

Little Melton Primary School



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Newsletter 14th October, 2022

Dear Parents,

Well done to the children in Year 5 and 6 for the positive start they made to the football tournament at the UEA on Monday. Both teams had some success on the pitch, and also played in a good spirit. The competition will resume after half-term.

Today, the Eagle Owl children enjoyed dressing up in period costume for their special 'Anglo-Saxon day'. The children were joined by a living history visitor, and took part in a range of themed activities including cooking, arts and crafts– pictures next week!

Next week, a reminder that we will be holding an **Open Tray afternoon on Wednesday** after school (3.15-4pm). All parents welcome.

On Friday we will also be holding our **Harvest Festival Assembly** from 10.15-10.45. **Parents are welcome to attend**, and we will also be joined by a representative from the Salvation Army. Any **donations** of tinned or dried food for the Salvation Army to distribute to help the homeless would be greatly appreciated– please bring to the office during the week.

Finally, after half-term we will be starting a number of after school **clubs** for the children. Please use the links on the next page in the newsletter to sign up if interested. Any children unable to attend if oversubscribed will be automatically added to the top of the list for the next time the clubs run. There will also be a Film Club next Friday– sign up details will be available from Monday.



Harvest Festival

Friday October 21st 10.15-10.45

Parents welcome to attend.

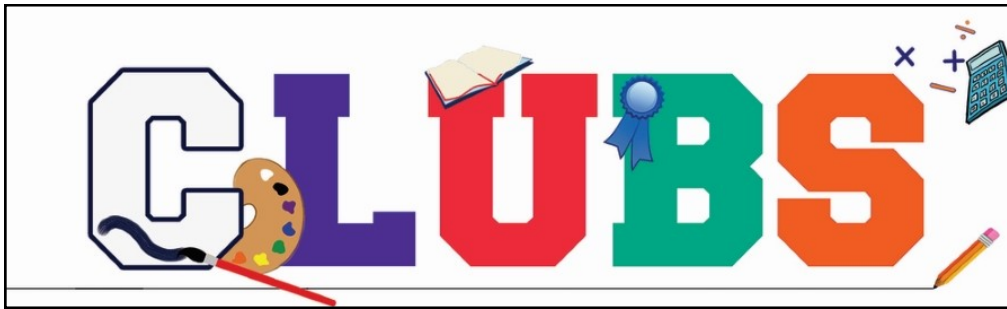
Please bring any donations of tinned or dried food to the school office during the week, so that it can be collected by the Salvation Army.



Little Melton Pre-School now has a page on our school website:

<http://www.littlemeltonprimaryschool.co.uk/little-melton-pre-school/>

Please follow the link if you have any family members or friends who might be interested in attending this excellent pre-school.



All clubs will run initially for **5 weeks from week commencing 7.11.22**. Please use links below each club to sign up.

Outdoor Learning Club (Mrs Bushell)
Mondays 3.15-4pm
Years 1-2



<https://forms.gle/2Muy4Zg6bANSPQHx6>

Scratch Coding Club (Mr Pritchard)
Mondays 3.15-4pm
Years 4-6



<https://forms.gle/YhFQJ1W3vdCb4e7K8>

Mindfulness Club (Mrs Cameron)
Wednesdays 3.15-4pm
Years 3-6



<https://forms.gle/oLsemsYYfE8MYL856>

Ipad Club (Mr Pritchard)
Thursdays 3.15-4pm
Years 2-3






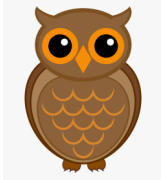



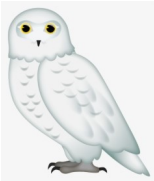
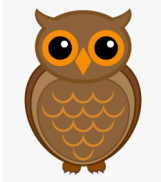


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There will also be a Tennis Club for Years 1-3 organised separately through National Tennis...poster attached at end of newsletter.



Mrs Lee will also be organising a lunchtime library club after half-term and Film Club will continue as indicated.

<p>This week:</p>	<p>Giuseppe Arcimboldo Fruit and Vegetable Art</p>  <p>Work based on a famous artist</p>	<p>Barn</p> 	 <p>Stone Age Art– Stone Henge</p>
<p>Owlets</p> 	<p>Snowy</p>   <p>Ordering</p>	<p>Eagle</p> 	 <p>Learning to play the recorder</p>
<p>Next week:</p>			
<p>Owlets</p> 	<p>Looking at patterns and sequences</p> <p>Our bodies</p> <p>Phonics– e r u h</p>	<p>Barn</p> 	<p>Proof reading and editing Stone Age boy story</p> <p>Stone Age jewellery</p> <p>Ordering and comparing numbers</p> <p>Hinduism– symbols and meanings</p>
<p>Snowy</p> 	<p>Painting model houses</p> <p>Investigating which material is best for a roof</p> <p>Looking at how transport has changed over 100 years</p>	<p>Eagle</p> 	<p>Addition and subtraction– columns</p> <p>Recount of Anglo-Saxon day</p> <p>Adding a timer to a coded game in Scratch</p>



Knowledge Organiser Quizzes, September 2022

Children can enter using the links below.

Copies of the accompanying Knowledge Organiser are all also on the school website at:

<http://www.littlemeltonprimaryschool.co.uk/curriculum/topic-webs-for-parents/>



Snowy Owls: Houses and Homes

<https://forms.gle/cysUJ9mLtShB8Mwn6>

Barn Owls: Stone Age Bone Age

<https://forms.gle/Ew3nwCZFrm2Sfe1u6>



Eagle Owls: Materials

<https://forms.gle/oWoX2Lh7mV71RHAb6>



Recent or Upcoming Birthdays:

Nathaniel 5

Bessie 7

Amelia 11



Friday October 14th– Eagle Owls Anglo-Saxon day

Wednesday October 19th– Open Tray afternoon (3.15-4)

Friday October 21st– Harvest Festival

Friday October 21st– Film Club

Monday October 24th-28th– Half Term

w/c November 7th– clubs start

w/c December 16th– Christmas Play performances

Monday December 19th-Tuesday January 3rd–



Last week's attendance was: 96.36%

Attendance year to date is: 96.24%

Uniform

Any parents wanting to buy uniform can purchase it direct from this website:

<https://www.superstitch86.co.uk/product-category/schoolwear/primary-schools-academies/little-melton-primary-school/>

NAVY LITTLE MELTON PRIMARY SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT



RED LITTLE MELTON PRIMARY SCHOOL SWEATSHIRT



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Owlets: All the children for a super start to the year

Snowy: Penelope (2)—thinking skills Evie (2)- fantastic behaviour in all lessons

Barn: Ollie (3) great reading Flora (4) working hard

Eagle: Mason (6) William (6) super Dragonology letters

Housepoints: Bronze– Ollie (3) Lucas (3) Benji (5) 800 Evie (6) 1100

Nut Free School



A general reminder that we operate a nut-free policy in school for all food. Please be particularly careful with any food provided to celebrate birthdays as some chocolate can include traces of nuts. We do have some children with severe allergies in our school and we obviously want to look after them to the very best of our ability.

Yours faithfully,

Alex Pritchard, Headteacher.



After School Tennis Club

National Tennis Association have been delivering tennis coaching at schools in Norfolk since 2004. The after school sessions are a great introduction to the game and many of the county's most successful players started in our after school clubs.

In after school club sessions pupils will develop footwork, coordination, ball and racket skills working through a structured curriculum.

Little Melton Primary Tennis Club Details

Fridays- 6 weeks (4th Nov-9th Dec)

Year 1-3

3:15 - 4:00pm

Cost - £24

How to Enrol?

For more information and booking please click or visit the below link.

www.nationaltennis.org.uk/schools

These sessions fill up very quickly therefore it is important to book your place quickly, we operate a first come, first serve basis.

Once you have booked on our website you will receive a confirmation of your place.

If you have any questions regarding the tennis club please contact us:

email: schools@nationaltennis.org.uk

tel: 0330 551 9496



Messy Church in October

Who? Messy Church is a way of being church for families and friends, based on creativity, hospitality and celebration.

What? God's Love for the Planet

Come and hear about our place in God's plan

When? Thursday 27th October 11 am to 1 pm

Where? At the church

Celebrate God's plan through stories, art activities and a shared meal.

All are welcome; young people need to have an adult with them.

RSVP sjrc.sjrc00@gmail.com

