SCHOOL MATTERS

THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FROM NEWTON POPPLEFORD SCHOOL

FRIDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2021

FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Another challenging half-term comes to a close! Thank you to everybody-parents, children, teachers and staff- for their valued contributions during these trying times. Have a safe half term break!

If possible, after half-term, could parents with children in Year 1 and 2 accompany them to their classroom. Unfortunately, staff are unable to greet children on the playground or at the Infant gate at this present time.

We have, finally, taken receipt of a small number of 4G routers from the Department of Education. These are intended to help those with no internet or an extremely slow connection to be able to access the school's online education provision. If you feel you fit either of these criteria please contact Mr Vaughan after half term.

NEWTON POPPLEFORD SCHOOL'S SPRING 2021 MENU

See page 3 for the new menu. It is also available to download from our website.

Jacket potatoes are available in addition to the main meal, but whilst school is only open to vulnerable and key worker children, no vegetarian option will be served.

For children in pre-school who attend a whole day, school meals are booked by emailing the school office on a weekly/half-termly basis. Payment is required in advance via the school gateway.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Our School Matters Extras can be found in the News Section on the front page of our school website. This week it includes newsletters from the Budleigh Salterton Literary Festival about free family events and from Scomis, our internet support team, about online safety.

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The Twilight after school club phone number is @07513269489

READING BOOKS ONLINE REMINDER

If your children are reading books on the coloured book bands, then there are a selection of books online that you can access.

The **Book Trust** (www.booktrust.org.uk) have a number of books that are free to all. **Vooks** (www.vooks.com) and **Epic** (www.getepic.com) both offer families 30 day free trials. Please continue to encourage your child/ren to keep reading every day. We really appreciate all your support and encouragement at home. Don't forget the World Book Day competition. See this week's extras on the website.

CAP UK

CAP UK is a Devon community project bringing parents/carers, school staff and children together to understand how to effectively reduce children's vulnerability to child abuse and build safer communities for children.

The mission of CAP (Child Assault Prevention) is to keep children Safe, Strong and Free. The website address is www.safestrongfree.org.uk

CAP works with the whole school community towards reducing children's vulnerability to abuse, equipping children with skills and strategies necessary to stay safe from harm in an ever-changing society. It helps towards encouraging them to grow up to be strong and confident young people, respecting their own and others' rights.

Please find below the 5 YouTube links to stories read by CAP team members.

https://youtu.be/JtAelM2CVSU

https://youtu.be/uNVGDKDbn54

https://youtu.be/oZp1FgHPPzE

https://youtu.be/rt8gO5B-6JE

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CAP UK hopes everyone enjoys the stories. These, along with other resources and updates, can be found on the CAP Facebook page. You can also follow CAP UK on Twitter.

Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/safestrongfree</u>

Twitter: @CAPUK_ssf

Website <u>safestrongfree.org.uk</u>

MESSAGE FROM THE PTFA

You can raise money for the school while online shopping! The school is signed up to Easyfundraising: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/newtonpopplefordprimaryschool/?invite=PDW6XH&referral-campaign=c2s and Amazon Smile https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/1015155-0 These portals will donate to the school for FREE every time you shop with them.

Macaroni cheese

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Spring roll

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Vegetarian Roast

Roast or creamed potatoes, seasonal vegetables, gravy American pancake & toffee

Margherita pizza

Pasta, wedges, seasonal vegetables

Toffee crisp crunch

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Raspberry ripple ice-cream

seasonal vegetables Saute potatoes, pasta goujons (DF)

Southern style chicken

Week 2



- Week 1
 - Spinach & chickpea frittata

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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

- M Hot dog with tomato sauce (DF)
- Pasta, seasonal vegetables
- Jam sponge

- Vegetarian chilli (DF)

- Summer crumble

M Carbonara pasta

- Crusty bread, seasonal vegetables

< Quorn cottage pie

Roast chicken & Yorkshire pudding (DF)

- Roast or creamed potatoes, seasonal vegetables, gravy
- Sugared ring donut
- M Steak & mushroom pie
- Vegetarian sausage (DF)

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Mexican burrito

Chips, pasta and seasonal vegetables

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Fish fillet (DF)

- Mash, new potatoes, seasonal vegetables
- Fruit jelly

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Home-made cookie/biscuit & fruit juice

- Pulled pork bap (DF)

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Roast loin of pork & apple sauce (DF)

Vegetarian burger bap (DF)

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- Pasta, potatoes, seasonal vegetables
- O iced carrot cake

Ζ Salmon Bites

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Cheese & onion pasty

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Chips, pasta, and seasonal vegetables

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Home-made cookie/biscuit & fruit juice

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- Ζ Home-made meatballs (DF)
- < Vegetable stroganoff
- Pasta, seasonal vegetables
- O iced sponge

Fruit smoothie

Roast or creamed potatoes, seasonal vegetables, gravy

- M Jumbo fish finger
- < Vegetarian quiche
- Chips, pasta and seasonal vegetables
- Home-made cookie/biscuit & fruit juice

Key to menu items:

Week 3

Garlic bread & seasonal vegetables

White chocolate short cake

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Oaty biscuit bake

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Rice, cous cous, naan bread, seasonal vegetables

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Vegetable nuggets (DF)

Homity pie

Roast gammon & pineapple (DF)

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Vegetarian wrap (DF)

Home-made lasagne

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Chicken tikka masala

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May 2021 ٤

April 2021

March 2021 ٤

February 2021

- M: Main

- V: Vegetarian

- D: Dessert

(DF): Dairy Free

Week 1











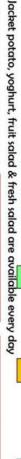






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