

# NEWSLETTER

12<sup>ND</sup> JAN 2024

ISSUE 16

## Headteacher Notice

Ten Ten RE Newsletter – Jan 2024 - <http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

### Virtues to Live by: Faith

*I know that Faith is a gift from God.*

*Faith helps me grow in friendship with Jesus.*

*I show my Faith by living my life filled with hope and love.*

*"For we walk by Faith, not by sight. " (2 Corinthians 5:7)*

### Happy New Year 2024

*Welcome back and Happy New Year. I hope that everyone was able to have a rest over the Christmas holiday period.*

### Weather

*The weather this week has not been the best. Please ensure children wear their coats especially next week as the forecast is for exceptionally cold temperatures.*

*Upcoming Parent Meeting dates with your child's teacher – Teachers will post on Class Dojo soon, please respond to them there to books appointment slots*

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### Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January

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## School Library

Our School Library is open after school each day. We encourage all children and adults to visit and use our wonderful books.

## Stars of The Week

- ★ **Owls**- Luca Joseph-Pancaro
- ★ **Owls**- Lorena Lutaaya
- ★ **Hedgehogs**- Braedan Sibanda
- ★ **Squirrels**- Oriana Deutchoua
- ★ **Badgers**- Ryan Yankey
- ★ **Otters**- Yoel Gebremichael
- ★ **Grenoside Woods**- Nathanael Yohannes
- ★ **Beeley Woods**- Divine Mbong
- ★ **Lees Hall Woods**- Hosanna Seleba
- ★ **Woolley Woods**- Elliot Bakambana
- ★ **Ecclesall Woods**- Nasrin Abdulaziz

## Golden Table - Hedgehogs & Grenoside Woods



## Notice from Mrs Fox

Welcome back everyone and a Happy New Year!

Due to popular demand on Friday's we will be doing Free Friday Hugs from now on as it seems lots of children, parents and staff look forward to a hug on a Friday. I will be having some little huggers helping me each week. So please do collect a hug on your way into school.

This week my helpers were Rapunzel, Elsa and Spiderman. With Sana joining in and encouraging everyone to get a hug. Well done guys!



### Online Safety Notice

There have been many conversations overheard about the use of social media this week. It is important we all work together to keep our young people safe online. This week we would like to point parents towards some information based around an app called Snapchat. This seems to be an app many of our children have access to so you may be asking yourself:

#### **Is Snapchat safe for my child?**

##### **What is Snapchat?**

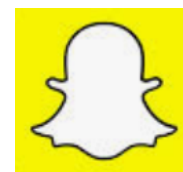
Snapchat is a popular messaging app that allows you to send images and videos to other users. These are known as 'Snaps'. One of Snapchat's unique selling points is that messages are normally only available for a short period of time and can only be viewed once.

##### **What age-rating is Snapchat?**

The platform is rated 13+.

##### **How does Snapchat work?**

The platform mainly operates as a messaging app where users can communicate with each other using videos and images. However, there are also other features available including private chat, games, and voice notes. You can also create short videos that can be posted to a public feed.



**For more information please see this NSPCC website:**

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/online-safety-blog/is-snapchat-safe-for-my-child/>

### Dates for the Diary

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### Afterschool Clubs

DAY	CLUB	TIME	START	FINISH
Monday	KS2 Dance	3:15 – 4:15pm	11/09/23	08/07/24
Wednesday	Y2 Karate Club	3:15 – 4:15pm	13/09/23	10/07/24
Thursday	Y3 & Y4 Girls Football Club	3:15 – 4:15pm	14/09/23	11/07/24

Weekly Attendance – Commencing 18<sup>th</sup> December

POSITION THIS WEEK	CLASS	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE%	WEEKLY POINTS	TOTAL POINTS	OVERALL POSITION
1	Ecclesall Woods	99%	9	102	1 <sup>st</sup>
Joint 2	Beeley Woods	98.1%	8	89	Joint 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Joint 2	Lees Hall Woods	98.1%	8	63	7 <sup>th</sup>
4	Grenoside Woods	97.8%	6	91	2 <sup>nd</sup>
5	Otters	97%	5	67	5 <sup>th</sup>
6	Squirrels	95.7%	4	65	6 <sup>th</sup>
7	Woolley Woods	95.6%	3	89	Joint 3 <sup>rd</sup>
8	Hedgehogs	93.4%	2	61	8 <sup>th</sup>
9	Badgers	91.7%	1	55	9 <sup>th</sup>

Logo Leisurewear Ordering

Order School Uniform using the following link: <https://logoleisurewear.com/product-category/schools/schools-st-patricks-primary/>

Gratefulness Board



Leo designed this Stone Age project to show how Cave Men survived. There was a Cave Man hunting a Woolly Mammoth, a Father & Son making hand axes & some Cave Men cooking fish on the fire. Fantastic work & a Brilliant design!



More achievements for Alina and Zahra at their dance presentation, medals and a trophy for hard work. Happy girls!