



PE AT ST NEOT SCHOOL

Thank you to all who have taken the time to answer our survey. Parents have said: 'The amount of sport offered in PE lessons is excellent', 'Lots of choices for children to try something new in school', 'Sports day has a lovely atmosphere and all children participate'.

The Government aims for PE provision in schools to ensure that all pupils :

- Develop competence to excel in a broad range of physical activities
- Are physically active for sustained periods of time
- Engage in competitive sports and activities
- Lead active and healthy lives

We believe we provide outstanding PE:

- We provide a minimum of 2 hours curricular PE each week
- Many extra-curricular sports activities including Archery, Football, Netball, Hockey, Ball skills
- We take part in competitions including the Arena Football League, Cross Country, Areas Sports
- We have earned both the AfPE and Sainsbury's Gold Awards
- We use our Sports Premium to introduce new sports such as roller skating, African Dance, Skateboarding, Archery, Surf Safety

Next week we will introduce you to our sports coaches.



BOOK FAIR

Thank you so much to all who came and supported our book fair this week. We have been able to buy over £100 worth of books for the library. The winners of the competition were: Scarlett, Lilly, Joseph and Becky and Abi. Well done and thank you to all the children who entered the competition, there were some incredible entries.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

What a lovely afternoon! We hope you enjoyed learning about the Harvest Bun, seeing the Enormous Turnip finally being pulled up, and listening to poems about Autumn. The Harvest Table looked incredible, we'll let you know the total raised soon. Many thanks to the Mander family who helped staff bring equipment back to school, your help was invaluable.

FOOTBALL TEAM NEWS

We are looking forward to the start of the new football league. This year's team are: Charlie W, Tristan Kerenza B, Jacob E, Jessica E, Jake and Alex. The first match is on Monday against Quethiock.

NURSERY NEWS

The theme next week is Weather. The letter sound of the week is 'i'. The book we will be reading is 'The Rainy Day'. Please refrain from bringing children's own toys in, only items related to our theme for show and tell on Thursday and Fridays only. Thank you.

NON-UNIFORM DAY

Don't forget non-uniform day on Thursday 5th October. £2 per child please, all money raised is going to the NSPCC.

PARKING OUTSIDE SCHOOL

We are once again having reports of inconsiderate parking outside the school at the beginning and end of the day. Can we please ask you to take care when driving and parking around the school and in particular:

HEALTHY SNACKS

Can we ask that children bring only healthy snacks for breaktime; fruit, carrots, breadsticks etc. This helps encourage concentration and alertness. Thank you.

- Don't park on the zig-zag lines
- Don't park across neighbours driveways
- Don't turn or park by the school gate
- Don't ride up on the paths

PHOTOS

Our school photographer will be in school next Friday. If you would like a photo taken with siblings who do not attend our school please be here by 8.45am, thank you.

This is for all the children's safety, including yours. The JRSOs will be monitoring parking over the coming weeks. Thank you.

PANTOMIME

Please return your child's permission slip for the pantomime with payment by Friday 6th October. This is so that we can confirm the number of tickets we need with the Theatre Royal, thank you.

MP VISIT

We were pleased to welcome Sheryll Murray MP to school on Wednesday. Mrs Murray took part in an assembly about school milk



PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Thank you to everyone who attended parent consultations this week. Please remember that staff are always happy to talk to you as the need arises.

Congratulations to former pupil Alex who gained A*s in A-Level Maths, Further Maths & Physics and A in Chemistry. He is now studying for a Masters degree in Natural Sciences at Durham University.