

# NEWSLINE

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**North Primary School and Nursery**

A Town Centre School with a Strong Community Ethos.

Looking forward to its 125th anniversary on 12th November. Visit [www.northschoolcxxv.com](http://www.northschoolcxxv.com)

## Mothers' Day Lunch Friday 29th March 2019

**Waiting Patiently**



**Queuing in the Sunshine**



**Enjoying lunch together and looking forward to a special weekend!**

Catering for so many people requires a huge amount of additional work. We are grateful to:  
The Catering Team,  
The Midday Assistant Team and  
The Office Staff  
For all their extra work this week in making this event happen.

Thank you.



**OPEN AFTERNOON For Classes Y1-Y6 OPEN AFTERNOON For Classes Y1-Y6  
TUESDAY 2ND APRIL**

**Parking available via Victoria Chase from 1.50pm  
Classrooms open -2.00pm -3.00pm**

# QUIZ NIGHT

Look out for the booking forms for this new event. Anybody is welcome to come to this event but we are trying to attract people from outside our immediate school community to raise the profile of this school across Colchester and encourage different people to contribute to Free For All. So, this is being promoted as a *"perfect opportunity for team bonding with your work colleagues or society friends."* The aim is to get local businesses and societies to pit their wits against each other, raise money for a good cause and have a great time in the process.

Places are booked as a team (maximum of 8) and the entry fee of £80 per team includes a meal provided by Curry Leaf Catering. The NSA will be on hand to serve food and drinks throughout the evening. Share the poster with your colleagues and friends (at your golf, football or netball club, church, running club, choir, pub, fitness club....).

Get a wriggle on, the tables are likely to get booked very quickly.

**FRIDAY 7TH JUNE, 7.00PM**



## EASTER PARADE Friday 5th April

Will your child wear an easter bonnet hat, cap, beret, fascinator or another magnificent millinery marvel?

Stuck for ideas? Try visiting [mumsnet](http://mumsnet), [pinterest](http://pinterest), [youtube](http://youtube).

Walking around the school, popping into classrooms, it is obvious that some classes have made a head start on the **Penny Race**. But it is a marathon not a sprint. Will Miss Moroz hold on to the shield, will Mr. Armitage wrestle it back from her or will their be a new name engraved in 2019. Just 8 weeks to go.

## Children Get to Meet an Author in Assembly

In Good Work Assembly on the 27th, children from Miss Moroz's class shared their story writing skills. How impressive they were, too. That seemed like the perfect opportunity to introduce a real author to the children, who just happened to be sat in assembly, like he is every Wednesday. Mr. Hornett is a teacher known to the juniors but what they did not know is that Mr. Hornet is an author. He gave up his full time teaching job to dedicate more time to pursue his writing, and he has been very productive over the past two years. He told the children that how they write in school is similar to how he writes and that he has to go through all the same processes that they complete. Maybe that message and the wonderful writing from 3M will inspire more children to choose to write in their own time or in Golden Time. Here is Mr. Hornett, in his own words.

*"My book **Quarton: The Bridge**, the first in a trilogy, is a sci-fi book with a difference. Fen, a young scavenger surviving in dystopian London, finds a mysterious stone block. It triggers memories from past lives which leave her confused. She soon finds out she is not the only one affected...."*

*The book is available as a download on Amazon for 99p. Go to Kindle books and type the title or my name in. It can be read using the free Kindle app on any device. Suitable for 12+*

*I have also written a comedy book about a granny who gets called back into the spy service and am in the middle of writing 2 sci-fi books for 9-12 year olds. I also write amusing blogs on my website - [Google.ianhornett.com](http://Google.ianhornett.com)"*

## TERM DATES

Tuesday 2nd April	Open Afternoon (KS1 and KS2) 2.00pm. Reception Stay and Learn dates to follow	
Friday 5th April	Easter Parade and Governors' Awards	assembly
Friday 5th April	End of Spring Term	
Tuesday 23rd April	First day of Summer Term	
Friday 10th May	NSA Bingo Night	6.00pm
Friday 24th May	Penny Race	
Friday 24th May	Children's Sponsored Fun Run at Hilly Fields	Details to follow
Friday 24th May	Last day of half term	
Monday 3rd June	Return to school	
Friday 7th June	NSA Quiz Night	
Friday 5th July	NSA Summer Fete	
Wednesday 24th July	End of school year	
Monday 2nd September 2019	Year 6 residential to Weymouth	
Thursday 5th September	First day of new school year	

**Thanks to those families who have already returned their petition sheets full of signatures.**