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Norwood News



ASPIRE, RESPECT and ENJOY

Friday 20th October 2023

CELEBRATION TIME AGAIN FOR OUR READING CHAMPIONS



Year 4 children with their certificates and the Southport Summer Reading Challenge Cup

Norwood were delighted to present the Summer Reading Challenge certificates to those children who had joined the reading scheme over the Summer holidays and read six library books. The icing on the cake for Norwood was that we were presented with the Southport Summer Reading Challenge Cup AGAIN as we had read the most books of **ALL** Southport schools! Other news for the children was that by doing this challenge, they had earned themselves 10 credits for Children's University!

HISTORY COMES TO LIFE FOR CHILDREN IN YEAR 5

This week was a memorable time for Year 5 children with their Curriculum being enhanced by an expert visitor to learn about Vikings and answer the big question - How was life in Viking times different than our lives today? The Viking warrior shared his wisdom about how self-sufficient and intelligent the Vikings were. Throughout the day, Year 5 played some Viking games, weaved, ground flour, built part of a longship and dressed up in Viking clothes. As well as learning about runes (the alphabet), the children designed their own shield and learnt many more interesting facts. It was a scintillating day and the children loved every second of it, which has enhanced their enjoyment and interest in this fabulous period of history.

Great scary photos Year 5!



THE NEXT MENU is Week 3

See the Parents section of the school website for full details of the menu.



SO MUCH FOOTBALL AND SO MUCH FUN!

This week saw two of Norwood's football teams taking part in matches against other local schools. The school's 'B' and 'C' teams played their final round of matches in their leagues. The 'B' team won one game against Birkdale 2-0 (Flynn the scorer of both goals) and then lost 2-0 against Kew Woods B, who actually went on to win the league. Meanwhile the 'C' team also played two matches but were unfortunate to lose both matches 1-0 and 3-0 despite battling hard for much of the games. Now the first part of the season has ended, it means that the B team finished 3rd and head into the Hooton League, while the C team finished 5th and head into the Dumbell league with other teams that lost more games than they won. It will make the next matches in Spring all the more competitive with medals and a trophy at stake!!

B team: Harry J, Vinny H, Meredith, Kaelah R, Flynn A, Kane E, Harry V, Kerem A and Mason H

C team: Jackson J, Oliver P, Ira C, Joshua H, Sebastian T, Jaxon R, Thomas C, Mason G and Ollie A



TEAM AROUND THE SCHOOL

BRINGING SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES INTO OUR COMMUNITY

LAUNCH EVENTS

BISHOP DAVID SHEPPARD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Tuesday 31st October: 9 - 10.30am

MEOLS COP HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday 2nd November: 3.30 - 5pm



This is an exciting venture to improve our local community, so please put **Thursday 2nd November** in your diary for you all to find more information at the launch of this project with the 4 most local schools.

THERE'S A NEW MENU COMING

Sefton are starting a new school dinner menu in January and in order for **ALL** children to be given a look and taste of what's coming, every Wednesday will see small samples being made available.



The new menu, with all the new meals available from January, can be found in the Parents section on the website.

WELCOME TO A NEW LIBRARY

The Cornerstone Library at the Cornerstone Methodist Church on Marshside Road in Churchtown is the new community library.

There is a 'soft opening' period at the moment: Saturday 10.00 - 13.00, Tuesday 10.00 - 13.00, Wednesday and Thursday 10.00 - 16.00.

The official opening event will take place on **Saturday 28th October from 10am.**