



HORSLEY WOODHOUSE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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27th September 2017

Dear Parent

Thank you very much for your co-operation and support regarding the roofing project. We will keep you informed of any changes as the work progresses.

This Friday we are having a non-uniform day and raising funds for the Sick Children's Trust please bring a donation in on Friday. Many thanks.



We are pleased to tell you that our library will be starting again this week. Children will have the opportunity to choose a book to take home to read alone or with a parent. Last term we found that books were not being returned to the library and some got mixed up with the classroom books. This term library books will have better identification. They have an orange sticker on the outside and a date stamped on the inside. We hope this new system will help with returning our library books when your child wants to change them for a new book. Due to the high costs of replacing books in the library we will be charging £5 for any lost books. Thank you and KEEP READING. Reading is such an important part of children's development and progress and we cannot emphasize enough how important it is to read at least three times a week with your child.

Parent Consultations for all pupils are to be held on:

Monday 16th October for Classes 1, 2, 3, 4

3.30pm – 6.00pm

Thursday 19th October for Classes 1,2, 3, and 4

3.30pm – 5.30pm

If you wish to come and discuss your child's progress with the class teacher, please complete a sign-up sheet on **Tuesday 3rd October- 8 - 9am and 3.15pm to 3.45pm** or **Wednesday 4th October 8- 9am and 3.15pm to 3.45pm**

These sign-up sheets can be found in the school hall.

If you are not able to make these times, the sign-up sheets will be available to sign in reception from Tuesday 3rd October. Alternatively, you can ring the school from 3rd October and Mrs Cornfield or Mrs Cresswell will put you on the sheet.

Children's work will be available for parents to look at in the Hall. Appointments will be 10 minutes each. **At your allotted time please go to the classroom or allocated room and knock on the door.** If you feel you need a longer appointment, please arrange an alternative appointment for another day with the class teacher.

This year we will be having a Harvest Festival Assembly in school for the children on 17th October. Unfortunately we will not be using the church as they are having work carried out on the floor. Our usual Harvest Festival will resume as normal next year.

Donations this year can be brought in from 9th October and we are sending them to 'Doorways' who we support. Donations this year include coffee, sugar, hot chocolate, T bags, biscuits, crisps, chocolate bars, cuppa soups, pot noodles, bottled water, baked beans, pasta, rice and tinned meats.

Many thanks for your anticipated support.

All parents are invited to our next Parent Voices meeting which will be on Wednesday 1st November 2017 at 2.30pm in the staff room.

It seems a long way away but the kitchen at Belper needs to know Christmas dinner numbers. The Christmas lunch will take place on Wednesday 13th December and if you would like your child to have Christmas dinner please return the slip below with £2. All infant children will have a free lunch. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

L Peach
Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 29 th September	Non uniform day for the Sick Children's Trust.
Monday 2 nd October	Community Police Officers Assembly
Tuesday 3 rd October	Class 4 will have a talk on cyber bullying from the police.
Monday 9 th October	Staff training day and school is closed to pupils
	Parent workshop at Kilburn Junior school 6pm on Growth Mindset
Wednesday 11 th October	Year 6 parent meeting
Monday 16 th October	Parent Consultations 3.30-6pm
Thursday 19 th October	Parent Consultations 3.30 – 5.30pm
Friday 20 th October	School closes at normal time for half term
Monday 30 th October	School reopens
	Police assembly on Road Safety for KS2
Wednesday 1 st November	Flu immunisations for Reception, Yrs 1,2,3 and 4
	Parent Voices meeting 2.30pm
Monday 6 th November	Police assembly on Road Safety for KS1
Tuesday 14 th November	Open Morning for new parents of children starting school in September 2018
Tuesday 12 th December	Whole school to Derby Arena to watch Beauty and the Beast

CHRISTMAS Dinner – Wednesday 13th December

Name of Child.....

I would like my child to stay for school dinner

I enclose £2 (juniors only)

Signed.....-