Enstone Primary School
Newsletter

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16 October 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,



BOCCIA FESTIVAL: Well done to the children who represented us at the partnership Boccia Festival on Wednesday. We saw some great skills and team work from you all! For those of you unfamiliar with this game, it is a bit like boules or pétanque. Mrs Slark was very impressed with everyone's team spirit at this event.

COLOUR RUN: Finally, after two postponements, we are looking forward to the Colour Run this afternoon. Please collect up any sponsor money and bring it in as soon as possible next week. Hopefully, this event will raise a good sum for Katharine House Hospice. Thank you for your support.

KATHARINE HOUSE HOSPICE

HALF TERM HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES: If you are looking for some activities to keep your children entertained over the half term break (26th – 30th October) there are some interesting options on offer at the Chipping Norton Library and at "Discover Bucks Museum". See below for more information.

REMINDERS:

- **U11 and U9 Cross Country Tournament at CNS – Wednesday 21st October.**

Have a good weekend.

Yours sincerely,

S. Mann

Mrs S. Mann

Headteacher

The **Library**

Chipping Norton



Fun with Racing Robots

Mon 26th Oct to Sat 31st Oct

Come along and experiment with racing robots!

This activity is suitable for children aged 5 +

Booking is essential. Book at the counter, email chippingnorton.library@oxfordshire.gov.uk or telephone 01865 815134

www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/libraries

OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL


SPOOKY STORYTIME
& CRAFT
At Chipping Norton Library
Saturday 31st October at 11am
For ages 4+
Booking recommended.
Children must be accompanied by an adult.
The Library
Chipping Norton

Discover Bucks Museum
& Roald Dahl Children's Gallery

Discover Bucks Museum
Church Street
Aylesbury HP20 2QP
discoverbucksmuseum.org
01296 331441

October Half Term

24 October - 1 November 2026

This October half term, enjoy frightfully fun family activities at Discover Bucks Museum! Get creative with Halloween crafts and spooky science! Brave families can take on the Creepy Doll Hunt around the museum and no visit is complete without a trip to the Roald Dahl Children's Gallery and our SAXONS exhibition.

Discover more at discoverbucksmuseum.org
or scan the QR code

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Play, Discover, Learn! this October Half Term in the Roald Dahl Children's Gallery

Spiders & Webs
Monday 26 October
Make a colourful yarn-wrapped spider and weave a hanging web. 10am – 3pm, drop in.
Suitable for ages 4-11

Ghouls and Ghosts
Tuesday 27 October
Make a 3d haunted scene for a moveable ghost to fly through. 10am – 3pm, drop in. Suitable for ages 4-11

Clay Monster
Wednesday 28 October
Sculpt yourself a terrifying (or not so terrifying) Halloween monster. 10am – 3pm, drop in.
Suitable for ages 3-11

Spooky Science
Thursday 29 & **Friday 30 October**
Our popular Spooky Science workshop is returning for 2026! Join us for some spooky science: make a bubbling witches brew, create ogre slime and more! Timed slots. Suitable for ages 5–11

For more event details, charges and to book please scan the QR code or visit
discoverbucksmuseum.org

Enjoy our spooky Trail on everyday 24 October - 1 November

Creepy Doll Hunt
Saturday 31 October
Visit the museum after dark this Halloween for our Creepy Doll Hunt: explore one of the oldest buildings in Aylesbury by torchlight and discover the haunted dolls hidden throughout the museum.
From 6.30pm, timed slots. Suitable for ages 10+

The SAXONS
Until 1 November 2026

The SAXONS brings together extraordinary archaeological discoveries to tell powerful human stories. Through real artefacts, immersive displays, and vivid storytelling, the exhibition reveals how people lived, fought, believed, and were remembered over 1,300 years ago.



Discover Bucks Museum
Aylesbury HP20 2QP
discoverbucksmuseum.org

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Give your old uniform a new home and pick up what you need – **all for free!**

HELPS YOUR FAMILY

Save money and keep your children in good quality uniform for less.

BETTER FOR THE PLANET

Gives uniform a second life, reduces waste and helps the environment.

FREE FOR EVERYONE

Simply bring your old uniform and pick up what you need – completely free of charge.

SUPPORTS OUR SCHOOL

Keeps good quality uniform in use and helps our school community.

Please only donate clean uniform which is in good condition.

We have lots of pre-loved uniform in great condition, so before you buy new, please think of this!

Takes place on the last day of each half term

In or outside the school hall

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