

Twiss Green Newsletter

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myHappymind

All classes have begun taking part in myHappymind sessions this term following a successful trial of the program last year. myHappymind is backed by the NHS, teaches children all about how to create positive wellbeing and is grounded in the latest science and research. It is taught across five modules and each introduces a new set of content and habits to help children build resilience, self-esteem and confidence: Meet Your Brain, Celebrate, Appreciate, Relate and Engage. You can find out more about myHappymind here.

Sent out with this newsletter is a letter explaining how you can access free parent resources and find out more about the program. Please do have a look and ask your child what they have been learning about!



Coffee Morning—Dyslexia Focus

On Thursday 14th December at 9am, we are holding a coffee morning for family members who have a child with dyslexia, or are concerned that their child may be displaying dyslexic traits. It will be attended by Debbie Lea, who is a dyslexia tutor currently working with some of our children across school. Debbie will be able to offer advice, support and strategies to help with any concerns you may have about your child. Mrs Hughes, Miss Dunn and Mrs Puckey will also be there to answer any questions. All are welcome and we look forward to seeing you there.

We will be holding a further 'coffee afternoon' in the spring term, attended by ADDvanced solutions. ADDvanced Solutions provide support for young people and their families living with neurodevelopmental conditions, learning difficulties and associated mental health needs. A date and time will follow once confirmed.

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Autumn Term Diary Dates

Please see below for our autumn diary dates so far. We will update this list regularly, adding any additional dates—keep an eye on it in each newsletter!

Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th November	Parents' Evenings
13th—17th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Monday 13th November	Odd Socks Day
Tuesday 14th November	Rock Kidz assembly and workshops for all children
Wednesday 15th November	Academy Photography in school to take individual and sibling photos
Friday 17th November	Children can come into school wearing something spotty in return for a donation to Children in Need
Tuesday 28th November	Year 2 visit to the Christmas journey at All Saints Church
Wednesday 29th November	Parents/carers of children in Reception and KS1 are invited to join their child in class to make a Christmas decoration, 2pm
Wednesday 29th November	Year 6 trip to Crucial Crew Child Safety Event
Thursday 30th November	Parents/carers of children in KS2 are invited to join their child in class to make a Christmas decoration, 2pm
Friday 1st December	Year 3 sunshine Assembly, 2.30pm
Wednesday 6th December	Reception and KS1 Christmas performance, 9.30am
Thursday 7th December	Reception and KS1 Christmas performance, 6pm
Friday 8th December	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day
Tuesday 12th December	Coffee, Cakes and Carols
Thursday 14th December	Coffee morning—dyslexia focus
Thursday 14th December	Year 1 trip to Warrington Museum
Date to be confirmed	KS2 Carol Service
Wednesday 20th December	Reception and KS1 Christmas Party Day
Thursday 21st December	KS2 Christmas Party Day

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Christmas Events

We can't believe how close we are to December already! Please look out for a letter sent home soon which will contain more details about our Christmas dates and events.

Anti-Bullying Week

A reminder that next week is Anti-Bullying week. We will begin the week by inviting children to come into school wearing odd socks on Monday to help us celebrate what makes each of us different and unique. On Tuesday, children are invited to dress up as rock stars so that we can once again learn some important messages whilst having a fantastic time with Rock Kidz! We will be having a whole school assembly and workshops for each class, kindly funded by our PTFA.



Children in Need

We will be marking Children in Need on Friday 17th November by inviting children to come into school wearing something spotty instead of their school uniform in return for a donation to Children in Need. Year 6 will also be selling Children in Need merchandise from Monday if your child would like to buy something such as a keyring or headband.

NSPCC PANTS

Next week, all children will be taking part in an NSPCC PANTS lesson in class. Please see letter sent out with this newsletter for information.



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