



.... *Show proper respect to everyone* 1 Peter 2:17

Welcome Back and Happy New Year to you all!!

I hope you have all had a lovely break together. The children arrived on Monday full of drive to start the new term, and they were really excited to share their Christmas news with us. As I write this, there are only 4 weeks until next half term!!

We welcome back Mrs Allison to Reception/Year 1 after her maternity leave. Mrs Allison will be working 4 days, with Miss Bradshaw teaching them on a Wednesday.

As always, please do get in touch with any member of staff if you have any concerns.



at St. Cuthbert's church Thursday 19th January 3:30pm onwards. Tea in hall afterwards Ali's special sausage! All welcome to join us.

Data Collection Form

If you have not returned the Data Information Form you were given before Christmas, could you please ensure that it is returned to school on Monday so that our records can be updated as legally required.



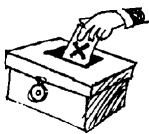
If you have already sent a birth certificate in please collect these from the office by Friday 20th January. After this date all unclaimed certificates will be shredded for your protection.



You will all be aware of the tragic death of Edward Dee shortly before Christmas due to meningitis. On behalf of our school family a card expressing our heart felt sympathy, along with 'Memories of Edward' that the children who knew Edward had written, was sent to Edward's parents. Also, the money raised from the Infant Nativity raffle and money collected at the Junior Carol Service was donated to the charity Meningitis Now. A member of Edward Dee's family has contacted us to say thank you and that this brought some comfort to them. Please keep the family in your prayers.



On Thursday 9th February the Year 2 classroom will be used as a Polling Station. School will remain open with Year 2 taking their lessons in the school hall. The public will have no access to school.



Outstanding Dinner and Milk Monies

Several accounts are still outstanding. Please ensure that all monies owing are paid by Friday 13th January. Thank you.



Library Books

It is lovely to see our new library being used so much by the children. They love borrowing books. To ensure there is always a healthy supply for the children to borrow, please remind your child to come along and swap their book!



Library Days

KS1
Rec/Y1 Mon - Y2 Tuesday - Y1/2 Wednesday
KS2: Every lunchtime

Dinner Money (KS2 only)

Dinner money for the first half of the Spring Term (Mon 9/1/16 to Fri 10/2/16) will be £55 May I remind you that dinner money is paid in advance. (Cheques payable to LCC please)



Milk Money

Milk money for the Spring Term will be £12 for children aged 5+. Milk money becomes payable the term in which a child reaches their 5th birthday. (Cheques payable to LCC please)



This Weeks House Winners Are:

MYTHOP!

Well done children



Attendance

Our whole school attendance for the last school week was **94%**

The class with the highest attendance was **Year 2** with **98%**

Congratulations to all our Stars of the Week

Rec.	Zach Harry	For working so hard on his reading. Zach can now blend sounds on his own! For writing lots of CVC words all by himself. Amazing cursive writing too!
This week we have been writing about what we would like to get better at this year. In Maths we have been doing 'one more than' using numbers up to 20.		
Rec/Y1	Tobias Sonny	For good behaviour. For fantastic number work.
This week we have been learning about God as a creator and how we are all creative beings.		
Y1/2	Daisy Oscar	For great writing about Little Red Riding Hood. For being a confident reader.
This week we have been learning about how Jesus was a good friend to everyone.		
Y2	Herbie Phoebe	For working so hard with writing. For fantastic maths work.
This week we have been learning about Traditional tales.		
Y3	Jiteesh George	For showing super enthusiasm in R.E. For super teamwork in P.E.!
This week we have been learning all about persuasive writing.		
Y4	Max Georgina	For super attitude to learning this week. For making a great start after being off before Christmas.
This week we have been learning about how sound travels, and what the features of newspapers are.		
Y5	Amelie Alfie	For a fantastic start in a new school - well done. For a positive start to 2017
This week we have been rounding and ordering decimal numbers, and reading and following instructions in English.		
Y6	Bonnie Harrison	For working extremely hard to understand percentages. For fantastic reading.
This week we have been calculating percentages.		

Diary Dates

Fri 20th Jan		- Blue Moose dance taster sessions
Tue 24th Jan	6:30pm	- PTFA meeting in school - All welcome
Thu 26th Jan		- Y2 and Y6 - Fire brigade visit - Child Safety
Tue 7th Feb		- Internet Safety Day
Thu 9th Feb		- Y2 Classroom being used as a polling station - <u>school open</u>
Fri 10th Feb	3:30pm	- SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM
Mon 20th Feb	8:45am	- SCHOOL OPENS
Tue 21st Feb		- Year 5 - Drug Education
Wed 1st Mar		- Maths workshop evening for parents - in school: KS1 5:30-6:30pm - KS2 6:30-7:30pm
Wed 22nd Mar	9:30am	- Reception - Class Assembly - Mother's Day
Wed 29th Mar		- Y1/2 Class Assembly
Wed 5th Apr	9:30am	- Y3 led Easter Service at <u>St. Cuthbert's Church</u> - details to follow
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Tue 18th Apr	8:45am	- SCHOOL OPENS
Mon 8th May		- SATs week begins - no absences please

