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## Hainford Newsletter

### Assertive Mentoring Meetings

Just a reminder that these meetings will take place next week. Online appointments for this term's Assertive Mentoring meetings are available to book by contacting the office in the usual way. Dates and times for meetings on Microsoft Teams will be:

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November 3:20pm to 6pm**

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 3:30pm to 5pm**

### Christmas Productions

Given Covid levels with the school and wider community, Nativity performances will once again have to be filmed in school rather than performed in the church. Class 3 will be creating a Nativity movie while Classes 1 and 2 will film a KS1 Nativity performance called "Prickly Hay".

Mrs Allison has asked that if you have any unwanted Nativity costumes then please could these be donated to the school.

### Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Poppies will go on sale from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Children can bring money into school to make a donation. They will then be given one poppy to wear.

### P.E. Classes 2 and 3

Just a reminder from myself and Mrs Hudson that for PE:

- PE kit for winter - to wear warm clothing and bring a raincoat on wet days as we will aim to continue PE outside unless dangerous or particularly poor weather. Children can wear gloves and hats (though these might get muddy) and we highly recommend bringing spare socks on PE days.
- Long hair must be tied back
- Earrings must be taken out or covered with tape (No jewellery should be worn in school)

Club links - you never know someone may be inspired to join a local club off the back of our PE lessons, please let myself or Mr Cross know if you do join any as we're always pleased to talk to the children about how they're doing in sport outside of school. Remember if you receive any badges or awards then these can be brought into school to celebrate during our Friday assemblies.

North Walsham mini's for Tag rugby  
<https://www.nwrfc.club/teams/231696>

Norwich Dragons for hockey;  
<http://norwichdragonshc.co.uk/young-dragons/under-8s10s12s/>

Norwich Korfbal - Tuesdays @ CNS school sports hall and Wednesdays @ Open Academy school sports hall  
<https://www.nckc.co.uk/juniors.html>

Many thanks  
 Mrs Hudson & Mr Cross

## Notices

### PTA Mask Competition

Well done to Scarlet, Michael and Willow for your amazing designs. These can be seen on the Hainford PTA's Facebook page

**Class 3 PE** will take place on Wednesday and Thursday next week. Swimming will continue on Mondays.

On **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> November** an opportunity has arisen for Class 3 to go on a school trip to **Strangers Hall in Norwich**. In History, we have been learning about Norwich in the Middle Ages. We will be taking part in workshops that involve learning about Tudor clothing, medieval banquets, weaving, the peasants' rebellion and Robert Kett. Letters will be sent out at the start of next week.

### **The 'Value for Life' this half-term is: Creativity**

A Christian Perspective on Creativity:

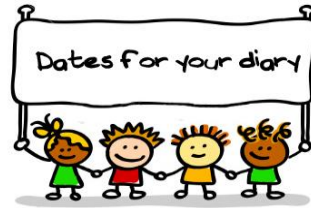
*Seen from a Christian perspective all of life is a 'gift', entrusted by a loving creator God to humankind for a purpose. This purpose is glimpsed as the creative spirit within each person learns to value and explore, celebrate and enjoy this world in all its mystery and diversity. With this gift comes the mutual responsibility to ensure the creation is not spoiled, but rather sustained and shared by all (Values for Life).*

As a school, we will be celebrating creativity across the curriculum and how this gift can be used. Linked to COP26 currently taking place in Glasgow, we will be exploring the interconnectedness of life on the planet and how children can exercise responsibility towards the environment

If any members of the wider school community can offer any ideas, or wish to celebrate an example of your child demonstrating this value at home then pleased contact Mr Cross.

## **Let's Celebrate!**

November 5th	Star Pupil Awards	Values Award Creativity
Class 1	Jack and William – for showing creativity and compassion when building a home for a hedgehog	
Class 2	Poppy – for being kind, helpful and always challenging herself with her learning	Isobel – for amazing creative artwork at home and in school
Class 3	Joshua – for amazing joined handwriting	Ellie R and Matilda – for amazing creativity in their writing and artwork



## Alterations/Updates in blue

### Autumn Term

- *Swimming for selected pupils from class 3 every Monday afternoon for the rest of the term*
- *Class 2 starting from Wednesday (13<sup>th</sup> October) will travel to Old Catton Junior School by minibus to have a gymnastics apparatus lesson with Mrs Hudson*
- *Class 3 Tag-rugby club after school on Thursday (letters went home this week)*
- *Singing club every Thursday and Friday lunchtimes*

### November

8<sup>th</sup> Assertive Mentoring Meetings on Teams 3:20pm to 6pm

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10<sup>th</sup> Yr5/6 Nebula Tag Rugby event – selected pupils only (letters given out this week)

10<sup>th</sup> *Salvation Army volunteers to visit class 2 (pm)*

11<sup>th</sup> *Remembrance Assembly (Poppies will go on sale from Monday)*

12<sup>th</sup> Flu Vaccinations (email sent 09.09.21)

17<sup>th</sup> *Class 3 trip to Stranger's Hall*

19<sup>th</sup> *Children in Need – more information to follow next week*

### December

3<sup>rd</sup> NPSSA cross country race Number 3 at Eaton Park (*selected children only*)

10<sup>th</sup> Christmas Jumper day raising money and awareness for 'Save the Children'

17<sup>th</sup> (Fri) Final day of Autumn Term

### Christmas Holidays (20<sup>th</sup> December to 4<sup>th</sup> January)

### January 2022

4<sup>th</sup> (Tue) INSET day

5<sup>th</sup> (Wed) First day of the Spring Term

**Thank you for all of your support**