

Little Sutton C of E Primary School

8th October 2021

We plant the seeds, but God gives the harvest.

CLASS OF THE WEEK: OWLS

Hello! We're the newest members of the school and we're ready to tell you all about our first half term at Little Sutton School. We've been busy. We've been making new friends, exploring the woods, enjoying school dinners, building, drawing, crafting...you name it, we've done it.

This week, somebody has been sneaking into our classroom when school is closed. At first, we thought it might be Santa or his elves, but the white dust wasn't snow 'because it didn't melt'. We thought it might be sugar but it 'doesn't have crystals in it' - we're scientists in the making. The visitor left us some books to read. They were all about baking and one was the story of a man made of gingerbread. We looked at all the clues and we think it might be Gingerbread Man who's sneaking in.



NEWS

THE LONDON MARATHON - A WALK IN THE PARK FOR MRS THOMAS

"Thank you for your very generous donations to the Alzheimer's Society, a charity close to my heart. Our Little Sutton team raised over £160 at our mini marathon which was great fun and has maybe inspired some to run the London Marathon when they're older. In total I've raised in excess of £1200 in memory of my Mum. I had a fantastic day on Sunday. The run went well, the sun shone and I had a great support team. Thank you once again. I'm really touched by your kindness."

Mrs Thomas completed the virtual London Marathon with a smile on her face and a spring in her step. We are all very proud of her. The cumulative marathon hosted at school last Friday was a fantastic afternoon and meant a lot to Mrs Thomas and her family - her dad watched the [video](#) posted on Twitter several times. Well done team.



MINI-MARATHON RUNNER

Mrs Thomas wasn't the only one challenging herself on Sunday. Inspired by his big brother and former pupil, Joshua, Owl Class member Zachary ran a mini-marathon of his own at the Chester Marathon event. He proudly showed his classmates his medal and told us all about his run. Well done Zach.





MINIKICKERS

On Wednesday, a group of Year 2 children took part in the Everton Minikickers tournament. We may not have won the tournament, but we managed to come away with a few wins. Well done Year 2. We're very much looking forward to upcoming sports events for the rest of the year.

A NEW MEMBER OF THE TEAM

This week we welcomed Cheryl Wilson to the staff team at Little Sutton. Though not a new face or name to school - she's Buddy and Orla's mum - she is a new addition to the Admin Team, working in our school office on Fridays. We hope you've enjoyed your first week and we wish you a very warm 'welcome'.



INFORMATION AND NOTICES

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Thursday 14th October is our Harvest Celebration at St Paul's Church. **Please drop your child at the Church**, not at school, at 8:50am, where they will be greeted by their teachers. Children will then be walked back to school. Children attending Breakfast Club can arrive as normal and will be walked to church by staff. Breakfast Club attendees must arrive at school no later than 8:20am. If they need breakfast, please allow plenty of time as children will leave for church at 8:25am.

Children will need a waterproof coat and only one bag with necessary items (lunch, drink etc). Any additional bags e.g. sports kits should be left in school on Wednesday in readiness so the children have less to carry. .

As we are a growing school, unfortunately, spaces for parents to attend the service will be limited. We would like to offer seats to those parents/grandparents who are able to support us in walking the children back to school following the service. If you are able to support us, please let your class teacher know.



This year we are supporting the Chester and Ellesmere Port Food Bank. Please bring your donation to Church. If possible, the charity has asked specifically for the following list of items, but of course, welcome any kind donations of long-life items: long-life juice, tinned fruit, rice pudding, instant mash, noodles, rice, tinned tomatoes and chocolate bars.

DINNER MENU

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 1	Battered Chicken Strips with wedges and vegetables Or Jacket Potato with selection of fillings ***** Fruit Crumble and Custard	Spag Bol with garlic bread and vegetables Or Sandwiches and salad ***** Chocolate Brownie	Roast of the Day with all the trimmings Or Jacket Potato with selection of fillings ***** Iced Sponge Cake	Chicken Korma with rice, vegetables and naan bread Or Wraps/sandwiches with a selection of fillings and salad ***** Yoghurt & Fruit Compote	Cheese and Tomato pizza with chips and peas or beans Or Jacket Potato with selection of fillings ***** Golden Crunch Cooke

ST PAUL'S HARVEST SERVICE

Families are all welcome to attend the Harvest Service at St Paul's Church, this Sunday - 10th October.



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

We are seeking to appoint a playworker to work in our Breakfast Club, alongside Mrs Graham as Mrs Hadley eases her way into retirement. We'll not be saying 'goodbye' just yet as she will remain at the afterschool provision. Find out more [here](#). Other [positions](#) are available across The Samara Trust.

COMING UP

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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OCTOBER	13th	Open Day for New Intake 2022
	14th	Harvest Festival at St Paul's Church - See above notices
	19-21st	Parents' Evenings - Details to follow
	31st	Deadline for Secondary School Applications - link

A packed newsletter this week. Have an enjoyable weekend everyone.