



Weekly News Finnmere C of E Primary School

One family rooted in love, growing and enabling all to flourish

Our school values are Kindness, Honesty and Perseverance.

Love does not delight in evil, but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Corinthians 13:6-7

Friday 29th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

The sunshine has been a welcome end to the week and the children have enjoyed being outside this lunchtime.

We have had few broken water bottles in the last few days. Can we ask those children who will be going on the residential trip in a few weeks have a robust water bottle.

This afternoon we have announced who our Team Captains and Vice Captains are. Well done to Rory, Michael, Jemima, Orryn, Annelay and Isaac. The staff were very impressed by the applications and interviews from all the children who applied, it was a really difficult decision.

Our Harvest Festival this year is on Wednesday 18th October at 9am. All parents and relatives are invited to join us at Finnmere Church for the service. Children who would normally attend breakfast club on that morning, will walk to the church with staff. All other children are all to go straight to church with their parents and meet us there. We will then walk back to school together following the service. We will send this information again nearer the time, but do ask if you have any questions as it is a different process to previous years.

Mrs Law

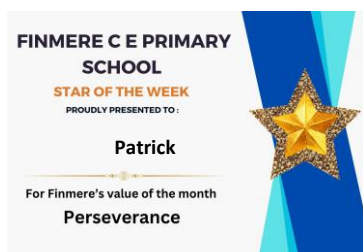


Stars of the week

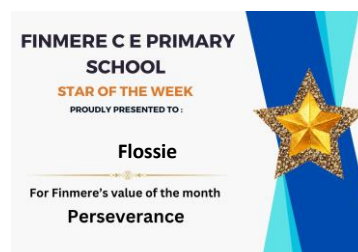


This month's School value is perseverance

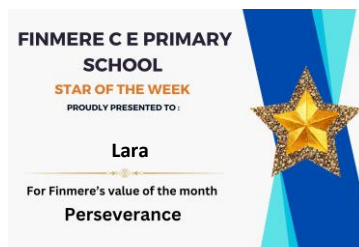
Willow










Maple



Redwood



Diary Dates

DATE		EVENT	DETAILS	REMINDER
MONDAY		Multi Skills Club	Multi Skills Club Focusing on engaging in various sports and acquiring new skills. https://parents.s4aclub.co.uk/school/finmere-primary/after-school-clubs	Booking open
TUESDAY		GIRLS Lunchtime Brackley Town Football Club Session	GIRLS FOOTBALL FOR ALL YEARS R - 6 Link – After School Football Clubs - Brackley Town FC Player Development Centre (brackleytownfcpdc.co.uk)	GIRLS Booking open
WEDNESDAY		Oxfordshire Music Lessons	After school music lessons 3.10 – 3.50pm	Contact the school to start lessons if not previously enrolled.
THURSDAY		BOYS Lunchtime Football Club Session	BOYS FOOTBALL FOR ALL YEARS R - 6 Link – After School Football Clubs - Brackley Town FC Player Development Centre (brackleytownfcpdc.co.uk)	
UPCOMING DIARY DATES				
WEEKLY		School Lunches	Orders for lunch need to be done through Arbor. Meals need to be ordered by midday one week in advance of the date required.	Ordering deadline
DAILY		Wraparound Care	Breakfast Club opens at 8am After School Club 3.10 – 5pm	Please book via Arbor
DAILY		Preschool	Monday – Friday. 8.45 – 3.15	Please contact school office for session availability

School term dates can be found on our website: <https://www.finmere.oxon.sch.uk/parents/term-dates>



FINMERE C E SCHOOL PLANNER

SEPTEMBER

21st - World gratitude day
27th - Individual photos (all preschool invited)

OCTOBER

3rd - Flu immunisations
6th - National poetry day
Parents maths workshop TBC
-Parents early reading workshop TBC
17th - recycling week
18th -Harvest festival 9.00 at church (parent invited)

NOVEMBER

Wk beginning 6th - parent evenings (all year groups)
9th - School remembrance (children visit church)
10th - world science day
13th - world kindness day
13th - world nursery rhyme day (Willow)
13th - Anti-bullying week
17th - Children in need
20th- Road safety week

DECEMBER

13th - Willow and Maple Nativity (3.15 at school parent invited)
13th - Redwood Christmas around the tree (6pm at school parents invited)
20th - Christingle at church (2pm at church parents invited)

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

5th - Children's mental health week
7th - Safer internet day
Wk beginning 26th - parents evenings

MARCH

7th - World book day
Week beginning 25th - Easter experience
28th -Easter service (2pm at church parent invited)

APRIL

22nd - World earth day

MAY

Week beginning 13th - Year 6 SATS week
22nd - Pentacost

JUNE

20th -Sports day (parents invited)

JULY

23rd -Year 6 leaver's service (2pm at church all parents invited)

Please note all events are subject to change, but we will inform parents as soon as possible.

School lunches Week 2

WEEK TWO

WEEK COMMENCING

September 11th December 4th
October 2nd January 15th
November 13th February 5th

MONDAY

Ham Carbonara with Fusilli Pasta
with Green Beans and Carrots
Margherita Pizza
with Homemade Jacket Wedges, Green Beans and Carrots

Apple Flapjack

TUESDAY

Chicken Fillet with Katsu Curry Sauce
with Mixed Rice, Peas and Carrots
Cheese and Onion Whirl
with New Potatoes, Peas and Carrots

Feathered Raspberry Sponge

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken with Yorkshire Pudding
with New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables, Savoy
Cabbage and Gravy

Quorn Chicken Pieces in a Yorkshire Pudding
with New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables, Savoy
Cabbage and Gravy

Jelly with Fruit

THURSDAY

Beef Burger in a Soft Roll
with Jacket Wedges, Coleslaw and Sweetcorn
Veggie Burger in a Soft Roll
with Jacket Wedges, Coleslaw and Sweetcorn

Lemon Shortbread

FRIDAY

Oven Baked Fish Fillet
with Tomato Ketchup
with Chips or Pasta and Peas and Baked Beans

Crispy Quorn Dippers
with Chips or Pasta and Peas and Baked Beans

Iced Fruit Smoothie

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Other news and events



Thursday 14th September 2023

Finmere C of E School
Mere Road
Finmere
Buckingham
MK18 4AR

Dear Resident,

Connection to Main Sewer – Euro Garages, Mere Road, Finmere, MK18 4AR

Euro Garages have instructed RA Dalton to install a new foul sewer pipeline. It will be installed from the Euro Garages' site, along Sandpit Hill, with the foul connection on Mere Road (please see site map enclosed).

The chosen method of installation is directional drilling along Sandpit Hill from the site along to the junction on Mere Road. This is a technique where we drill a small diameter tunnel underneath the road and then a pipeline is pulled through. Our expert technicians use a specialist directional drill head to navigate their way through the ground, controlling the depth and angle, to the agreed connection point. We will then be open trenching the rest of the route to avoid both gas and electricity lines underground. RA Dalton engineers will then install a chamber and connect to the foul sewer via open excavation. Please find enclosed a copy of our site plan.

RA Dalton will carry out the works in question from the 25th of September for 20 working days. These works have been approved by Oxfordshire Council, Buckinghamshire Council and Anglian Water. The traffic management on Mere Road will be 2-way traffic lights for the connection to sewer and 3-way traffic lights for the excavation works. The directional drilling works on Sandpit Hill will also be under 2-way traffic lights.

Our contact details are above, and the Contracts Manager is Rob Schofield.

We thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation during these essential works.

If you have any questions regarding these works, we will be happy to answer any of your concerns. Please contact our QHSE team on 01388 418233 or QHSE@radalton.co.uk

Thanking you in advance,
RA Dalton on behalf of Euro Garages.

All correspondence to Head Office Address above

OFFICES ALSO AT: CROOK: TEL: 01388 418445 EMAIL: service@north@radalton.co.uk
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- End of term presentation for family and friends



— I'm very impressed by the thoughtful way each session is run. It is great to know that Ethan is not just being 'entertained' for the hour but proactively being taught new life skills. Kate Whyley



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