

'The Buzz'

What's been happening at NPS?
October 2022



We have had a really successful first half term and October feels as though it was just as busy as September. I would like to thank all the teachers, TAs, Admin staff, Catering Team and our Site Manager for the energy and time they have invested in making our school the busy and special place it is. They all deserve this half term break.

OPEN DAY

It was wonderful to see so many old and new families come and look around school during the open day. We felt very proud to be showing off the new foundation unit and the rest of school. Thank you for all the lovely comments that were made on and after the day.

BARNSTONDALE

Y2 had an exciting, long day at Barnstondale. They had new experiences in archery, climbing and abseiling, all topped off with a campfire and hot dogs for tea.



CHESHIRE PHOENIX

Members of Cheshire Phoenix basketball team came to our assembly to invite children to a fabulous day of basketball. We look forward to hearing how it went after the holiday.

FLAT STAN FIRST AID

Key Stage 2 children had a day of first aid workshops. It was very informative and practical for all the children.



BANDLAB – Music production Day

Mr Joliffe from MYGUK came and worked with children from Y2 and above. They had workshops producing music on ipads and laptops. The children said they had had a great day. The teachers also had training after school so we can develop these skills further.



INTER SCHOOL SPORT

We have played our first inter-school sport fixture of the year – Hockey at Parkgate. The team played really well together and were up against tough competition but they did themselves proud. As always, their behaviour was a credit to the school.



Y1 SUPER HERO MORNING

It was great to see so many relatives come into work with the Y1s last week. A great display of work was created.



ATTENDANCE



We are really pleased with the attendance so far this term. Whole school figure for September was **96%** and on our Monopoly board, Y3 Tigers are still in the lead having won both an extra playtime and an extra golden time. Y4 are close behind them.

UPCOMING DIARY DATES:

November

3rd & 7th Y4 Let's walk with PCSO

8th Book Fair

14th Start of Anti-Bullying week – Odd Socks Day

17th Y6 visit to Crucial Crew at Cheshire View

18th Children in Need (fund raising)

25th Y1 and F2 watch Inside the Igloo show in school

29th Y5 Christmas Experience at St Michael's Church

December

5th Y3 Christmas Experience at the Methodist Church

6th Whole School Reindeer Run

9th & 12th KS2 Christmas rehearsal at Parish Church

9th Christmas Fair 3:30-5pm

12th KS1 Nativity Performance for Parents 2pm

13th KS2 Carol Service (Parish Church) for Parents 10am

13th KS1 Nativity Performance for Parents 2pm

15th Christmas Dinner and Parties (own clothes)

16th Last Day of term – close at 3:15pm