



School Matters

The Weekly Newsletter from Newton Poppleford School

Friday 19th June 2020

Welcome to School Matters, which is now appearing weekly.

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all safe and well. This week we have welcomed some of the year 1 cohort in as well as more children of Key workers. It is lovely to see lots more smiling faces around school. We are currently now looking at any more provision that we may be able to provide, to help us make this decision could I ask the following;

- Any parents of Key worker or vulnerable children who are not currently sending their children in, but will do so before the end of term please email the school admin address by Tuesday 23rd June. As currently we have very few spaces left in some groups.

Any parents of Year 1 children currently not attending, could you please email the school admin address if you feel you are likely to start sending your child in by Tuesday 23rd June.

Once we have this information we can look at any further children that we might be able to invite to be in school.

Following last night's Full Governing Body meeting, it has been decided that the end of term will now be Friday 17th July. This decision has been taken to give school staff additional time to prepare for September. We all hope that in September that we will be welcoming back all your children. Obviously we will have to follow whatever the government guidance is for schools in September, as a school staff we will also be looking at curriculum needs for September, so as to ensure all children are able to catch-up as quickly as possible and this time will be invaluable for this.

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The Twilight after school club phone number is ☎ 07513269489

Next week's school dinner menu

Monday 15 th June	Sausages
Tuesday 16 th June	Hunters' chicken
Wednesday 17 th June	Quorn Dippers
Thursday 18 th June	Bacon Baps
Friday 19 th June	Fish 'n' chips

Jacket Potatoes are available daily as well

Free Cygnet autism programme and autism help and resources for parents.

Attached to this newsletter and on the website as a news item are details of an online course run by Barnados. The Cygnet course is going to be run throughout the Summer and is open for the first time to families who are on the autism assessment pathway.

A reminder

Details of classes and teachers for September, we are currently planning for September and although we are not sure what we are planning for at this stage, the following are the teachers for each class;

Reception - Mrs Raffell

Year 1 - Mrs Hall and Miss Pulling
(although Miss Pulling will be on maternity leave for a period of time)

Year 2 - Miss Gaston

Year 3 - Mrs Singfield and Mrs Laureys

Year 4 - Mrs Turner

Year 5 - Mrs Bradley

Year 6 - Mr Morison