



St Swithun's News

Week ending September 10th 2021

St Swithun's C of E Primary Academy's Vision

**Love bears all things
Believes all things
Hopes all things
Endures all things**
(1 Corinthians 13:7)

**Our focus Core
Value for this half
term is
THANKFULNESS**



This week's Thankfulness certificates have been awarded to:

Nursery: Nellie

Reception: Archie

Clumber: Florence and Angel

Rufford: Taylor-Rose and Mija

Newstead: Olivia and Olivia



Meet the Teacher Evenings – Tuesday, 28 September and Wednesday, 29 September

Our Meet the Teacher Evenings take place on Tuesday, 28 September and Wednesday, 29 September as follows:

Tues 28th Sept:

1515-1545: Newstead
(Years 5&6)

Wed 29th Sept:

1515-1545: Clumber
(Years 1&2)
1545-1615: Rufford
(Years 3&4)

These sessions will be a great opportunity to meet your child/ren's Class Teacher/s and find out more about the curriculum, learning activities, reading strategies, class routines, roles and responsibilities, homework etc...
Each class presentation will take place in the Main Hall and start at the time specified. There is no need to make an appointment.

THANK YOU to the Elizabethan Academy:

We are delighted that the teaching partnership that we built with The Elizabethan Academy in the summer term has been extended into this year. We welcome Mrs Withall to St Swithun's. Mrs Withall is an English specialist and teaches Years, 7, 9 11 and 12. She will be teaching our children in Newstead English with Mrs Preece on Wednesday mornings throughout the year.

RETFORD OAKS PE

We place a great value on PE at St Swithun's and every child receives 2 hours of high quality PE every week. We are lucky to have the Retford Oaks PE team teaching and providing

professional development again this year so that we can extend the PE curriculum and range of sports that we offer to all of our children.

PE KITS: You can now buy our white PE T-shirts with the ST Swithun's log from the online store 'Brand Savvy' at a starting cost of: £5.25.

Inter school sports through Bassetlaw School Games

We will be taking our sports teams to competitions as soon as these start again so please look out for more information on your child's class dojo page.

After School and Lunchtime Enrichment Clubs – starting w/c Monday, 20 September

Our After School and Lunchtime Enrichment Clubs will now start on the week commencing Monday, 20 September as follows:

Day	Lunch Time	Lead Person	Year Group	After School 1515-1545	Lead Person	Suitable for
Monday	Eco council	Mrs Ogden	Elected children-led by Rufford			
	School council	Mrs Preece	Elected children-led by Newstead			
	Ethos group	Mrs Thomas	Years 2,3,4,5,6			
Tuesday						
Wednesday	Staff training					
Thursday						
	Choir	Mrs Ogden	Years 1&2	Choir	Mrs Ogden	Years 3,4,5,6
	Take 5 Breathing	Miss Ranson		Computing	Mr Harris	Years 5 & 6
				Signing	Miss Ranson Miss Wilson	Years 1&2

Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. **Please email the office (office@st-swithuns.snmatt.org.uk) with your child's name, the name of the club they want to take part in and the name and contact number of the person collecting your child after the club.**

Breakfast Club:

Breakfast club is now back on from Mon to Fri every week from 0800-0845. It is led by Mrs Godbehere and Mrs White and will be held in the school hall and the Rainbow Room.



Census Day – Thursday, 7 October

Our next Census Day takes place in school on **Thursday, 7 October**. This day determines the amount of funding school receives so please encourage your child to have a school dinner that day, especially if they are eligible for Universal Free School Meals (all Reception through to Year 2 children)



The Census Day menu will be Roast Beef Dinner with Honey & Oatmeal Cookie for dessert.



What's going on in school...

Please visit our class pages for photos what we're learning...

[https://www.st-](https://www.st-swithuns.notts.sch.uk/topic/children)

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The St Swithun's school team wishes you a blessed and peaceful weekend.

