

FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2019



Mile Cross Primary School

Working As One.



Nursery
children used all of their senses when hollowing out pumpkins this week.



Reception
enjoyed exploring Autumnal objects, especially when carving the pumpkin.



This week Year 1 continued learning about Instructional Texts using this story map. They all now know how to catch a bear. See if your child can tell you how to catch one using this photo.



Year 2 really enjoyed their Story Cafe this week. It was based on 'Pumpkin Soup' by Helen Cooper. We made an Autumn mobile, a 3D pumpkin and a spoon puppet. Thank you to all the relatives who came along!



Year 3 used natural materials to make Stone Age Shelters. We had made the plans before the holiday and had been looking forward to seeing if they worked.



After designing, creating and painting their Roman shields our **Year 4** Roman centurions used their shields to protect themselves from arrows during battle.



Year 5 had great fun jumping, throwing and bouncing at their PE Cafe this week. Thank you to all parents and carers who were able to join us.



Year 6 were visited again by Streety this week. The children were reminded about what to do in a critical event and how to administer CPR. Ask them about D.R.S.A.B.C.D.



Church Shoebox Appeal

Thank you to all that contributed towards St. Catherine's Church 'Link to Hope' Shoebox Appeal. We were able to contribute a massive 34 completed shoeboxes to poor and marginalised families in Romania, Moldova, Ukraine & Bulgaria.

Phoenix Centre half term free lunches

A huge thank you to Unite, Norwich Foodbank and the great number of volunteers who provided free lunches at the Phoenix Centre over half term. This is also planned to go ahead over the Christmas holidays

School Photos

If you'd like to make an order from the photo proofs that were sent home last week please bring the order form (with the proof) and money to the office by Friday 8th November. Thank you.

Golf

Hopefully you will have seen our new putting greens on the playground that are being used for target practice and, in time, for the children to master their hand/eye coordination in becoming brilliant golfers.

Could our next golfing champion start their journey at Mile Cross Primary?



Here are the Golden Ticket winners who were presented to the children last Friday. The winners each week will be a child from every class who has read at least 5 times a week, completed their homework (Reading or Times Tables), attended school all week (on time) and has an amazing 'can do' attitude towards their learning. Winners will have their photo in a frame outside their classrooms, be celebrated at the front of Monday's assembly and will join Mr Allen's Golden Table at 12pm for a special lunch with cake the following Monday.

Reception: Alice Fernandes Matos & Beatrix Pasque

Year 1: Rosie Walpole & Esmai Sturman

Year 2: Lyla-Jade Sutton & Kristupas Veselis

Year 3: Layla Empson & Clover Nash

Year 4: Zaine Agate-Terry & Amelia Berdychowska

Year 5: Nikita Louise Shipman & Ellie Tidman

Year 6: Krystal Faulkner & Sofia Lewanczyk

Children with 97% or more attendance will be invited to the end of term Attendance Reward trip. There are 72 school days this term. If your child misses two days of school this will be below 97%

Important dates and information...

Tues. 5th Nov. [8.45-10.30am]	Chatter Matters (Speech & Lang. workshop for KS1 parents and children - Studio)
Tues. 5th Nov. [All day]	Cross-Country Event - KS2 selected children - N.Walsham Rugby Club
Tues. 5th Nov. [1-3pm]	Nurtured Heart Parenting Course - Ruth Miskin Room
Weds. 6th Nov. [9-10.15am]	Year 3 Story Cafe - Mr Akerman's Class - Classroom
Thurs. 7th Nov. [8.35-9.15am]	Reading Thursday
Thurs. 7th Nov. [9-10am]	Sugar Smart Cafe - Yr 1 Parents/Carers - Studio
Thurs. 7th Nov. [9-10am]	Camouflaged Learning - Year 5 & Year 6 - Hall -1 hr for each class
Fri. 8th Nov. [9-10.15am]	Year 3 Story Cafe - Miss White's Class - Classroom
Mon. 11th Nov. [8.45-11am]	Story Makers Project (selected families)
Tues. 12th Nov. [9-10.15am]	Year 4 Story Cafe - Mr Pinner's Class - Classroom
Weds. 13th Nov. [P.M.]	Year 5 Greek Dancing Session
Weds. 13th Nov.	Norwich City Football Festival (Year 1)
Weds. 13th Nov. [9-9.30am]	Phonics Information Session for Year 1 Parents - Studio
Weds. 13th Nov. [2.30-3pm]	Phonics Information Session for Year 1 Parents - Studio
Thurs. 14th Nov. [9-10.15am]	Year 4 Story Cafe - Miss Barrett's Class - Classroom
Thurs. 14th Nov. [9-11am]	Nursery & Reception Open Day (for children starting Sept. 2020)
Thurs. 14th Nov. [1.15-3pm]	Nursery & Reception Open Day (for children starting Sept. 2020)
Fri. 15th Nov. [9-11am]	Year 1 PE Cafe (both classes) - Hall
Fri. 15th Nov. [9-12.30pm]	Year 5 Trip to Cinema City

Hot Dinners

Pasta King

Pick & Mix

Mon

Mac n' Cheese
(v) Crunchy Quorn Burger & Herb Diced Potatoes

Beef Bolognese
(v) Vegetable Bolognese

Wrap Sandwich or Baguette
(range of fillings)

Tues

BBQ Chicken Wrap
(v) BBQ Quorn & Sweetcorn Filled Jacket Potato

Bangers & Beans (v)
Tomato Sauce

Cut Fresh Salad Vegetables and Fruit

Wed

Sausage & Mash with Gravy
(v) Vegetable Quiche

BBQ Chicken
(v) BBQ Quorn

A snack (eg. Cheese straw, mini pizza etc.)

Thur

Roast Chicken & All the Trimmings
(v) Quorn Wellington & Gravy

Meatballs in Sauce
(v) Vegetarian Sausage Stew

Fruit Juice

Fri

Crispy Baked Fish Fillet & Chips
(v) Vegetarian Hot Dog Roll & Chips

Chicken Tikka
(v) Cheese Sauce

A Tasty Dessert

To year 5 and 6 children and families,

Thinking about the future?
What career do you imagine?



This is your chance to find out what opportunities exist and get an early glimpse of the world of work.



At The Phoenix Centre

Working with Mile Cross Primary School on a programme of information sharing around future education and employment, involving visits from a range of professionals and trips to different work -places.



Introduction session
Monday 4th November
At The Phoenix Centre
Mile Cross Road
3.30pm

Biscuits, cakes and drinks provided.
Children can come with parents or unaccompanied



'Work we are proud of!'



Have you seen the new display next to Mr Allen's Office?

We are always looking for new ways to celebrate the achievements of our children. This new display is updated weekly from every class with a piece of work from a child that has simply amazed us, showing improved progress, effort, concentration or handwriting.

The children are also commenting positively on each others work with 'Shout outs' - often on Post-It Notes across the school.

Will it be a photo of you that fills the spaces?