

Friday 17th September 2021

The Clock



From **Miss Piper**

Time for the latest news:

Thank you to everyone who joined last night's parent meeting. I hope you found it informative and are looking forward to the year ahead as much as we all are – there are certainly lots of exciting plans in place!

Details will be sent out soon regarding school trips/visitors planned for this term's topics, which I know the children are looking forward to...

Time to Celebrate...



Miss Piper's Sparklers this week have been:

Phoebe R for positivity – nominated by Penny

A-LW Y2 for empathy and caring – nominated by Mrs Bates

Florence Y4 for creativity & love of learning – nominated by Miss Townsend

Lillie H Y5 for love of learning – nominated by Mr White

Bobby Y5 for helpfulness – nominated by Lottie

Lily M Y6 for kindness – nominated by Penny

Demi B Y6 for resilience & love of learning – nominated by Mrs Simpson

Cody-Jay Y6 for responsibility & kindness – nominated by Miss Piper

Cover Photo: An alien has landed!



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...In the meantime, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me and I will be able to answer any queries you have.

Kit out the Nation

Do you have any extra sports equipment or kit lying around? If so, 'Kit out the Nation' would like your support!

They are looking for everyday items of sports kit (clothing) and regular games equipment that a young person can use in an activity, such as balls, bats and rackets.

These donations will then go towards children and young adults who are not fortunate enough to have access to such items.

Miss Ferris has kindly volunteered to accept donations on behalf of the school and take them to the drop off point. She asks that anything be handed to her by Friday next week (24/09). Alternatively, I am also happy for you to drop anything off at school on the Thursday.

Thank you Miss Ferris!

Worry Wizard

This year, we will be extending the provision that is in place to support children's mental health & wellbeing and ensuring that this is explicit (as well as being present within everyday school life), through the introduction of wellbeing days. Our first one will take place on Monday, when a company called the 'The Worry Wizard' will be visiting school. They will be delivering an assembly to the whole school, as well as workshops to each class. In these workshops, they will be running activities to raise awareness, spark discussion and support children to develop strategies to deal with their worries. Their motto is: 'Helping children and young people move from **W**orries to **W**ellbeing'. I am sure it will be a fantastic day and an excellent experience for the children.



New Beginnings Church Service

Just a reminder about next week's church service at 2.30pm. Everybody is welcome and we look forward to seeing you there.

Teacher emails

Teachers will no longer be using the class email accounts that were created during lockdown for the children to send work into (@woodpeckerteacher etc). Please therefore email the class teacher in question. All teacher and pupil email addresses follow the same format but I have added them below for clarity:

Miss Piper

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Robins

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Woodpeckers

c.townsend@longford.derbyshire.sch.uk

Owls

e.piper@longford.derbyshire.sch.uk (for class specific matters)
n.white@longford.derbyshire.sch.uk
j.simpson@longford.derbyshire.sch.uk

Business Manager – Louise Jones

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If any of you are struggling to log into your child's email account, please just send me over a message so that it can be reset.

Next week:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
20	21	22	23	24
The Worry Wizard in school Swimming - WPs	Miss Harrison on gate duty	Mrs Hawksworth on gate duty PE - Robins & Owls	Commando Carl in & on gate duty	New Beginnings Church Service at 2.30pm – all welcome!

