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Mears Ashby C of E Primary School

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Value : Love

Corinthians 13:4-7 Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Wrap-Around Care

Breakfast Club

Our breakfast club is run between 8am –8.45am each morning in the hall to allow for children to be dropped off that bit early to allow parents to get into work on time or get to early appointments. The children get to eat a breakfast of either cereals or toast/muffin/bagel and afterwards they play inside or outdoors before filtering off to the classrooms at 8.45am for registration.

Breakfast Club can be booked 48 hours in advance on ParentPay and costs £4.00 per session.

After School

Our After School Club is ran by Athena Activities and can after school sessions run from 3.30pm –4.30pm daily.

There is an array of activities on offer including; performing arts, tag rugby, dodgeball, basketball, baking, arts and crafts and football. Bookings can be made online at www.athenaactivities.co.uk and sessions start from £4.75 per hour. There are also early bird booking discount as well as Sports Premium and Pupil Premium discounts available.

Visit www.athenaactivities.co.uk or email: enquiries@athenaactivities.co.uk or call: 07399595022.

Also please see the flyer attached to this newsletter for the full timetable of activities.

Athena also provide Holiday Club Activities.

Parking

Please can you remember to be considerate with your parking around the village at dropping off and pick up times. One resident complained to the school the other day saying they couldn't get off their driveway due to a vehicle being parked across it, blocking her exit. Please be mindful of the residents in the village at all times and please park safely and try not to cause a obstruction to other road users.

Thank you.

Average Attendance - 2023- 2024

Ladybirds: 97.12%

Otters: 93.56 %

Hedgehogs: 94.89%

Dolphins: 91.88%



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Stars of The Week -

6th - Mourya, Albert and Ryan

13th- Anabelle, Arabella and Nikolas



Hope Centre Donations

Thank you for your generosity with all the food donations for the Hope Centre in Northampton's Food Bank Appeal.

We received a great response from everyone.

Mental Health Care Number for the County

If you are looking for mental health support advice there is a new number to call for the county. The NHS helpline that is available 25/7. Call on 0800 448 0828. The flyer explaining more about this helpline can be found attached to this newsletter.

Dates for The Diary

Last Day of Term - Friday 20th October 2023

First Day back - Monday 30th October 2023

Open Day Tours - Monday 30th October 2023 - 1.15pm - 2.45pm

Temple Visit—Hedgehogs & Otters - Thursday 2nd November 2023

FOMAS—Fireworks Display - Cricket Club, Mears Ashby, Thursday 2nd - 6.30PM

Service of Remembrance at the Church - Friday 10th November - 10.30am - 11.30am

Individual portraits - Tempest Photograph - Tuesday 14th November -AM

Children in Need—Friday 17th November

Dolphin's Mosque Visit - Tuesday 28th November - AM

Parents Evenings - Tuesday 28th November & Thursday 30th November -PM

The Mental Health Number



0800 448 0828

For local support and services give the countywide Mental Health number a call, anytime of the day or night.

The number is 0800 448 0828.

Lines are free and available 24 hours a day, seven days a week for urgent mental health support. Our Mind navigators are available for signposting and advice about local services from 8am-8pm.

More information

NHFT and Northamptonshire Mind's 24/7 mental health support number is here for you and has been designed as a single point of contact for simplicity and ease of access. Call one number for all your mental health needs in the county. Trained staff will help you find the right support, whether it's from the NHS, the voluntary and community sector, or advice over the phone.

It's open to everyone in Northamptonshire, regardless of whether they're currently receiving mental health treatment. Existing service users can use the number to contact their support service and speak to someone out of hours, while healthcare professionals can refer their patients to services for support.



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Dolphins enjoyed an afternoon of printing



The school councillors ran a successful Coffee Morning for Macmillan that raised £135.36.



Breakfast Club - Enjoying a bagel to start the day.



Football is just one of the sports available at after school club



Had a great response to the Food Bank Appeal for the Hope Centre
Here is three of our school counsellors with all the donations.