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Message from the Headteacher:

This week has whizzed by and it is hard to believe tomorrow is February. We had a very successful Parent Forum on Tuesday and it was great to see so many people. Thank you for coming along and your ideas were really helpful. At the meeting I shared with parents what 'reading' looks like at Newhall and we watched some video clips, including one of some Reception children retelling 'The Little Red Hen'. The presentation from the meeting is now available on the school website.

As part of our ongoing drive for reading to be at the heart of our school, we will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday 6th March. We have invited a West End Theatre Company in and they will be running dance workshops throughout the day, focusing on the story 'Where the Wild Things Are' by Maurice Sendak. We will then be carrying out other activities in classes centred around this book.

Following on from the Parent Forum, we held a 'Friends of Newhall' meeting and it was fantastic to see so many parents attend this as well. We have now set dates for the rest of the year. Please see below.

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE



STORY AND PICTURES BY MAURICE SENDAK

Upcoming Events:

- 10th February—School Parents Evening 3.30-6pm
- 10th February—Bluebell Parents Evening 3-6pm
- 11th February—Bluebell Parents Evening 3-6pm
- 12th February—School Parents Evening 4-7pm
- 6th March—World Book Day Celebration - Where the Wild Things Are!
- 'Friends of Newhall' Events:**
- 14th February—Bake Sale
- 3rd March—PTA Meeting
- 20th March—Mother's Day Pop Up Shop
- 3rd April—Easter Egg Hunt
- 15th May—Quiz Night
- 20th May—Magic Show/Yr1 Disco
- 12th June—Father's Day Pop Up Shop
- 27th June—Summer Fayre

Nursery Update:

This week the children in Bluebell have been learning about 'colour monsters'. This is an activity where children begin to understand the different emotions the monsters represent. I observed a phonics session this week and am very pleased with the progress your children are making. Many children can now recognise initial sounds in words and some are beginning to blend letters together to create a word. Snowdrop thoroughly enjoyed their muddy walk this week, going to the school field. They were collecting natural materials to create nests for their dinosaur eggs and were so excited to bring this back to the classroom. Blossom enjoyed making collages this week with lots of different textures and colours to create snowflakes for their winter topic. They have also been enjoying small group singing time!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Change to Menu: Tuesday 4th February

Sausage Roll or Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Creamed Potatoes and Carrots

House Points	
Air	1453
Earth	1286
Fire	1210
Water	1286
Attendance This Week	
Cherry	98.2%
Willow	96.9%
Beech	88%
Rowan	96.5%

Newhall Primary Academy Autumn/Winter 2019 - Week 3

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Salmon & Tomato Pasta Bake served with Mixed Salad	Savoury Minced Beef in a Yorkshire Pudding served with Creamed Potatoes and Sliced Carrots	Barbecue Chicken served with Savoury Rice and Seasonal Vegetables	Ashlyns Beefburger in a Floured Bun served with Potato Wedges and Baked Beans	Breaded Fish Fingers served with Oven Chips and Peas
Option 2	Macaroni Cheese served with Mixed Salad	Savoury Minced Quorn in a Yorkshire Pudding served with Creamed Potatoes and Sliced Carrots	Barbecue Quorn Fillet served with Savoury Rice and Seasonal Vegetables	Meat Free Burger in a Floured Bun served with Potato Wedges and Baked Beans	Cheese & Onion Whirl served with Oven Chips and Peas
Dessert	Freshly Cut Fruit or Organic Fruit Yoghurt	Freshly Cut Fruit or Organic Fruit Yoghurt or Syrup & Sultana Sponge with Custard	Freshly Cut Fruit or Organic Fruit Yoghurt	Freshly Cut Fruit or Organic Fruit Yoghurt or Fruit Flapjack	Freshly Cut Fruit or Organic Fruit Yoghurt or Krispie Cake

Week commencing - 18th November, 9th December, 13th January, 3rd February, 2nd March and 23rd March

All of our meat is Farm Assured and is locally sourced. Our fish is Marine Stewardship Council approved.

Available Daily ...
Wholemeal bread
Choice of salads
Water



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