

# Newsletter

<u>School</u> <u>Rules</u>

- 1. Be safe
- 2. Be kind and respectful
- 3. Be ready

<u>School</u> Values

Kindness

Courage

Loyalty

Every week we want to celebrate some of the amazing achievements of our pupils.

Class	Star Writer	Star Problem Solver	Silver Cup
Turtles & Dolphins	Grace	Arabella	Oliwer
Octopus and Stingrays	Rou	Nevarro	Maisie
Seahorses	Jasmine	Muaad	Arizona
Starfish	Jacob	Freya	Emma
Lobsters	Daisy-Mae	Kirill	Kaison
Sealions	Khalan	Jennuh	Radith

	Star of the Week	
3 Maple	Durvish	
3 Oak	Esme	
4 Cherry	4 Cherry Daniel-Luke	
4 Willow	Dolly	
5 Birch	Olha	
5 Rowan	Noah	
6 Pine	Emy	
6 Ash	Sienna	

## Weekly Update

It was lovely to see so many of you attending the Parental Consultation Evenings this week. If you were one of the parent / carers who were unable to keep your appointment, please can you speak to your child's teacher to arrange another mutually convenient time. Just before Christmas we will send out a report that will give you the most up-to-date information on where your child is compared to 'Age-related expectations.'

One of our aims as a school is to introduce our pupils to lots of different experiences so that they get a taster of possibilities for the future. This week and next week, every child will have the opportunity to have a taster Taekwondo session with Jason who currently runs clubs on both sites. Thank you Jason for taking the time out of your busy schedule to share your expertise with our pupils. We may have some budding stars of the future!

Equipping Children for a World of Possibilities

Date	Grenville Site Infant	Cornwallis Site Junior	Both
Tuesday 12th November	Year 3 & 4 Tae Kwon Do taster session		
Wednesday 13th November		Year 5 & 6 Tae Kwon Do taster session	
Friday 15th November			Children in Need Day
Monday 25th November		Open events 9.30am 5.00pm	
Friday 29th November	Reception Vision Screening		
Saturday 7th December	Christmas Experience		
Tuesday 10th December		Pantomime on Site	
Thursday 12th December	Reception 9.10am Family Performance of Nativity		Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 13th December	Reception 9.10am Nativity Performance		
Monday 16th December	2.00pm Year 1&2 Christmas Performance	5 Days of Advent	
Tuesday 17th December	9.10am Year 1&2 Christmas Performance	5 Days of Advent	
Wednesday 18th December		5 Days of Advent	Christmas Lunch
Thursday 19th December	Warwick Arts Centre Trip	5 Days of Advent	
Friday 20th December		5 Days of Advent	
Monday 23rd December to Monday 6th January 2025			Christmas Holidays
Monday 6th January			INSET DAY

#### **Christmas Events**

Please look carefully at the diary dates for upcoming Christmas Events. For Reception we are holding two events. One is a family event to which you are welcome to bring along younger siblings if you wish. The second is for parents only and no younger siblings. Younger siblings are welcome at all other performances across the school.



#### Thank you

Thank you to everyone who attended the Fireworks at OL's Rugby Club. I would especially like to thank Friends of Henry Hinde who supported the event helping it to run smoothly.

An extra special 'thank you' goes to the following helpers who gave up their time so willingly. You are truly amazing!:

> Abby T Emily F Rhia B Addalyn P Thea F Esme A Isabelle A



#### **Children in Need**

On Friday 15th November we will be supporting Children in Need. All the children are invited to wear one yellow or spotty thing along with their school uniform in exchange for a suggested donation of £1 on ParentMail.



## **Calling all Year 2 Parents**

The application window for securing your child's Year 3 place is now open. Even if you are selecting Henry Hinde Junior School, you must still put in an application. The deadline is 15th January.

https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/ applying-junior-school-place

We would love to invite you to come and see the Cornwallis site. We have two Open Events:

Monday 25th November—9.30am

Monday 25th November—5.00pm



## **Friends Meeting**

Friends of Henry Hinde are having their next meeting on Tuesday 12th November at 7.30pm at The Caldecott Arms, Long Lawford.

Come along and join us to talk about all things Christmas!

Everyone is welcome!

## **Useful Websites**

Here are a few websites that the children can use to practice their Maths and English skills at home.

They are:

www.coolmath4kids.com www.ictgames.com www.topmarks.co.uk

Anti-Bullying Week



Next week in school we will be recognising Anti-Bullying Week. The theme this year is 'Choose Respect'. Linked to our school rule 'Be respectful and kind', we will be teaching the children the importance of showing respect to others. We will also be explaining how best to manage situations where other children may not be showing respect. Further information about this important week can be found at <u>www.antibullyingalliance.org.uk</u>



## Create • Learn • Enjoy • Discover

at our FREE drop-in holiday workshops and our Lost Decorations scavenger hunt!

## 21st December to 4th January



Find out more at www.ragm.co.uk



## Christmas Activities at Rugby Art Gallery and Museum

FREE Christmas tree decorations workshops hosted by The Price's Trust

The Prince's Trust will be delivering two after school creative craft sessions to create Christmas decorations for the Rugby Art Gallery and Museum Christmas tree. FREE drop-in. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Friday 8th November 3.45 - 4.45pm Wednesday 20th November from 3.45 - 4.45pm

#### Lost Decorations Hunt

In our festive scavenger hunt, can you help us locate the missing decorations from the Christmas tree? They've been scattered throughout the building, and we could really use your assistance in finding them. Submit your answers to enter our prize draw!

Saturday 21 December – Saturday 4 January (please check our website for Festive opening hours) Available during opening hours FREE, no booking required

#### **Festive Craft Creations**

In these self-led sessions, feel free to stop by and utilise our craft supplies to create your own festive artwork. Whether its card making or crafting pom poms, we have all the materials you need to unleash your creativity. Saturday 21, Tuesday 24, Saturday 28, Tuesday 31 December and Friday 2 January 10.30am – 3.30pm

FREE, no booking required

#### **Relaxed Hour**

Monday 23 December 10.30am - 11.30am

This session is primarily for neurodivergent children and adults, and any other visitors with sensory needs who prefer a more relaxed experience, plus their families, friends, and carers. Come along to explore the Local History Gallery and take part in a Festive themed creative craft activity.

FREE but booking required.

JOHN SLINGER MP'S CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

## Open to all primary school children in Rugby and the Villages

Please draw, paint or colour your design on an A4 sheet of paper but no glitter or stuck on pieces.

The competition closes 23rd November

Please return entries to John Slinger MP, Old School, Pennington Court, Rugby, CV21 2BB



Join us for fun festivals & activities this November at JAG! 2

Get ready for an autumn packed with exploration and excitement at JAG! Our Adventure Programme is kicking into high gear, and your children are invited on a thrilling journey of discovery as we celebrate special occasions, festivals, and unique days. But it's not just about the fun (although there's plenty of that)! Our Adventure Programme also helps children excel academically, build social skills, and develop emotional resilience.

This November, we're turning up the excitement with themed games and activities for these fabulous special days—don't let your little ones miss out on the fun!

- **Diwali:** We're celebrating the dazzling Festival of Lights through our Global Kids category, inspiring our children to become thoughtful global citizens!
- **Bonfire Night:** We'll light up Bonfire Night with thrilling activities from our Creative Inventors category, encouraging young minds to unleash their imagination through arts and crafts.
- **Remembrance Day:** We'll celebrate Remembrance Day with heartfelt activities from our Creative Inventors category, giving our little ones a beautiful way to learn and reflect.
  - **World Kindness Day:** Let's spread the love! We'll celebrate with joyful games and activities from our Wellbeing Warriors category, designed to boost happiness and mindfulness. Your child won't want to miss the chance to be a kindness champion!

• **Children in Need:** To support this amazing charity, we're hosting fun games and activities, which may include an exhilarating Children in Need Treasure Hunt from our Super Sports category! With playful problem-solving, Super Sports makes physical activities a blast while boosting health, body awareness, and wellbeing.

Don't let your child miss out on this incredible autumn adventure!

## Secure your spot here:

https://bookings.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/.

## Parent Support:

https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/parent-support/

## FAQ's:

https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/parent-support/frequently-asked-questions/

## **Payment Options:**

https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/parent-support/payment-options/.