



Weekly Newsletter

Friday 30th September

Macmillan Coffee Morning

Huge thanks to those of you that were able to join us this morning for coffee and cakes. It was a brilliant turn out and gave our Y6 children plenty to do to keep them busy. The Y6 team and the children have worked really hard to organise the event, and my thanks go to them for doing such a great job. The total amount of money raised by the event so far is £321.19. A fantastic amount and your generosity is very much appreciated. We hope to increase this total by holding a cake sale after school today. The team will post the answers to the competitions, including matching the baby photos to the staff faces on the blog. Please look out for the answers!

Travel Survey

Coming home with your child today is a detailed travel survey which we have been asked to send out by the School Travel Planning Service. This is part of the process of analysing the impact of walking, scooting and cycling to school which I know has been very much a focus of improving congestion in the roads around school. The section at the top of the form enables your address and postcode to be used as a means of analysing where children are travelling to school from, and how. Please can you include your initials if you are not willing to include your name, just so that the forms can be easily distinguished by my colleague in the Travel Planning Service. Each child who returns a form will be given a sticker. The deadline is Friday 21st October.

Gates open

A polite reminder that our gates open at **8.40am** for children to walk around to their classroom doors. They close again at **8.50am** and learning begins during this time. Please come in directly through the office if you arrive at school after 8.50 and your child will be signed in there. Teaching staff are available for informal chats at the end of the school day. However, if you need to have a longer meeting with a member of staff, please can you make contact with the office to arrange a time to meet.

Blog

We have made a slight change to the way that blogs are posted, so that all blog posts are in one whole school blog which is accessible through the website as before. We feel that this is a great opportunity to share with you all of the valuable things that are happening across the school, as well as your child's own class. The blog allows for you to make comments, exactly the same as it did before, and all the previous posts are also on there. Please have a look and let us know what you think!

Parent Forum Monday 3rd October, 2.30pm

We look forward to seeing you there.

We have had a visit from the local police today investigating a bang and some smoke near the edge of the site at break time. No evidence of anything suspicious was found, but the police visit certainly provided some excitement for the children!

Have a great weekend.

Hayley Ferguson

Discussion of the Week

Is it better to donate money or your time and skills?

Merits

Gold

Isabelle (Y4)

Ruby

Ewan (Y6)

Tasha (Y5)

Leo (Y5)

Opal

Pablo (Y4)

10 Golden Tickets

Imogen (YR)

Outstanding Dinner Money

There are several accounts with outstanding balances. Please kindly ensure that your child's dinner account is paid in full each week to avoid any stop being put on dinners. Thank you

Cost per daily meal: £2.10

Dates for the Diary

3 Oct – Parent Forum **2.30pm**

7 Oct – Individual photos

21 Oct – Last day of Autumn half term

31 Oct – First day back of Autumn Second half term

This Week's Letters

Y1 & Y2 Local Walks

Year 3 Headlice

This Week's Winning Team

Elm

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