

# Weekly Newsletter

## 22nd January 2018

### Headteacher's Award

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2018

GC Elder <i>Ben H</i>	DB Birch <i>Layla H</i>	LS Beech <i>Ty B</i> <i>Harvey R</i>	RN Holly <i>Ryan A</i>
CE Chestnut	SHU Hazel <i>Phoebe T</i>	TNT Rowan <i>Ava B</i>	JT Ash <i>Nola-Mae C</i>
	SH Maple <i>Jan K</i>	CW Hawthorne <i>Hannah B</i>	GT Sycamore <i>Joseph O</i>



Class of the Week  
8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Mrs Tanner's Class – 100%

(Whole School Attendance for the week: 97.20%)  
Current Whole School Attendance: 96.19%



#### Monday Y3 Violins

**Please do not forget  
your violin!**



**MONDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> January**  
**SWIMMING – Y5**

*Please do not forget your swimming kit!*

#### Upcoming Dates

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

Swimming Y5

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January

Netball Tournament

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January

AVFC Finals

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 9.10 am

Y2 Inspire Workshop

Netball Regionals

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2.30 pm

Y1 Inspire Workshop

Swimming Gala Heats pm

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Singing Workshop – Birmingham

Half-Term

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> to Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**

#### Head Lice

Unfortunately, school has been made aware of a number of cases of head lice. As a result, school has sought advice and produced a policy detailing effective treatment and checks. This policy can be found in the key information section of the website.

[Head Lice Policy](#)

Although unpleasant, head lice in school is common and needs the full co-operation of parents to effectively check and treat hair. I thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Mr Osborne

#### **EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES**

	Lunchtime	Afterschool
Monday	Netball Club Y5/6	Y3/4 Table Tennis 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm
Tuesday	Netball Club	Y1/2 Dodgeball 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm
Wednesday	Running Club KS2 / Netball Club	Dance club 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm
Thursday		Library Club 3.00 pm – 3.30 pm
Friday	Running Club Singing Club	KS 2 Aston Villa 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm(2 of 6)



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Email: paul.senior@staffordshire.gov.uk

Please ask for: Paul Senior

Date: 21 September 2017

Dear Parent / Carer

### Changes to Penalty Notices for Absence from School

Ensuring your child has access to a good education is very important to us.

A key part of this is for all children and young people to regularly attend school, as this gives each learner the best chance to achieve their full potential. In light of the recent Isle of Wight court case and the subsequent Supreme Court ruling on school absences, we wanted to clarify our position for parents where there may be the potential for any ambiguity and to also ensure we are fully compliant with legal requirements.

As a result, we have made a few changes to our previous guidance to schools, parents and carers regarding absence from school. The new guidance will come into force from 1 January 2018 and is detailed below:

#### Penalty Notice for leave of absence (holiday) in term time

From 1 January 2018 any period of unauthorised leave may result in you as a parent receiving a penalty notice fine. Your head teacher will continue to be the only person able to authorise leave in term time, but this will apply only in exceptional circumstances. Any unauthorised absence will be referred by your head teacher to the local authority.

#### Penalty Notice for persistent lateness

Previously a pupil had to achieve 20 unauthorised late marks before a penalty notice warning could be issued. This has now changed to 10 marks, and late marks do not have to be one after the other in order for the penalty notice to be issued. You are therefore encouraged where possible to ensure your child attends school on time. However, if your child is late you must inform the school of the reason(s) why, as they may be able to offer you some form of advice or support.

#### Period of time used to measure persistent absence and lateness

If your child has had 10 days unauthorised absence or is late 10 times over a twelve week period, you may receive a penalty warning notice and also potentially a fine.

These changes have been agreed with local head teachers and have been implemented to help promote and support good attendance to school. Further details and a copy of the revised Code of Conduct for issuing Penalty Notices can be obtained from the council's website [www.staffordshire.gov.uk/education](http://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/education).

The vast majority of children and young people in Staffordshire have an excellent record of school attendance, and we recognise the efforts of so many parents to ensure their children attend school regularly.

The Local Authority will continue to take appropriate action for absences during term time when we are notified by head teachers, both to support them in their role and to ensure local children can continue to achieve the best possible outcomes from attending local schools.

Yours faithfully

Paul Senior

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE CROWNED BRITAIN'S

BEST LEGO BUILDER?

# LEGO MASTERS



Do you love to build awesome creations? We are looking for brick obsessed pairs of all ages to register interest in a second series of 'LEGO MASTERS' on Channel 4 to find Britain's most talented amateur builders.

Please email [build@tuesdayschild.tv](mailto:build@tuesdayschild.tv) to register your interest. If you are under 18 please ask a parent or guardian to email on your behalf. Unfortunately, we won't be able to answer all the requests individually. Applicants must be 9+.

**TUESDAY'S CHILD**

## Coton Green Kids' Zone

**Monday to Friday**

**8.00 am – 8.45 am and 3.30 pm – 5.30 pm**

**If you wish to arrange a long term booking in advance, please call in to the school office**

❖	Breakfast Club	£3.25 per day
❖	After School Club	£7.00 per day
❖	Both (wrap around care)	£10.00 per day
❖	Sibling rate for wrap around care	£9.00 per day

Please complete the booking form and send in to the school office the week before do avoid disappointment.

Payment via ParentPay please.

*Booking forms are available from either the school office or Play Leader*

## REMINDER

ParentPay

All login details have now been sent out to parents.

**Please activate your account asap.**

Any problems please speak to the school office.

*Thank you*

## **Coton Green Primary School – School Terms and Holiday Dates 2018/2019**

### **Autumn Term 2018**

**Staff:** Monday 3 September **Inset Day:1**

**Pupils:** Tuesday 4 September

**Staff:** Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October **Inset Day: 2**

**Holiday:** Monday 29 October - Friday 2 November

**Staff:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November **Inset Day: 3**

**Term ends:** Friday 21 December

**Holiday:** Monday 24 December - Friday 4 January

### **Spring Term 2019**

**Term starts:** Monday 7 January

**Half term:** Monday 18 February - Friday 22 February

**Term ends:** Friday 12 April

**Holiday:** Monday 15 April - Friday 26 April

**Easter Sunday:** Sunday 21 April

### **Summer Term 2019**

**Term starts:** Monday 29 April

**May Day:** Monday 6 May

**Half term:** Monday 27 May - Friday 31 May

**Term ends:** Monday 22 July **Inset Day: 4**

**Holiday:** Tuesday 23 July - Friday 30 August

**There is 1 other Inset day to be confirmed.**

Staff Total: 195 days Pupil Total: (pupils are required to attend for 190 days)

(Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 is already fixed as an Inset day and the other four days are to be identified by schools. Coton Green Primary have worked with other school to try and align our Inset days where possible.)

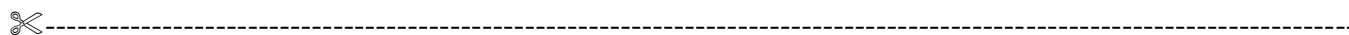
### Morning Break Sales

Toast	25p	Veggie Stick	30p
Cheese on Toast	50p	Jam on Toast	30p
Tea Cake	30p	Half Bagel (toasted)	20p
Half Cheese Bagel	40p	Oatcake with Cheese	50p
Fruit Pot	30p	Crumpet	30p
Small Water	25p	Flavoured Milk	50p
Orange Shot 85ml	30p	Tropicana 150ml	35p
Hot Chocolate	50p	Milk Drink	20p

### Lunch Reminder

Please complete your menu choice for the week on a Monday morning to avoid disappointment.

*Thank you*



Week Commencing		22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2018		Week 3	
Child's Name:			Class:		
<i>Monday</i>	Mozzarella & Tomato Pizza With Oven Baked Wedges with Peas, & Carrots	(v) Quorn Sausage & Tomato Pasta Bake with a bread Wedge, Peas & Carrots	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Assorted Sandwiches	
<i>Tuesday</i>	Chicken Tikka Thigh with Rice, Broccoli & Sweetcorn	(v) Shepherdess Pie with Veggie Mince topped with Mash with Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Assorted Sandwiches	
<i>Wednesday</i>	Honey Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes, gravy with Roast Parsnips & Cauliflower	(v) Cheese and Sweetcorn Quiche with Roast Potatoes with Roast Parsnips & Cauliflower	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Assorted Sandwiches	
<i>Thursday</i>	Beef Cobbler - Tender Braised Beef with a light pastry top, Mash with Green Beans & Sweetcorn	(v) Veggie Bolognese with Wholemeal Pasta, Green Beans & Sweetcorn	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Assorted Sandwiches	
<i>Friday</i>	Golden Fillet Fish Fingers and Chips with Baked Beans, Carrots & Peas	(v) Veggie Quesadilla and Chips with Baked Beans, Carrots & Peas	Jacket Potato with a choice of filling	Assorted Sandwiches	
Subject to availability					