

Heeley's Highlights

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This week in our whole school assembly and PSHE lessons, we have been using the resources from NSPCC Talk Pants campaign. Talk PANTS is designed to help children understand that they have a right to say no and if they need to speak out about something, someone will listen. We know that a simple conversation can make a BIG difference, and that's what Talk PANTS is all about. It has been delivered in an age appropriate way, and you will probably have heard your children singing the 'Pantosaurus' song. Click the link to hear the song: Talk PANTS with Pantosaurus and his PANTS song #TalkPANTS (youtube.com)

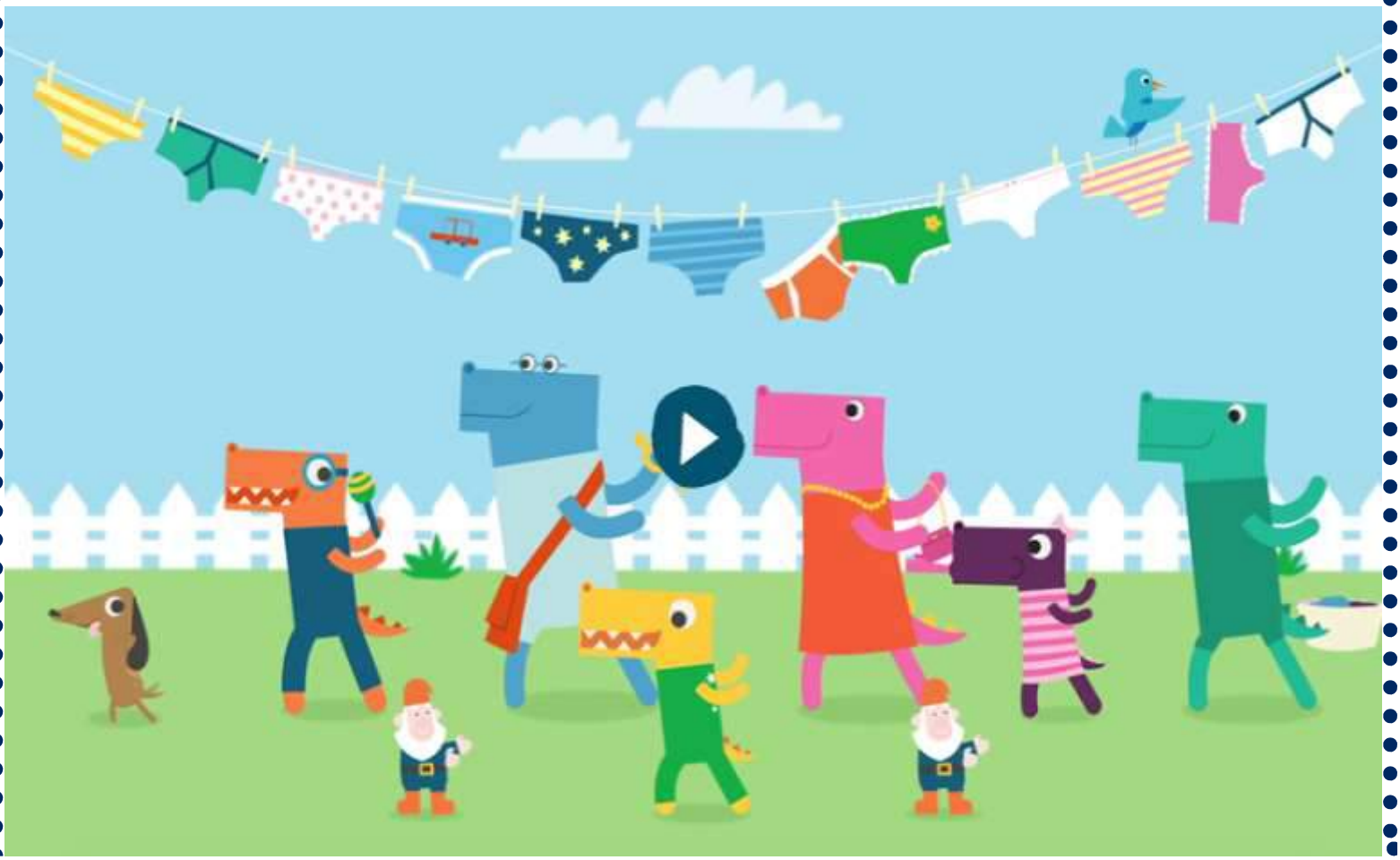
Lots more information can be found on the website with a section specifically for parents. It is a really important lesson as statistics show that 1 in 3 children who have been sexually abused, did not tell anyone else at the time, and 90% of sexually abused children, were abused by someone they know. We all need to work together to educate children from a young age.

Please have a look on the website and consolidate the PANTS rules at home.

I have also included a poster at the back of Heeley's Highlights showing the PANTS Rules.

Let's talk PANTS with Pantosaurus! | NSPCC

Many thanks, Mrs Heeley, Headteacher




TALK
PANTS
AND STAY SAFE,
LIKE PANTOSAURUS
PRIVATES ARE PRIVATE
ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU
NO MEANS NO
TALK ABOUT SECRETS THAT UPSET YOU
SPEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP
NSPCC
EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR


LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE
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Happy Birthday from everyone in School to:



Max in Owl Class is now 6 Years Old

Corey in Hedgehog Class is now 6 Years Old

Arlo in Badger Class is now 7 Years Old

Headteacher's award

Olivia in The Den for fabulous handwriting
Ethan in Fox Class for super phonics work
Asher in Fox Class for beautiful, neat handwriting
Joshua in Squirrel Class for fabulous science work
Lucas in Badger Class for fantastic independent writing
Loic in Owl Class for fantastic writing
Jacob and Alana in Deer Class for amazing writing.

Appointments during the School Day.

Where possible we would ask that appointments are made outside of the school day.

We do understand there may be occasions where this isn't possible and you need to collect your child to

attend. Please can we ask that you provide the school with evidence of such appointments. This could be a screenshot of a letter, text reminder etc. It can be emailed in advance to sally.gittins@taw.org.uk for our records.

Thank you for your support.

Academy Photography

Academy have extended the deadline to send your school photographs back is now **Wednesday 1st May**

Water Bottles

Please remember to fill your child's water bottle every morning before they come to school in order that they will have the opportunity to drink during lessons.
Please remember this should only be water NOT juice.
Thank you.

Dropping off.

Infant age children need to be walked into school every day and dropped off in class. Your children are your responsibility until the handover with a teacher.
Thank you

Our whole school attendance this year so far is 94.7%
This is a little lower than Mrs Heeley's Target.

Fox Class	94.83%
Rabbit Class	94.81%
The Den	96.88%
Hedgehog Class	96.72%
Owl Class	97.86%
Squirrel Class	88.89%
Badger Class	94.12%
Deer Class	91.54%
Acorn Class:	95.38%
Oak Class:	95.95%



Absences
Please remember to report **all** absences to the school office before 9.15am on **01952 386610**
Thank you.



Gold Star Awards

Well done to the children below who were awarded a gold star this week!

The Den: Lyra, for really locking into your maths work this week. I was very impressed with your ability to recognise number bonds! Well done you!

Oak Class: Louis, for super contributions in circle time! Well done!

Fox Class: Isabelle, for your super ideas for our pirate role play. You have joined in with pirate sea shanties, scrubbed the decks, walked the plank and shared giggles and treasure with your ship mates.

Rabbit Class: Levi, for working hard to follow our golden rules this week, showing good listening skills, locking into your learning and being a kind friend. We are so proud of you, keep it up!

Hedgehog Class: Penny, for some fabulous writing about the tiny seed. You used some fabulous word. Well done.

Owl Class: Joshua, for working very hard to find 10 more and 10 less and drawing the sticks and stones to match. Well done, Joshua.

Squirrel Class: Connie, for your super science work this week. You have been so locked in and shared your knowledge of plants. Great work Connie!

Badger Class: Sam, for really locking into your maths work this week. I was very impressed with your ability to recognise number bonds! Well done you!

Deer Class: Lincoln, for some super sentences to retell the Christian creation story 'Wonderful Earth'! I can see you have listened and locked in much better this week. Keep it up

May

Thursday 2nd Some Children Learn to Ride Bike sessions. Year 1 + 2

Monday 6th May Day, school is closed

Tuesday Wednesday 7-8th Year 2 Residential Laches Wood.

Tuesday 7th Hedgehog & Squirrel Class Scooter Skills Training

Wednesday 8th Owl Class Scooter Skills Training

20th Reception Height and Weight measurements

Monday –Friday 20-24th May Walk to School Week. Details to follow.

Monday 20th Tea with the Teacher's Squirrel Class 9.10am start

Tuesday 21st Tea with the Teacher's Hedgehog Class 9.10am

Wednesday 22nd Tea with the Teacher's Owl Class 9.10am start

Thursday 23rd Tea with the Teacher's Fox Class 9.10am start

Friday 24th Tea with the Teacher's Rabbit Class 9.10am start

Friday 24th Tea with the Teacher's The Den 2pm start.

27-31st Half term Break

June

Monday 3rd PD Day, school closed

Newport Carnival. Details to follow

Monday 10th Deer Class Pedestrian Training

Tuesday 11th Badger Class Pedestrian Training

Thursday 20th Year 2 to Deer Park with Year 3

July

Monday 1st Whole School Project details to follow

Tuesday 2nd Transition Day. All classes

Wednesday 3rd Mini Olympics with parents Reception Afternoon

Thursday 4th Mini Olympics with parents in Year 2 Afternoon

Friday 5th Mini Olympics with Parents in Year 1 Afternoon

Friday 12th Whole School Project Closing Ceremony

Friday 12th School Reports to go home.

Saturday 13th Newport Show. Details to follow

Monday 15th Open Evening Meet the new Teacher until 5.30pm

Tuesday 16th Year 2 Leavers Assembly 1.45pm start

Wednesday 17th Year 2 Leavers Assembly 9.15am start

Thursday 18th Year 2 Leaver's Disco.

Friday 19th Last day of term

Return to School date Wednesday 4th September 2024



MENU

For week beginning 29th April we will be on week 1 of the dinner menu.



Healthy Lunch Boxes

If your child brings a packed lunch to school, please try to make it healthy.
Many thanks.

Reminder

School start and finishing times

School starts at 8.45am and finishes at 3.15pm.Please can you get your child to school and collect them on time.
Thank you.



Polite Notice

If your child comes to school on a scooter please can these be parked in the scooter park and not in the bike shed. Thank you.

Contact details



Please remember to let the office know of any change of address, phone number or email address.
Thank you.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Art and Craft Club Y2	**MONDAYS** **April:** 22,29 / **May:** 13,20 / **June:** 10,17,24 **Collection:** Reception
Teddy Bear Club - Rec	**TUESDAYS** **April:** 23,30 / **May:** 14,21 / **June:** 11,18,25 **Collection:** Treetops
Teddy Bear Club Y1	**THURSDAYS** **April:** 25 / **May:** 2,16,23 / **June:** 13,20,27 **Collection:** Treetops

Ready Eddie Learners

This week's Ready Eddies are:

Oak Class	
The Den	Noah, Freddie, Olivia, Lyra, Archie
Fox Class	Albert, Toby, Arthur, Ava T, Ava J, Asher, Reuben, Harper, Nancy, Ethan, Ellis, Isaac, Ruby
Rabbit Class	Emelia, Emily, Dylan, Levi, Charlotte, Kane, Maisy
Hedgehog Class	Jack L, Harley, Adrian, Bethany, Teddy, Holly, Aubree and Scarlett
Owl Class	Ruari, Nora-Rose, Rhian, Loic, Tobias x2, Joshua, Jack, Reuben, Corey, Orlagh, Ava
Squirrel Class	Joshua, Coy, Isaac T, Connie x2, Nancy
Badger Class	
Deer Class	Connie, Darcey-Mae, Grace, Maisie, Jaycob K, Jacob M, Freddie, Lincoln, Joycelyn, Cohen, Alana, Ruben S, Leo & Sophie

Wise Owl Readers

Fox Class: Nancy
Rabbit Class: Oliver
Hedgehog Class: Aubree
Owl Class: Noah
Squirrel Class: Nancy
Badger Class: Lucas
Deer Class: Aniya



Please help if you can.

When our pupils have an accident at school we need spare clothes to change them into.

We are desperate for children's spare clothes again. If you have any outgrown socks, underwear, skirts trousers, T-shirt's, shorts and shoes would you please bring them in for us.

Many thanks.

PTA NEWS

Saturday 11th May
Table Top Sale

Places are filling up fast!



WE NEED YOU TO ....

JOIN THE PTA!

We fundraise for the school to help contribute towards school trips, Christmas parties, and new equipment for all our children to enjoy.



It is a fantastic opportunity to meet other parents, and to help build new skills, such as:

- Marketing
- Accountancy
- Admin
- Event Planning

If you are interested in joining the PTA for a formal or informal role, please email:
newportinfants.pta@taw.org.uk

NEWPORT SHROPSHIRE CYCLING CLUB

CYCLE COACHING FOR KIDS

For riders who have progressed from stabilisers/balance bikes, what better way to improve further than join us at Newport CC Bike Club?

There's lots of fun cycling exercises to develop your skills, led by **British Cycling qualified coaches** in all kinds of disciplines! From road riding to cyclocross, there will always be something to learn!

And all you need is a **bike, a helmet, and a drink!**



Saturday mornings
March to early November.

Group 1 (Beginners)
And Group 2: 09:15
Group 3 (Advanced): 10:15

£3, Members £2
(Membership £5).

Burton Borough School
Audley Ave, Newport,
Shropshire TF10 7DS





For more information contact:
Phone
0845 287 1809
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coaching@newportshropshirecc.org.u
Facebook: Newport CC Bike Club
(@newportcyclingclubyouthacademy)

A British Cycling Go-ride Accredited Club. (All sessions are led by British Cycling coaches who are DBS checked and First Aid trained).