



Northbourne News

20th January 2023

It has been so lovely to swap the rain for sunshine this week and to see children arriving happily each day, eager to learn.

Thank you for continued support for all of us in Mr Shaughnessy's absence. He is now home from hospital and will continue his recovery at home for the remainder of this term. We will update you on the plans for his return to school after the February half-term break.

It has been lovely to see the wonderful variety of Get Well cards created by the different classes for Mr Shaughnessy, and we will send these on to him next week, knowing how much he will appreciate reading them!

One Way System

I would like to remind parents that the one-way system before and after school is still in place. Please continue to enter through the gate by the office and exit through the back gate by the car park. We appreciate your cooperation with this.

Fundraising

Our fantastic PTA member, Lisa Howlett, is running the Blenheim 7k in May. She has very kindly offered to raise money for Northbourne PTA, for which we are so grateful. As you know, the PTA work extremely hard to raise money throughout the year for our school; any donations you could make would be greatly appreciated. Please use the link below for Lisa's fundraising page.

<https://gofund.me/3530bde8>

Strikes

As I am sure you are aware, the NEU have announced that strike action will take place on Wednesday 1st of February. We will be in contact with further information regarding any impact this may have on your child/ren as soon as possible.

Plas Pencelli

Parents and carers of those Year 6 children attending Plas Pencelli should be receiving further information about the trip on ParentMail today so please look out for any essential forms you need to complete. We will be holding a meeting in Kite Class on Friday February 3rd at 3.00pm where you will get the chance to ask any questions.

Parents Evening

As mentioned in a previous newsletter, our mid-year Learning Review meetings will take place remotely via Teams on Wed 8th (4 – 7pm) and Thurs 9th (3:15 – 5pm) February. Please note: **Wrens** will be on Tues 7th (3:15 – 5pm) and Wed 8th (4 – 7pm). You will be receiving an invitation to select your date and time next week.