



Dear Parents/Carers

New Parent Support Adviser!

I am delighted to announce that Mrs Kim Hickson was appointed as our new PSA this week.

Very soon you will be given details of her plans for meeting and engaging with you and how you can access support from her. If you do not know Kim she will be making herself known to you on the playground very soon.



SATs and School Tests Week

You will be aware that we had intended to hold our school tests week from 10-14th May. We have now decided to delay this until after half term. We shall choose a time when we feel our children are fully ready to be assessed during June.



Year 4 Trip to the Yorkshire Dales

Class 4 parents are reminded that the meeting about the trip will take place at 5 pm in Class 4 on Monday 26th April.



PFA Meeting

Our next PFA meeting is at 7 pm on Wednesday 28th April. All are welcome.



Bag2School

Next Friday, 30th April, is the collection day for the Bag2School fundraising initiative. If you could bring your bags to the front of school at the beginning of the day it would be greatly appreciated.



Clubs On Next Week

Monday: Football Squad training, Reading is Fun,
Tuesday: NWSS, French
Wednesday: Vigor Boards, Snack Making, Music reading
Thursday: Pirates of Penzance cast
Friday: Running, Cricket



Church Plant Sale

This takes place on 8th May at our school.



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.



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.



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.

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

April

- 26th Tiny Giant theatre group
- 28th PFA Meeting at 7 pm
- 30th Bag2School collection – 9 am

May

- 3rd Bank Holiday
- 8th Church plant sale
- 17th PFA event - Pampered Chef evening
- 25th Class and team photographs
French afternoon
- 26-28th Y4 to the Yorkshire Dales
- 28th Break up for half term at 3.10 pm

June

- 7th INSET day
- 8th Term re-starts
- 10th Pirates of Penzance performance
- 11th Engage for Africa day
Pirates of Penzance performance
- 12th Church gala
- 18th Mufti day for Festival
- 25th Mufti day for Festival

July

- 2nd Mufti day for Festival
- 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

