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Newsletter

13th October 2023

Attendance

Whole school attendance for the week was 96.6%. A huge well done to Squirrel class who achieved 100% attendance. They will look after Attendance Ted until next Friday.

Class of the Week

Well done to Rabbit class who had the most raffle tickets this week! They will have some extra playtime and will keep the Class of the Week trophy until next Friday.

Christmas cards.

Don't forget to return your completed order form and full payment in cash/cheque **before Tuesday 24th October.** Please remember we cannot process the order without your child's art work attached.

Harvest activity morning.

Parents are invited into school **between 9.15am and 10.15am on Wednesday 18th October** for our Harvest activity morning. We will be limited for space so only **one parent** per family please. Parents can visit children in their classroom for harvest craft and activities. If you have more than one child in school, feel free to move between classrooms and collect your children so that you can be together. We are looking forward to seeing you all in school.

Harvest donations.

Don't forget we will be collecting donations for Tamworth Foodbanks this year. Please bring in any donations into school between **the 16^h and 19th of October.** Please see details of items that they urgently need. Many thanks for your support.

URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD ITEMS (W/C 25.09.2023)

TINNED FRUIT

TOILETRIES - SHAMPOO/CONDITIONER/DEODORANT/SHOWER GEL

SMALL BOTTLES OF SQUASH

TINNED VEGETABLES - CARROTS/MUSHROOMS/SWEETCORN/PEAS

TINNED FISH

TINNED MEAT - STEW, CURRY, CHILLI, HOT DOGS, CHICKEN

SMALL JARS OF COFFEE

10/12 MONTH+ BABY FOOD

WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF

BEANS

TOMATOES

TEA BAGS

SIZE 2 AND 4 NAPPIES

PLEASE NO BABY FORMULA

School Uniform sale.

During Parents evening, our donated school uniform will be available for parents to buy for a small cash donation. We have a great deal of good quality uniform that has been donated to the school so please take this opportunity to take a look and see if you can find anything suitable. Any donations made will help support fundraising for school resources.

The uniform will be available outside the school office from 1.30 to 5.30. Please use the main entrance – **There will be no access through the school hall.**

HEADTEACHER: Mrs Jayne Fellows

DEPUTY HEADTEACHER: Mrs Eluned Lane

Tamworth Guide dogs Fundraising Group for the blind.

On Thursday 26th October we are excited that the Guide dogs for the blind association will be visiting school. There will be a whole school assembly with two puppies who will then be visiting the children in their classrooms. Please contact your child's class teacher with any questions or concerns. If you would like to help us support this important charity then please send in a small cash donation on the day.



School Lunches

Monday	Mains: Smoky sausage and beans OR Cheese and tomato pizza Light Bites: Tomato and basil pasta OR Selection of wraps Pudding: Flapjack
Tuesday	Mains: Beef burger in a bun OR Veggie sausage, cheese and bean burrito Light Bites: Jacket potato OR Selection of sandwiches Pudding: Marble sponge and chocolate custard
Wednesday	Mains: Toad in the hole with gravy OR Quorn cottage pie Light Bites: Tomato and basil pasta OR Selection of filled rolls. Pudding: Orange and mandarin jelly
Thursday	Mains: Chicken tikka masala OR Vegetarian lasagne with garlic bread Light Bites: Jacket potato OR Selection of wraps Pudding: Blueberry muffin
Friday	Mains: Golden fish fingers with chips OR Quorn nuggets with chips Light Bites: Tomato pasta OR Selection of sandwiches Pudding: Ice cream

All meals served with a drink and a selection of vegetables and salad

Dates for your diary

October 2023	
Wednesday 18 th October	Harvest Craft morning – 9.15 – 10.15. One parent per family
Thursday 19 th October	School closed for voting
Tuesday 24 th October	Last day for Christmas card orders
Wednesday 25 th October	Parents Evening – 1.30pm – 6pm Website photographer in school *this is a change of date* School uniform sale 1. 30 – 5.30. Use main entrance to get to school office.
Thursday 26 th October	Tamworth Guide dogs for the blind association assembly. Donations optional
Friday 27 th October	Break up for half term holiday
November 2023	
Monday 6 th November	Children return to school
Friday 17 th November	Children in Need – more information will follow
December 2023	
Wednesday 6 th December (am)	KS1 Christmas Performance (Yr1&2) Details to follow
Thursday 7 th December (am)	KS1 Christmas Performance (Yr1&2) Details to follow
Tuesday 12 th December	EYFS Christmas Stay and Play (Nur & Rec) Details to follow

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