



NLS Newsletter

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Diary Dates 2022/2023



Autumn Term 2023- Monday 4th September-Friday 15th December

Half term- Monday 23rd-Friday 27th October

Flu vaccinations- 8th November

Individual photos-Friday 24th November



Spring Term 2024- Tuesday 2nd January-Thursday 28th March

Half term- Monday 12th-Friday 16th February

Summer Term 2024- Monday 15th April-Monday 22nd July

Half term- Monday 27th-Friday 31st May

Inset days Friday 24th May + Tuesday 23rd July

1 further Inset Day to be confirmed



Cut off dates for booking meals via ParentPay

September Cut off Dates
Thursday 15/9 for w/c Monday 26/9
Thursday 22/9 for w/c Monday 3/10
Thursday 29/9 for w/c Monday 10/10

October Cut off Dates
Thursday 6/10 for w/c Monday 17/10
Thursday 20/10 for w/c Monday 31/10
Thursday 27/10 for w/c Monday 7/11

November Cut off Dates
Thursday 3/11 for w/c Monday 14/11
Thursday 10/11 for w/c Monday 21/11
Thursday 17/11 for w/c Monday 28/11
Thursday 24/11 for w/c Monday 5/12

December Cut off Dates
Thursday 1/12 for w/c Monday 12/12
Thursday 22/12 for w/c Tuesday 3/1
Thursday 29/12 for w/c Monday 9/1

Please note when ordering meals for your child: DO NOT book a trips packed lunch. This is only for schools who offer a Chartwells packed lunch for day trips and does not mean that your child will get a packed lunch provided at school.



Attendance winners

Every week we will be celebrating attendance.



The class with the best attendance this week is 1A.They had an amazing 100% attendance for this week!

Chartwells Festive Menu

Chartwells will be serving up their Festive menu here on Wednesday 6th December. This is now available to order on ParentPay. There is a choice of: roast turkey, potatoes & veg, and gravy- this can be ordered with or without sausage and stuffing. Veggie option is the same but with Quorn sausage. Dessert option is a snowy cupcake. Don't miss out!

Poppies

As always, North Lancing Primary School will be supporting the Poppy Appeal. Poppies will be on sale from Monday 6th November.

We have a selection of Poppy items. These are limited in number so we will be restricting sales to one "special" item as well as a poppy for each child at the start of the week. If there are still items for available towards the end, we will distribute the items as fairly as possible.



Suggested donations as follows:

Poppies 50p

Snap Bracelets and rubber bracelets £1

Reflective Poppy 50p

Zip tag 50p



Appear on the Pier

We have an exciting opportunity for children in years 4,5 & 6 to work with artists on a collaborative exhibition, (APPEAR on the PIER) to showcase students' artwork on Worthing Pier for 2 years.

Creative Waves' artists Nadia Chalk and Vanessa Breen will deliver the project by running creative workshops, inspiring students to work as a design team on an environmental theme, inspired by nature and the local environment.

The children's artwork will be photographed, curated and printed onto high quality vinyl, installed on the central window panels on Worthing Pier's walkway. Each school taking part in this project will have 4 panels of artwork. See below for photos of other schools' work.

There are 15 spaces available, if you would like your child to have one of them there is a cost of £35 which will cover

- Two Arts practitioners delivering a bespoke 2-hour workshop at school
- All workshop preparation and materials
- Photography, design and curation of artwork ready to print onto laminated vinyl and installation on the pier

If the project is oversubscribed, the students will be selected based on their attitude and enthusiasm in art at school.

Please let us know via Studybugs by Monday 6th November if you would like your child to attend!



Goalkeeping Training Session

Is your child the next Mary Earps? We are delighted to announce that we have an exciting opportunity open to both girls and boys in years 3-6 to take part in a one-off goalkeeping training session (to take place in school time) with a specialised goalkeeping coach from Southwater FC. Please let us know via Studybugs if your child would be interested in taking part.

Uniform

Now the weather has turned all children should now be in winter uniform. This is school cardigan/jumper, white school shirt (not polo shirt), and tie. Charcoal trousers/ navy skirt/ pinafore dress. Please can you ensure that all skirts are an appropriate length. Jewellery/nail varnish is not permitted. Could you please make sure that all long hair is tied back. Unless there is a proven medical reason for your child to be in boots, all children should be in black school shoes. Trainers and hoodies are only permitted on PE kit days. On PE days full PE kit should be worn; if your child is wearing shorts, please ensure that they are proper PE shorts of an appropriate length and not cycling shorts.

Staff will pick up non-appropriate uniform and will speak to the children. Parents will also be contacted.

It is well known that uniform in schools does make children feel part of the school community as a whole and we are proud that we have always had such lovely comments from members of the public when the children go out on trips saying how smart the children look. We do appreciate all your co-operation with this, but we also do realise that some families are struggling in this financial climate so please do come and speak to us directly if you are struggling. The PTA also run an online pre-loved uniform shop which you can go to by clicking on the following link: <https://www.northlancingpta.org/home/uniform-shop>

Reading

Progress in reading relies on regular practise. In lower school the Read, Write Inc phonics scheme is used to teach reading. Whilst the children are taught every day using this scheme, one-to-one practise does not take place at school. Please support your child in giving them the best chance of success by reading with them daily.

Thank you so for your continued support.

Barmy Bingo is back!

£5 per ticket payable in advance via ParentPay which is live now! (if you buying tickets for other people please let the PTA know who they are for on cnutbrown@northlancingpta.org so we can add to the entry list).

There will be a Tombola so if you have items you would like to donate please drop to the office, we would be very grateful!

Easyfundraising

We're using a great website called easyfundraising to help raise money for North Lancing School PTA. easyfundraising is the UK's biggest charity shopping site and will turn your everyday online shopping into FREE donations for us. Especially with Christmas coming up you can earn for the school while you shop!

All you need to do is sign up and shop via the easyfundraising website or App when you're shopping with over 7,500 brands including eBay, Tesco, Marks & Spencer, Just Eat and more!

Your online shopping won't cost you any extra and we would be really grateful for your donations. Please sign up by clicking on the following link:

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/north-lancing-school-pta?&utm_medium=Email-share&utm_source=Newsletter

PTA Website

We have a fab website dedicated to our PTA: <https://www.northlancingpta.org/>

Here you can find out latest news and events, know who the committee members are and how you can get involved, you can also purchase uniform from our online shop.

Check it out!

Pupil Achievements

Katie L earned her 11th Kyu certificate in Karate. She also earned a running medal for a 1k field run.
Isla R won Pianist of the Month at Piano with Susannah.
Arlo W won rugby Player of the Week at his rugby club.

Headteacher's Awards

Emmett M, James E-P, Presley-Rose P

Hot Chocolate Superstars

Marley S, Oliver M, Henry A, Edison B, Albie K, Lyra B, Jenson M, Millie F, Nabiha N, Elsie J, Hudson F



DRAMA KIDS, SUSSEX *Spring into Action!* SPRING TERM

Inclusive drama classes, delivering an award winning & nurturing curriculum. You'll love our friendly and welcoming academy almost as much as your child 😊. We are very excited to announce our developmental drama programme is coming to **North Lancing Primary School!**

WHEN? Tuesdays After-School 3.15 – 4.15pm Trial classes 21 + 28 November

WHO? Classes are open to all year groups

WHAT? Book now for your child's 2 x WEEK TRIAL. Special price just £10 for 2 weeks (50% discount)

Call Gareth (principal): **07980 607139** Email: sussex@dramakids.co.uk

Visit: WWW.DRAMAKIDSSUSSEX.CO.UK

OR complete this form now! <https://www.dramakidssussex.co.uk/enrolment-form/>

The logo for ADUR Outdoor Activities Centre features the letters "ADUR" in a large, bold, orange font. Inside the letters are small icons: a person with a bow and arrow in the 'A', a person on a bicycle in the 'D', a person climbing in the 'U', and a person kayaking in the 'R'. Below the letters, the words "OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES CENTRE" are written in a smaller, orange font.

Climbing Clubs start Saturday 4th November

Climbing Clubs run Saturdays during term time for age 4 - 16 yrs

Climbing is a great way to stay active, building confidence and skills.

A photograph of a person climbing a grey rock wall. The person is wearing a white tank top, black leggings, and a climbing harness. They are using colorful handholds and footholds to ascend the wall. A yellow rope is visible on the wall.

Book Here !
<https://www.adurcentre.org.uk/climbing>

To book click on the link below:

[Book Now](https://www.adurcentre.org.uk/climbing)



BARMY BINGO

Friday 24th November

7pm School Hall

£5 per ticket (only payable on parentpay in advance)

BYO Alcohol, Drinking Vessel and Snacks

Prizes for for a line and full house & Tombola

Numbers are limited!

This event is for Adults only

GET READY TO FLAP YOUR BINGO
WINGS WITH OUR SPECTACULAR
NEW HOSTS