



Dear Parents/Carers

**Festival**

Thank you again for your generosity this morning – our stalls will be full of fabulous goods and prizes.

Please bring children to the staff car park at 10.50 am tomorrow morning ready to start the parade at 11 am. Children should assemble with their teacher and other children in their class.

Don't forget, this year's parade is shorter than before; children will turn around at the post office on Rufford Road so we anticipate that they will be ready to enter the playground at approximately 11.15 am.

Children who have taken part in the parade will be admitted free through the car park gate. All other paying visitors should enter through the side gate. Young children (e.g. Reception and Nursery) who have taken part in the parade will be supervised until their parents/carers collect them.

Children are asked to wear a costume that relates to our theme of Children of the World. Costumes will be judged and prizes awarded at approximately 11.30 am.

Class 4 will perform their magnificent dance routine at 12 noon. We will be entertained by a live band – Nine-0-Nine – at 12.30 pm. We intend to hold the auction and announce raffle prize winners at approximately 1.00 pm.

Children may be interested to know that, at various stages during the day, they can throw wet sponges at their Headteacher who will be locked in the stocks.

My very grateful thanks to the PFA for all their hard work so far in preparing for tomorrow's Festival. We hope to see you for what we sure will be a memorable day.

**End of Year Reports**

You will be receiving your child's end of year report next Friday. This will include the levels at which your child's teacher has assessed him or her.

If, having read your child's report, you wish to discuss it with the class teacher or myself, please make an appointment to do so.

**Talent Show**

Tickets for next week's Talent Show are on sale now, please be sure to book yours at the office. The Talent Show will take place at 6 pm next Friday in the hall.

**HQ Coaching Summer Camps**

Please see details with this newsletter of football and street dance coaching courses taking place at our school in the first full week of the summer holidays (26-29<sup>th</sup> July.)

**Outstanding Money**

If you owe any outstanding payments to school for dinners, educational visits, uniform etc. please settle before the end of term.

**On The Back...**

Please see further details of summer holiday events that may be of interest to you or your children.

**Clubs On w/b 14/6/10**

- Monday:* Baseball, athletics, HQ football, netball
- Tuesday:* NWSS, HQ Street Dance
- Wednesday:* Music reading, Gorgeous Grub Club
- Thursday:* Cricket, Enterprise
- Friday:* Running

**FAST Club**

Don't forget we run an excellent childcare service after every school day.

Children are given a light snack and supervised and entertained. The cost is £3 up to 4.00 pm and £2 for every hour thereafter up to 5.30 pm.

Places are usually available at short notice (must be at least 24 hours) and forms for booking a place can be collected from the Office.

**Breakfast Club**

Remember that we offer very high quality childcare and a healthy breakfast to children from 7.45 am every morning. Book your child in at short notice and for the odd day. The cost is £3 per session.

**Head lice**

Please check your child's hair for head lice every week. Additional guidance is available from Pharmacy Online on Rufford Road and from our School Nurse (Sarah Malm) who visits every Wednesday morning and is on the playground from 8.45 am.

If you have particular concerns regarding head lice or any other medical issue please telephone the School Nursing Service on 01704 544766.

**Start Right**

Start Right is a scheme for parents and pre-school children aged 3 and below.

Please join Anna Maiden in the hall on Thursday mornings from 9 am. This is an excellent opportunity for parents/carers to play and engage with their pre-school child in the school setting and to meet other parents with pre-school children.

Further details are available from Anna Maiden in Reception class.

**Parents Weekly Drop In Coffee Mornings**

Please join us for an informal gathering for parents every Wednesday morning from 9 am in the Parents and Community Room on the first floor. I know many of you attend regularly and have found the sessions fun and reassuring.

Our Parent Support Advisor – Kim Hickson – will be pleased to meet parents to discuss any support that she may be able to offer.

All parents/carers are very welcome to attend. You may wish to meet other parents or to discuss issues you may have with your child. We are able to call upon a host of different agencies to offer a wide variety of support.

Pre-school aged children are also welcome!

**Term Dates**

- July*
- 3rd PFA Summer Festival
- 14th Sports Day
- 16th Walk to School/Park Away day
- 21st Y6 Leavers' production
- 22nd Leavers' Service in Church at 9.30 am
- Term ends at 1.45 pm

Best wishes

Mr Daniel Hains  
Headteacher

