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Autumn Term Newsletter 6th October 2017



Learn together, achieve together and be the best that we can be.

Dear parents and carers,

The half term break is almost here and the time has flown by! The children are now settled well into their new classes and the teachers are looking forward to meeting with you at our Parents' Evenings after the break to discuss your child's progress and well being. Please return your forms as soon as you can to ensure that you are allocated a time that is convenient for you. We make every effort to ensure that we see you as close to your requested time as possible. Appointment times will be sent out next week as soon as the teachers have received your replies and have liaised to make sure that there are no clashes for siblings. If, for any reason, you are unable to attend the designated evenings, our staff will be happy to arrange another mutually convenient time to meet.

Castleton Residential

On Wednesday 11th October, our Year 4's will be off to Derbyshire for 3 fun-filled, action-packed days. Miss Bennetts, Mrs Martin, Mrs Chalmers and Mrs Hall will be accompanying them on this trip. Any Year 4 pupils who are not going will be taught by Mrs Jameson for most of the week with Mrs Stoyce and Miss K Kaur (our PPA Cover Teachers) teaching them when Mrs Jameson is completing her SENDCo work.

Harvest Assembly

Many thanks for all your donations for our harvest today and to all parents who joined this special celebration, led by Year 1. The items will be sent to the Glenfield Project.

MacMillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who kindly donated cakes for our MacMillan coffee morning, we raised an amazing £263.48 in sales, thank you to everyone who attended and helped to raise funds for this amazing cause.

LOROS Day

The School Council have decided that, on Friday 13th October, we will be supporting LOROS. Children have been asked to wear a yellow item or an accessory on this day in return for a donation for this local charity. Please do not feel that you need to purchase anything special for this- a yellow hairband, badge, or wristband is completely acceptable if the children do not have yellow t-shirts, trousers, skirts, jumpers, dresses or socks.

Pound Coins

Please note we will no longer be able to accept the old style pound coins from Friday October 13th.

After School Clubs

Please return your forms as soon as possible to ensure that your child gets a place on these popular clubs, which will run for 5 weeks. For clubs which involve a payment, we ask that these are paid to the school office the first week of the clubs. If payment is not received, by Friday 3rd November, your child's place could be offered to another child. We strongly recommend online payments as these are more convenient for parents and mean that we are holding less money on the school site.

Contact Details

If you have not already done so, please return your contact form. It is very important that we have completely up to date telephone numbers, addresses and emergency contacts as well as medical information. Please remember to let us know as soon as you change any numbers. Thank you.

Payments

Our preferred method of payments into school is by online payments through the School Gateway system, this is a safer option for our pupils so that they do not have to carry money into school and cuts down bank visits for the office staff. We do encourage all our parents to use this system.

Thank you



Kathy Martin
Headteacher

Dates for your diary

- 11th - 13th October - Castleton Residential Trip**
- 24th October - School Photographs**
- 24th October - Parents Evening**
- 26th October - Parents Evening**
- 27th October - Year 4 & The Deciders - Hindu Temple Trip**