You will have received a text to confirm your child's place in the club(s) of their choice.

Please can I ask that you are considerate to our neighbours when parking near the school at drop off and collection times. Thank you for your co-operation.

A letter was given to all Year 6 pupils last week regarding the Secondary Transfer for September 2022. Please be aware that the application **must be made no later than the closing date of 31 October 2021.** 

A reminder that Colorfoto will be in School on Monday 20th September to take individual and sibling photos. If your child has siblings at another school, they can come to Carrant Brook from 8.15am to have their photo taken together.

Don't forget to join us in the playground at **3.15pm** on **24th September** to witness our very own Mrs Green, who will 'Brave the Shave' in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support.

Kind Regards

Maria Budd, Headteacher

**Northway Youth Club** are pleased to announce that from next week they will be opening their doors to offer some great clubs for the local children.

#### Tuesdays:

17:15 - 18:30 = Workshops club. 4 week workshops. Children will be making string art, chocolate bars, fuse beads and much more. Suitable for ages 5+. £10.00 for four weeks

18:30 - 20:00 = Drop in senior sessions. £2.00 per session. Arts and crafts, sports, baking, games and much more. Suitable for children in year 7+

#### Wednesdays:

Brand new boxing club with Pro boxer Adam Harper

Juniors = 17:30 - 18:30

Seniors = 18:45 - 20:15

For the first 6 weeks they are offering the boxing club free to children in Northway! There is limited space so make sure you get signed up asap!!

For more information or to book your child onto any sessions please contact: northwayyouthclub@gmail.com



#### **TEWKESBURY SCHOOL OPEN MORNINGS 2021/2022**

Year 6 children and their parents are warmly invited to attend one of our open morning tours.

This year, in place of our Open Evening we have a welcome presentation and are holding pre-bookable guided tours of the school over an extended period so that you can witness our school in action on a typical day. There will be the opportunity to talk to students and to senior staff who will be happy to answer any questions. Student guides will be on hand to show you around, with tours taking approximately an hour and a half.

#### Tours will be available from:

Monday 20 September until Friday 1 October 2021 and again next year from

Monday 14 March until Friday 25 March 2022

Please read the welcome letter from Mr Watson, Headteacher, which can be accessed HERE

If you would like to attend an Open Morning tour, please make an appointment by clicking the link HERE

We look forward to welcoming you.

The Family Learning Team at Gloucestershire County Council are offering some exciting courses



online this term for parents. All classes are delivered by experienced teachers, many of whom are primary teachers too. All of these course are being delivered via Zoom. The courses are free to people over 19 years old, who have lived in the UK/ EU for 3 or more years, or have a valid Residence Permit, and are one of the following: Unemployed or earning below £17,374 per year; Qualified below a Level 2 (less than 5 GCSEs); Have mental health challenges, Have a learning difficulty or disability. Please contact the school office if you would like further info.

# SIR THOMAS RICH'S - GLOUCESTER Open Days 23 & 24 September 2021 We warmly invite Year 5 and 6 boys and the parents to join us for our Open Days on 23

We warmly invite Year 5 and 6 boys and their parents to join us for our Open Days on 23 and 24 September—hear from current students, the Headmaster and Key Stage 3 staff about transition from Year 6, pastoral

care, the curriculum and the wide range of extracurricular opportunities on offer.

Pre-registration essential, see www.strschool.co.uk for full details and to book on line.

Commendations: Congratulations to our Golden Book Merit Award winners, House Captains and School Councillors.

Congratulations also to Oak class who won this week's attendance with 99.1%





**School Councillors 2021-22** 



House Captains 2021-22



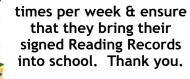
# **Reading Challenge:**

Congratulations to pupils in Beech, Birch & Sycamore class this week who all came

1st with 100% of pupils reading at least 4 times each week.

**2nd** - Ash, Elm & Oak 96% **3rd** - Willow 70.83%

Please can you support us in encouraging your child to read at least 4



## **TERM DATES 2021/22:**

Term One: Monday 6 September - Friday 22 October
Term Two: Monday 1 November - Friday 17 December
Term Three: Tuesday 4 January - Friday 18 February

Term Four: Monday 28 February - Friday 8 April

Term Five: Monday 25 April - Friday 27 May

Term Six: Monday 6 June - Friday 22 July

INSET DAYS - children do not attend school

Friday 22 October Tuesday 4 January

Monday 6 June

**BANK HOLIDAYS - children do not attend school** 

Monday 2 May

INSET DAYS - children do not attend school

#### **Dates for your Diary**

Monday 20 September - Individual and Sibling photos

Thursday 7 October - Parents Evening

Tuesday 12 October - Parents Evening



CARRANT BROOK JUNIOR SCHOOL

MONDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER





As part of our INSET day on 22 October, the staff of Carrant Brook Juniors, Northway Infants and Northway Playgroup will be planting Spring/Early Summer bulbs in locations around Northway. After such a difficult 18 months we wanted to give something back to the community and hopefully bring a smile everyone's face. We are therefore asking for your help. If you have any bulbs you wish to purchase/donate — they would be gratefully received. Any variety of bulb — snowdrops, tulips, daffodils, grape hyacinth or bluebells etc. No matter what type you have, the wider variety the better, (apart from the light version that is) we will take them.

Please drop them into one of the 3 settings no later than <u>8 October</u> and we will plant them! Our intention is for Northway to be an array of colour in the spring. Thank you!

