Newton Regis
C of E Primary School

Austrey
Church of England
Primary School

Newsletter

Date: 13/6/25



Becoming the person God made me to be: living, learning, loving.

"I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made"

Psalm 139:14

Dear Parents/Carers

Good news

All of our current staff will be staying with us next year and the resignation date for teachers has passed. I see no reason not to let you know now as we are aware that some of our children find change difficult and need time to prepare.

Classes	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
Wagtails (R)	Miss Amber Nickless	
Robins (1/2)	Miss Ellen Smith	Mrs Laura Townshend Mrs Jayne Ward
Owls (3/4)	Mrs Catherine Woodcroft	Miss Jenny Blewitt
Kingfishers (5/6)	Miss Aimee Zimmerman	Mrs Rachel Ingram Miss Emma Sheils (1:1 support)
Midday supervisor team	Miss Jenny Blewitt, Miss Emma Sheils and Mrs Elisabeth Cartwright	
Ducklings (N/R)	Miss Katie Oliver	Mrs Penny Gifford
Harlequin (1/2)	Mrs Michelle Gugleta	Mrs June Bushnell
King Eider (3/4)	Miss Millie Hand	Miss Rachel Morris
Mandarin (5/6)	Miss Megan Griffiths Mrs L Stephenson	Mrs Jayne Griffiths Miss Molly Tufft (1:1 support)
Midday supervisor team	Mrs Susan Sutton, Miss Molly Tufft, Mrs Penny Gifford and Mrs Jayne Griffiths	

Mrs Barclay will work for a whole day in each class once per fortnight

Mrs Stephenson will continue to work across both schools as SENDCo every morning and Forest School in each school on alternate weeks

Mrs Sharon Pick and Mrs Wendy Harvey will continue to work in the office






























The Children had a wonderful time. Thankyou to the FPTA for paying for this Sorry about the slime!!



Y5/6 Austrey Rounders

On Wednesday 4th June, a team from Austrey went to Outwoods Primary school to take part in the annual rounders tournament. The ten schools were separated into two groups, with five schools in each. Our opponents were St Edwards, Birchwood, Outwoods B and Racemeadow. After a disappointing starting game against Racemeadow, which ended with a loss, the team won all of their next three matches. This put them into the semi-final against Coleshill. This was a close game with both teams fielding well to stop the scoring. With an excellent batting round, Austrey were once again victorious – sending them through to the finals for the 3rd year in a row – facing Outwoods A team. Unfortunately, the final scoring was Outwoods 3 ½ and Austrey 2 ½; a silver medal on this occasion. The team have now progressed into the North Warwickshire finals in a few weeks.

Well done team.



Y5/6 Austrey Netball Finals

On Monday 9th June, our team from Austrey, who came second earlier on in the Spring term in the tournament at Polesworth High School, went on to represent the North Warwickshire schools in the Netball Finals at Pingles. They played against the top two schools from the Nuneaton competition and the top two schools from the Bedworth competition.



Each team played each other in a 5-round tournament. Our first game was against Our Lady and St Joseph Academy A team and unfortunately this was a 4-1 loss. Next was their B team, and after dusting ourselves off, we got our first win. Our third match was against Michael Drayton Juniors, this resulting in a 1-1 draw. In the fourth round, we faced St Michael's and this gave us our biggest victory of the competition – a 5-1 win! Finally, we played Goodyers End Primary and this was a fast-paced game which gave us one last win – the final score being 3-1 to Austrey. The overall results were Austrey 2nd place, with the winners being the team we lost to in round 1 (for the second year in a row!) Another silver medal to add to this year's collection.

55 schools took part in this tournament over the last few months, so for our tiny school to come 2nd overall is a huge result and one that our team of five Y6s were very proud of!

Y5/6 Cricket

On Tuesday 10th June, a mixed team from Austrey and Newton went to Atherstone Cricket Club for a day of Y5/6 Kwik Cricket.

14 schools took part in the tournament, with each school playing five schools.

Our boys played brilliantly throughout the day, winning 4 out of their 5 games. By 2pm, three other schools were in the same scoring position, so new matches were played to decide on the medal winners.

Austrey faced Shustoke in the silver medal match. This was a tense game and a replay of an earlier match – and the only one that we had lost. Both teams played brilliantly – with excellent fielding on both sides meaning that it was hard to score runs! In the end, Austrey lost the match meaning no medal was coming back on this occasion.

Well done for great team work – and a special mention to Rafe who was the only y4 in the competition!



Dear Parent/Carer

Our local school-aged immunisation service has been working with NHS England on improving how vaccinations in schools are managed.

As part of this work, the School-Aged Immunisation Service Team will now contact you directly to request consent for vaccinations. The new approach will make it quicker and easier for you to give or refuse consent for vaccinations.

This new process will allow the follow up of uncompleted consent forms to happen automatically if we have not received them.

What we will share with the school-aged immunisation service team:

When the School-Aged Immunisation Service Team asks our school for class lists, we will provide email addresses and phone numbers for parents and guardians of children who are eligible for vaccinations. The School-Aged Immunisation Service Team will use these contact details to send consent requests and reminders to parents and guardians.

For further information about the role of the School-Aged Immunisation Service Team in supporting vaccinations, please click here.

Keeping your contact details safe

All personal data will be securely stored in line with NHS guidelines. Only the School-Aged Immunisation Service Team will have access to your contact details.

If you have any questions about this change, please contact the School-Aged Immunisation Service team via email NorthImms@covwarkpt.nhs.uk.

Kind regards,

School-Aged Immunisation Service
Children's Directorate
Coventry and Warwickshire Partnership NHS Trust
Tel: 02476 321550

VINTED UNIFORM

As part of the Government green policy, all schools are required to have a climate action plan by September 2025.

One of the actions we would like to do is re-using uniform as much of this ends up in landfill.

The staff are working their way through washing all of the current donations that have been kindly given to school because their child had left Y6 or because they have grown out of them.

Y6 will then take charge of this environmentally friendly initiative by displaying the donated clean uniform at the same time as ice-cream Friday. There will be a box for any donations so you could just do a straight swap as well as an honesty box if you just wish to buy items (suggested donation of 50p per item).

All proceeds will go toward the Y6 Leavers treat like the ice cream money but, more importantly, will support the environment through our climate action plan. ***The bonus of this is that you get to save money on uniform that your children grow out of really quickly***

Children who bring packed lunches

Following on from the previous information about our environmentally friendly initiatives at school, we do no longer have the capacity for children to be throwing away waste food and rubbish from packed lunches. We will therefore be asking all children who bring their own packed lunch to school to take any uneaten food and rubbish to be disposed of at home.

Thankyou for your support in this matter



You can view your child's attendance certificate 'live' through Arbor. If you need help logging into this, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Pick or Mrs Harvey.

OUR CURRENT ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGES FOR THE YEAR SO FAR ARE

Austrey
94.5%

Newton Regis
94.3%
(not including nursery as attendance is non statutory)

National is currently 94.5%

Newton Regis Nursery

I have been approached by a few parents about bringing their child to the nursery at Newton Regis. Just to clarify, we take children the term after they are 3. All children are entitled to 15 hours for which we offer 5 mornings. You can then apply for 30 hours if you are working which means you can add some or all afternoons.

We are currently full for this academic year and have a waiting list in case anyone leaves.

We are now full for 2025/26 academic year so if your child turns 3 in the summer of 2026 and you would like them to join our nursery in September 2026, please get in touch now to secure your place. We already have 8 of the 13 places filled!

Please get in touch with Mrs Pick at Newton (01827 830220 or office@newtonregis.bdmat.org.uk)

Please also get in touch if you would like to come and look around.

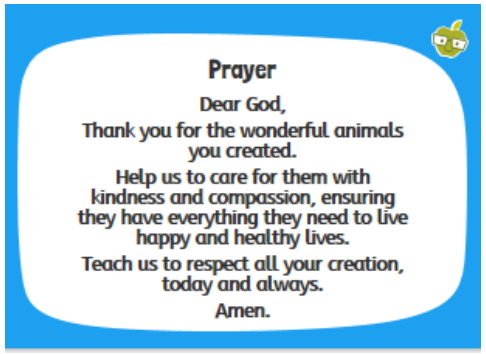
Values Lanyards

Date: 13.6.25	
Ducklings:	Arabella Hope
Wagtails:	James Forgiveness
Harlequin:	George Justice
Robins:	Belle-Rose Hope
King Eider:	Bella B Forgiveness
Owls:	Chester Forgiveness
Mandarin:	Emily B Community
Kingfishers	Maggie Community



Pupils of the week

Date:	13.6.25
Ducklings	Chloe
Wagtails	Rosie
Harlequin	Lissy
Robins	Ralfie M
King Eider	Pippa
Owls	Ollie
Mandarin	Millie
Kingfishers	Thea

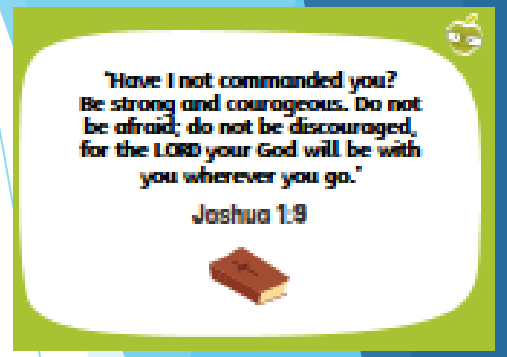


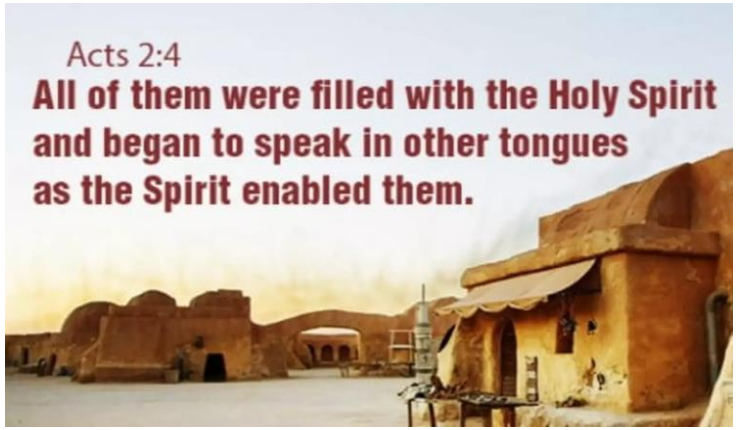
Collective Worship

During the last few weeks in Collective Worship, we have been learning about Trust through the story of Jesus Calms the Storm and Pentecost (seen as the birth of the Christian Church)

In Picture News we have been discussing the following questions

- **How does it feel to be the first to do something? (The Moon)**
- **What do animals need to be happy and healthy in zoos?**





Our music appreciation has been listening to pop music – 'Pick up the Pieces' by Average White Band and 'My Promise' by Earth, Wind and Fire



Dates for your diaries

- Thursday 26th June Y6 Leavers Service at Birmingham Cathedral
- Friday 27th June Austrey FACES quiz night at The Bird in Hand
- Wednesday 2nd July Warwickshire Y6/7 transition day
- Monday 7th July Y5/6 Leavers Play at Newton Regis 2.15pm
- Tuesday 8th July Y5/6 Leavers Play at Austrey 2pm
- Wednesday 9th July KS2 Athletics Event at Tamworth Stadium
- Monday 14th July Sports Day at Austrey 1.15pm
- Tuesday 15th July Sports Day at Newton Regis 1.15pm
- Wednesday 16th July Y6 Leavers treat (Lunch and bowling)
- Thursday 17th July Y6 Leavers service in the school halls: NEWTON REGIS 9.15am and AUSTREY 2.15pm
- Friday 18th July schools close for pupils

SUMMER TERM 2025	
Inset Day	Monday 28th April
Term starts	Tuesday 29th April
Half Term	Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May
Term ends	Friday 18th July
Inset Day	Monday 21st July

AUTUMN TERM 2025	
Inset Day	Monday 1st September
Term starts	Tuesday 2nd September
Half Term	Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October
Inset Day	Monday 3rd November
Term ends	Friday 19th December
SPRING TERM 2026	
Inset Day	Monday 5th January
Term starts	Tuesday 6th January
Half Term	Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February
Term ends	Thursday 26th March
Inset Day	Friday 27th March
SUMMER TERM 2026	
Term starts	Monday 13th April
Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May
Half Term	Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May
Term ends	Friday 17th July
Inset Day	Monday 20th July