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September

We are well into the new term now and all the classes have settled well. It is lovely to welcome our new Squirrels and to hear how well they have settled into their class. The children are busy preparing for our Harvest Festival on 12th October. All

classes thoroughly enjoyed their Samba and Djembe drumming sessions this week. Oak Class are looking forward to their residential to Eaton Vale next week. Please check out the diary dates included on this newsletter; there is so much going on this term. Clubs are up and running and it is lovely to see so many children engaging in a variety of activities.

PE Kits

Thank you to everyone for your support with supplying children with the correct PE kits; it is much appreciated. We have begun to accumulate a few pieces of lost property - several sweat shirts and cardigans -without names. Please make sure all of your child's clothes are named so that we can reunite them with their owners.

Pasta Making

We are really pleased to welcome Erica Simpson, owner of Pasta Gusto in Wymondham, into school. She is making egg and wheat free pasta with all of the children in school over the next few weeks. Check out Twitter and the class blogs to see more!

Friends Halloween Party

On Thursday 1st November, the Friends have organised a Halloween Party in the village hall from 6pm until 7:30pm. There will be a variety of fun games and light refreshments. Children are encouraged to dress up in their Halloween costumes and to enter the pumpkin carving competition, prizes will be awarded for the best costumes and pumpkins.

Look out for a letter coming home soon.

MacMillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who supported our Macmillan coffee morning this morning. We were delighted to raise over £150 for MacMillan Cancer Support.

Term Dates

2018

Autumn Term

Thursday 6th September

to

Tuesday 18th December

Half Term

Thursday 18th October

to

Friday 26th October

Spring Term 2019

Thursday 3rd January

To

Friday 5th April

Half Term

Monday 18th February

to

Friday 22nd February

Summer Term 2019

Tuesday 23rd April

To

Wednesday 24th July

Half Term

Monday 27th May to Friday

31st May

Dates for your Diary 2018

Autumn Term

Wednesday 3rd to Friday 5th October-Oak Class to Eaton Vale

Monday 8th October-School photographs

Monday 8th October Cluster Cross Country event at WHAT

Tuesday 9th October Fox Class Prom Concert at Theatre Royal

Wednesday 10th October-Oak Class to science show at Theatre Royal

Thursday 11th October Girls' football event

Friday 12th October-Harvest Festival

Wednesday 17th October-Fox Class Bake Sale

Tuesday 30th October-Fox Class Visit to Norwich Cathedral

Thursday 1st November –Halloween Party at Village Hall

Friday 2nd November Badger Class visit to Norwich Castle

Tuesday 6th and Thursday 8th November-Parents Afternoon/Evenings

Wednesday 7th November-Cross Country event

Wednesday 7th November Squirrel and Fox St Martin's Day procession

Friday 9th November to Wednesday 14th November-Book Fair

Monday 12th November-1:30 onwards-afternoon tea and open afternoon

Wednesday 14th November-Diabetes Awareness Type Onesie Day

Monday 10th December KS2 Christmas Play Dress Rehearsal 2:00

Tuesday 11th December 2:15, EYFS & KS1 Christmas Play Dress Rehearsal

Wednesday 12th December 2:15, EYFS & KS1 Christmas Play

Wednesday 12th December 6pm-KS2 Christmas Play

Friday 14th December-Whole School Christmas Treat trip to the Pantomime

2019

Sports Afternoon Thursday 13th June, picnic 12-1pm followed by races

Remember...

We do our best to keep you informed of all dates which might affect you however, these are subject to change. Please visit our website regularly to ensure you stay informed.

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Illness

We have already had several bouts of illness at school, so now is a good time to remind you that if your child has been sick, they must remain off school for 48 hours after the last episode of sickness to help to prevent the bug spreading.

If your child is absent from school, please ensure that you phone the school every morning that they are off. Many thanks for your support.

Miss Knivett becomes Mrs Stemp

Congratulations to our teaching assistants Miss Knivett, who got married recently. She is now Mrs Stemp. I am sure you would all like to wish Mr and Mrs Stemp a long and happy life together.

Catering Change of Provider

Following a number of issues with our current catering provider, Vertas, we have secured a new contract with the caterers, Edwards Blake. Beginning after half term, our lunches will be prepared at Wymondham High School. We will send home menus as soon as they become available to us. Parents and carers of children with allergies will be required to complete a form which we will pass onto the head of kitchen.

Forest School Sessions

We are delighted with how much the children in Badger class are enjoying their Forest School sessions on Thursdays. Over the academic year, we are planning for every child in the school to access a block of Forest School sessions. Research shows that children are stimulated by the outdoor environment & typically experience, over time, an increase in their self belief, confidence, learning capacity, communication, problem solving and emotional well-being.

Books for Schools

The EDP are running a 'Books for Schools' giveaway. Vouchers will be printed in the EDP each day which we can exchange for free books. Please collect as many as you can, pass on the information to grandparents and other family members.

Parentview

A reminder that as parents you are encouraged to complete the Ofsted Parentview survey available at:

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=give-your-views>.



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Class Blogs

Remember to check the class blogs regularly via www.spoonarrowprimary.co.uk

Many thanks for your continuing support

Miss Hanton