



16<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parents,

### **Autumn Information Letter 13**

#### **Congratulations Mrs Shoukry!**

Mrs Shoukry welcomed her new baby daughter, Sienna into the world last Friday at 1.19am. Both mother and baby are doing well and the staff have been sent some beautiful photographs! We wish Mr & Mrs Shoukry and their new arrival our very best wishes.

#### **Birthday Celebrations in School**

Last week, I shared this new initiative with you. We are looking forward to celebrating the birthdays of all the pupils with September, October and November birthdays on 27<sup>th</sup> November. Many thanks for your positive feedback about this activity.

#### **PTA-Reminders**

Many thanks to the PTA and other parents who are helping behind the scenes to organise a COVID friendly Christmas Event for the pupils. Some key dates:

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November- Wear a Christmas accessory in exchange for a chocolate treat contribution.

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November-Pocket Money Presents on sale in each bubble. Pupils will have an opportunity to buy a present for a family member for £1.00 that will be gift-wrapped at school. We have had some beautiful gifts as donations so parents you are in for a treat!

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December-Christmas Fayre (during the school day)

#### **Spirituality and Inter Faith Week November 2020**

The whole school had a fabulous time celebrating Inter Faith Week last week. Due to current national restrictions we were unable to have people from different faiths visit our school but we were very fortunate that they kindly offered to send us a video instead.

We asked Josh and Rachel who are Christian, Yvonne who is Jewish and Satya who is Buddhist ***"How does your faith inspire you to care for our world?"***

We started the week watching a clip of David Attenborough's 'A life on our Planet' which certainly inspired us to explore the sense of awe and wonder in the world and be inspired to be creative and imaginative.

Please view the 'gallery' page on the school website to see what the pupils have been up to and their responses to the week.



### Climb Mount Kilimanjaro Challenge

Miss Lewis has set herself the challenge of climbing Mount Kilimanjaro, virtually over the next 40 days. Her aim is raise awareness of ALL (Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia) whilst raising money for a former pupil of NJK who has the disease. Unfortunately, he was diagnosed in June this year and has been unable to work since. If you would like to find out more please visit:

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/virtual-mount-kilimanjaro-climb>

Lastly, if your child is having to isolate due to COVID please check the home learning pages of the school website for a guide to NJK's remote learning provision. Please update us immediately of any COVID test result outcomes by telephoning 01905 820420 during school hours and via [office@nortonprimary.worcs.sch.uk](mailto:office@nortonprimary.worcs.sch.uk) during the evenings and weekends.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Dean', written in a cursive style.

Mrs J Dean  
Headteacher