



# St Mary's CEVA Primary



## Academy Newsletter



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*"Do Everything in Love" 1 Corinthians 16:14*

## Friday 21st October 2022



As we begin our half term, we look back and celebrate the many achievements over the term. Thank you so much for the great things that you have done to contribute to your child's learning. Thank you to all those who attended their children's information evening with their class teacher. Following the three sessions offered to families, we had 80% who booked an appointment.

The reading cafe this week was a wonderful success with nearly 50 grown-ups joining us to read with their children. The children were delighted to have you there and the wonderful family feeling fed through the groups of children who gathered around the adults who joined us. Thank you so much for allowing children to join the reading experience.

During Autumn term children will have access to over 16 FREE clubs. I am so grateful to staff who offer these enrichment opportunities to your children to give them different experiences. Last week, Mr Collins organised a special football with KTFC, we raised over £130 and many children and their families attended the Saturday match where Kettering Football team won!!!

We wish you a very happy half term and look forward to welcoming you back to school on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November.

With warm wishes,

**Diane Wright MA (Education)**  
**HEADTEACHER**



## Open Day for EYFS September 2023

We are pleased to share that we will be holding an open day on 15<sup>th</sup> November for children joining our school in EYFS September 2023. Two sessions will be held at 2pm and 5pm. If you have a pre-school child they are welcome to attend. Please note: there will be a presentation and, in the hall, followed by a walk around the school.

### Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November

Anti-Bullying Week is an annual UK event which aims to raise awareness of bullying and to highlight ways of preventing and responding to it. In England, Anti-Bullying Week is organized by the Anti-Bullying Alliance, which is a network of more than 100-member organizations.

On this day we invite all pupils to come to school wearing odd socks which is a great way to celebrate what makes us all unique in Anti-Bullying week!

Please click this link to find out more: <https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/odd-socks-day/odd-socks-day-schools>



Here are a few photos from our Reading Café morning:



# Dates for your diary for next term

- 8<sup>th</sup> November- EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2 Bedtime Story 5pm-6pm
- 9<sup>th</sup> November- National Space Centre Trip with Miss Perkins, Mrs Heaney and Mrs Perry's classes
  - 10<sup>th</sup> November- Cinema Trip for Mrs Z Brown and Miss Welch's class
  - 14<sup>th</sup> November- Wear odd socks to school to support Anti-Bullying Week
  - 17<sup>th</sup> November- Year 1 and 2 students walk to the Pleasure Park, 1pm-3pm

**The Moldova Charity Mission for the Disabled**



**Christmas Shoebox Appeal**

**We need:**

- Shoe boxes
- Christmas wrapping paper
- Sweets/chocolates
- Small toys
- Stationary
- Toiletries
- Hat, socks, gloves, scarf.

We are collecting items to create Christmas gift boxes for disabled children in Moldova. Please help us if you can.



Please bring items to Mrs Z Brown (Year 3) by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November

Charity Registration Certificate N2633



**North Northants**  
**FREE**  
**Swimming**

Free swimming sessions available for all under 18 year olds in October school holidays.  
**Monday 24 to Friday 28 October 2022**





# PARENT FORUM

An opportunity for parents and carers to share new ideas  
for our school with Ms Starkey!  
What's going well? – What could school do better?  
All feedback and ideas welcome!

~~21<sup>st</sup> September 2022 at 1:45pm~~

22<sup>nd</sup> November 2022 at 3:30pm

25<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at 5:30pm

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023 at 1:45pm

23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 at 3:30pm

12<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 5:30pm



## Fuller Baptist Church, Gold Street, Kettering, Heritage Centre

**OPEN Saturday OCTOBER 22nd**

**10am-12 noon Free Entry**

*Visit the chapel, graveyard  
and heritage centre:*



- *pictures and artefacts from around the world*
- *the stories of*

the beginning of the Free Churches in Kettering

William Carey 'Father of modern mission'

William Knibb 'missionary emancipator'  
and of many others



- *Children's activities*



***So much to discover for all ages***



17TH-21ST OCTOBER 2022  
STAR OF THE WEEK

Liliana S

Year 1

Kyle

Year 1-2

Grace

Year 3-4

Rose

Year 4-5



Poppy

Year 2

Isabella

Year 3

James

EYFS

Jayden

Year 5-6

Harry

Year 6