



Newsletter 2

21st September 2018

Settling in and new routines

Welcome to our second newsletter of the school year. I am pleased to say that our children have settled back into school well and all look incredibly smart in their new school uniforms. Our new Reception and Nursery children are enjoying their first days in school and our staff are very proud of how well they have adjusted to the changes and new routines.

Lots of smiles in Reception



Scholastic Book Fair

We raised £967 at the Scholastic Book Fair that we held in July! Thank you so much to all of you who visited the fair and bought books for your children. We have spent the money on new books for our library - Thank you!



Fuel For School Market Stall

Our weekly Market stall has begun! We receive a delivery of food from Fuel For School every week. This food is surplus food from local retailers which may be past its sell by date but is NOT past its use by date so is still in perfectly good condition. By sending it to us, we can avoid it going to landfill and reduce the massive environmental impact that wasting food has on the environment. It also means we can make a wide range of food available to our families at a greatly reduced cost! We invite you all to come to our Market Stall after school every Thursday and buy our food on a 'Pay As You Feel' basis - there are no set prices, just pay what you feel the food is worth!



Please don't forget to bring a carrier bag!



Important Dates

Tuesday 9th October
Sponsored Obstacle Course
Wednesday 10th October
Y6 SATs & Y6 Robinwood Information
Evening for Y6 Parents only
**Tuesday 16th October &
Thursday 18th October**
Parents' Evenings

Special Mention in Celebration Assemblies

Each class teacher nominates a child to receive a Celebration Certificate in recognition of something they have done that week such as an outstanding piece of work or an excellent attitude to their work. These children are presented with their certificate in a whole school assembly on a Friday and then get their picture taken for our Magical Times blog and it is also posted on Twitter.

Class Attendance

We had an excellent first week with four classes achieving 100% attendance! The Class Attendance winners for the week ending 7th September: ★ **1B, 2RO, 4L & 6P** ★

Whole school attendance was a fantastic **98.2%** 🙌😊

Child Absence from School

Please let school know before 8.30am if your child is unable to attend school. You can ring the School Office on 01274 414437 to speak to the Office staff or leave a message. To ensure child safety our Learning Mentor, Miss Walker will contact parents by phone or text if we have not received notification after registration closes.

Class	7th September	14th September
RG	★ -	★ Joseph Botka
RW	★ -	★ Noah Grimshaw
1B	★ Jude Harris	★ Arianna Shahzada
1O	★ Maisie Chester	★ Macie Williams
2E	★ Joseph Saville	★ Anthony Haigh
2RO	★ Max France	★ Freddie Whitfield
3I	★ Jack Taylor	★ Eva Lumley-Wilson
3B	★ Aurora Matthews	★ Fynton Bell
4L	★ Ollie Smith	★ Merry Wood
4MI	★ Harriette Bowes	★ Mason Clay
5N	★ Holly Ellison	★ Lewis Thompson
5G	★ Finlay Shaw	★ Zach Zacharczuk
6P	★ Connor Cahill	★ Daniel Dyson
6C	★ Phoebe Wilson	★ Millie-Mae Cordingley-Bruce

Safe Parking

Can we remind parents not to park on the zig-zag lines around school. It is very dangerous at busy times and is a traffic offence. We also have a number of parents who are parking on Leeds Road on the bend. This is a dangerous corner and there have been a number of accidents there over the years. We have displayed banners around school to remind people and do get regular visits from the police to enforce parking regulations. May we also point out that for health and safety reasons, the staff carpark is for staff only and should not be used by parents in cars or to walk through.



Sponsored Obstacle Course

We are excited to be organising our Sponsored Obstacle Course for the children on **Tuesday 9th October** for Reception to Year 6 and **Wednesday 10th October** for Nursery children. We are sure they are going to really enjoy the event whilst also raising money for our school. Look out for a separate letter for the full details. We hope to see you at the event!

Class Assemblies

All classes will be performing class assemblies over the course of the year. Parents are very welcome to attend when it is their child's class assembly. These assemblies are held on **Tuesdays at 9.00am**.

Yours sincerely

A. Patterson
Head of School

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Executive Headteacher



Class Assemblies

25.9.18	6P
2.10.18	1B
9.10.18	1O
16.10.18	3B
6.11.18	3I
13.11.18	5G
20.11.18	5N
27.11.18	2RO