



October Newsletter 2017

Dear Parents,

We have a busy few months ahead, please make sure that you check the diary dates for all up and coming events.

School Photographs a reminder that these will be taken on Wednesday 4th. If you haven't already, please return the permission slip. Family groups please indicate if you require additional individual photographs. Tempest cannot take these photographs without parental permission.

Morning Drop Offs—Breakfast Club/Karate/Yoga We have a number of parents bringing children to school for these clubs as early as 7:20am! These clubs do not start until 7:45am, we do not have staff available to supervise the children. Could you also ensure that you park in the outer bays away from school as this is a busy time for staff arriving and deliveries.

Half-term Holiday Club we are trialing a holiday club across our Multi-Academy Trust. Miss Swarbrick and Mr Walker are part of the team who will be running the two full days of activities for years 1-6 (Mon 23rd/ Tues 24th Oct). The cost of the days are very competitive at £12 per day. Spare booking forms are available from the school office.

Christmas Shoe Box Appeal We will again be supporting the Boxes of Hope Charity,

Reminders

CD Donations—if you have any CD's that you no longer require we would be extremely grateful if these could be sent into school. We are in the process

please see attached leaflet. If you want to make a Shoe-box for a child please send into school by 13th November. Please also ensure that you have paid the £2 towards delivery. I think this is a great opportunity to discuss with our children how fortunate they are at Christmas compared to other children around the world. Additional leaflets for friends and family are available in the school entrance hall. Further information is available from www.boxesofhopecumbria.co.uk

Harvest Festival celebrations take place Thurs 12th (grandparents 2pm) and Fri 13th (parents 9am). We are once again collecting food items for Barrow Foodbank (please see their website for items in demand) and raising funds to support the Charity 'Volunteer Uganda'. Next year Miss Thompson will be traveling to Uganda with this charity to teach in a school during the Summer and we really want to support her with this. Please send any food items into school and or a £1 donation to support the school in Uganda. Any raffle prizes and cake donations will also be gratefully received. The children are looking forward to performing for you.

Sickness/Diarrhoea as you know we are working very hard to improve our school attendance. However if your child has had either sickness or diahorrea they should not

of creating a music library with the aim of increasing the amount of active and passive listening that the children are involved in across the curriculum.

return to school until 48hrs after the last event. This is to avoid the spread to both staff and children.

Halloween Disco The PTA have organised the fancy dress disco for Monday 30th Oct. The event will be £1 entry with hot dogs, refreshments and activities on sale (see diary dates for times). Nursery children will be having an event in school—more details to follow. If you can help out at our Harvest events or at the Halloween disco please let a member of staff know or you can join the Yarlside PTA Facebook page.

PTA Quiz Night—SAVE THE DATE after the success of last year's quiz night the PTA have organised another event for Friday 10th November 7pm. Look out for further details and ticket sales very soon!

Midday Supervisor we have a temporary midday supervisor role until next February. If you are interested please contact school. Look out for further details on our social media sites.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to get in touch with your child's class teacher or you can contact me via the school office.

Mrs Pierce
Headteacher

Scooters/Bikes if your child comes to school on a scooter or bike they must dismount before entering the school playground to avoid any collisions. Thank you for your support with this.

Monday 4th 2017

October Diary Dates

- ☉ Tues 3rd Y3 Trip to Waterpark
- ☉ Wed 4th Individual School Photographs, Tempest
- ☉ Fri 6th STEM Transition Visit Furness Academy
- ☉ Wed 11th U9's Cluster Hockey Comp
- ☉ Wed 11th Y5 STEM Workshop
- ☉ Wed 11th Y5/6 Cross Country Comp
- ☉ Thurs 12th Rec Visit Barrow Library
- ☉ Thurs 12th Harvest Tea for Grandparents 2.00pm
- ☉ Fri 13th Harvest Tea for Parents 9.00am
- ☉ Mon 16th Y3 Knex Workshop, Y5 Rocket Workshop
- ☉ Tues 17th Y5 Model Making Morning
- ☉ Wed 18th Girls Football Competition
- ☉ Thurs 19th Boys Football County Comp
- ☉ Fri 20th Break for Half Term
- ☉ Mon 30th Return to School
- ☉ Mon 30th Halloween Disco YR/1/2 5-6pm, Y3-6, 6.15-7.15pm
- ☉ Tues 31st Work of the Month - Infants 9.00am and Juniors 2.45pm

November Diary Dates

- ☉ Fri 3rd Roast Dinner Day—Reception Parents
- ☉ Tues 7th U11's Hockey Cluster Competition
- ☉ Tues 7th/Thurs 11th Parents Evening 3.30-6pm
- ☉ Fri 10th PTA Quiz Night 7pm
- ☉ Fri 17th Children in Need
- ☉ Wed 22nd Sports Hall Athletics Y5/6
- ☉ Thurs 23rd—30th Scholastic Book Fair
- ☉ Thurs 30th Work of the Month - Infants 9.00am and Juniors 2.45pm

