



Head teacher: Mrs Holden-Gough

## Weekly Newsletter - 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019

A thank you to the parents who attended Year 3 and Year 4 Inspire, there were some fantastic clay pots and Woolly Mammoth's being made.

A well done to the Swimming Team who competed in their first swimming gala yesterday, competing against 3 other local schools.

We need 90 more Aldi stickers to complete the chart. Please keep collecting!

### **School Disco - 24<sup>th</sup> October**

Halloween Disco is being held on the 24<sup>th</sup> October, cost of £2.00 per ticket and refreshments are being sold. Tickets can be purchased at Breaktimes, please send money in a labelled envelope. Fancy dress is optional.

KS1 - 4:00 - 5:15pm - All children must be collected by an adult at the end of the disco.

KS2 - 5:30 - 7:00pm - All children must be collected by an adult at the end of the disco.

### **Pencil Cases**

We provide the children with everything they need to complete their work, so please do not send any pencil cases in with your child. They can use their own things at home to complete homework.

### **Reminders**

We are a no smoking site, and this includes any electronic form of cigarettes.

Can I remind parents that whilst children are on school site before the morning bell and after the end of the day, they are parents' responsibility and should always be in sight of a parent.

No riding of bikes or scooters whilst on school site.

No Dogs are allowed on site, even puppies, thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Please can I remind parents that the carpark is for the use of school staff and visitors only and should not be accessed by parents without prior agreement with the Headteacher.

If your child is booked into after School club, this closes at 5:30pm. If for any reasons you need to contact them, please do so on the following number: 01384 - 818878. Children who are not collected by 5:30pm a fine will be issued.

All sessions or after school club, breakfast club, day-care and nursery should all be pre-booked via school buddy, if you are needing an account to be set up, please contact the school office.

If your child is being collected by another adult, please can you contact the school office to inform us.

### Nut Free School

We are a nut free school, and this does include chocolate spread and Peanut Butter. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Social Media:** We all use social media within our daily lives and whether it's WhatsApp or Facebook or another app, it's a wonderful way to communicate with others.



However, can I remind all adults (we already remind the children) that you should never post anything you would say to someone's face and whatever you post it is there forever.

I am raising this matter to specifically remind parents that if you have issues about school, these need to be brought to our attention. If anything, inappropriate links school, staff or children on any social media, appropriate action will be taken.

**Attendance** - is vital to a child's education and please parents can we ask you contact the office on the first day of your child's absence and if they need to go to the doctors, medical evidence must be provided to ensure a child's absence is recorded.

Weekly Attendance Figures are - **Whole School 94.59%** & **weekly Class Winner is Yr 4 96.91%**

**Reading Buddies** - Thank you to the parents who have volunteered already. If there are any more parents that would like to hear our children read and are willing to have a DBS completed. Please contact Mrs Holden-Gough and we will be happy to organise the appropriate paperwork.

Autumn Term 2019 - Dates for the Diary	
Date	Event
21/10/19	Year 4 Visit to the Sycamore Centre
22/10/19	Year 5 Inspire 1:30pm - Parents invited to attend
23/10/19	Parents Evening - appointments have now been sent out via School Buddy, please book one, if any problems please contact the office.
24/10/19	Year 6 Inspire 1:30pm - Parents invited to attend
24/10/19	Halloween Disco
25/10/19	House Day - children to come in their house colours School closes for half term 3pm
04/11/19	School Returns at 8:30am
04/11/19	Pupil single and sibling photographs

