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Dear Parents

NEWSLETTER - Week 42

Base 2 Boys Football Wednesday 4 October – the children will be travelling by minibus to Eskdale School in the afternoon and return to school by 3:15 p.m. **ALL** children will need to bring football boots, shin pads and a drink in a re-sealable plastic bottle as we need a squad of 8. We will take all boys in Base 2. Please complete the permission slip and return it to school on Monday.

Parent Survey – the Governors would be grateful if all parents could complete and return in the envelopes the attached survey on Monday 1 October. This is an opportunity for you to give feedback on many aspects of school life.

Rugby Megafest – everyone had a great time at the megafest on Thursday.

HARVEST

Harvest Festival 6 October at 6 p.m. – we shall be participating in the Church Harvest Festival on Friday 5 October commencing at 6 p.m. The children should arrive at Church for 5:50 p.m. (dressed in school uniform). This is one of our main Community Events and we look forward to seeing you all at Church.

Harvest Baskets – as in previous years, please would it be possible for each child (family) to prepare a Harvest Basket (using a box of similar size to a shoe box) with e.g. fruit, vegetables, tinned goods etc., to give to an older member of our Community. We will assume that the children will give to the same person as last year unless you let us know otherwise. New pupils will be allocated an elderly person from the 'list'. Please could they bring the basket to school with them on the morning of Friday 6 October. The baskets will be taken from the church after the Festival on the Friday and returned to school where they will be ready for delivery on Monday 9 October. They will not be left in church over the weekend.

Thank you in advance for your kind contributions, the boxes are always greatly appreciated by the older members of our village community.

School Garden – thank you to Nev Worley for helping us plant onions in the school garden.

Macmillan Coffee Morning – Year 6 enjoyed helping at the coffee morning and the event was well supported. Thank you to those who provided cakes.

Book Fair – Tuesday 3 October

The School Book Fair will arrive on Tuesday 3 October for **ONE NIGHT ONLY**. The fair will be open after school from 3:15 p.m. until 4 p.m. Our school benefits from all sales and the funds generated will allow us to obtain books for school, so we welcome your support in this event.

2017/18 Holiday List – the children will be bringing home a holiday list for 1718 today.

Sports Club – please note, due to the Book Fair on 3 October, there will be NO sports club that afternoon. If any parents would like to help at future sports clubs please see Mrs Bennion.

JAM-BOREE Fundraiser!- We are very grateful to Mr and Mrs Eastaugh for selling their home-made jam and giving the proceeds to school. It really is delicious at £1.50 a jar! If you would like some please ask the Eastaughs or come into the office.

200 Club – this has been running for several years now and has greatly supported our School Fund, which goes to help pay for visits and transport that the children go on throughout the year. Sadly membership has diminished over recent times therefore we would be very grateful if all parents would help support this and spread the word among friends and family. If you need a 200 club application for new members please ask at the school office, any payments due may be brought into school.

Newsletters – please note all newsletters can be found on our website for your reference.

School time-may we remind you that children should arrive between 8:45 and 9:00. However on Thursdays ONLY those children who have music lessons, together with their siblings, are able to arrive slightly earlier. We understand that there may be occasions when you need to drop your children off a little earlier, on these occasions please do call in to see the class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bennion
Acting Headteacher

Future Events

- School Photographs – 3 November 9:00 a.m.
- School Fundraising Bingo Night – 10 November
- Whole School Pantomime Treat – 19 December

Base 2 Boys Football Wednesday 4 October

I give permission for my child/children..... to attend the Boys Football at Eskdale School.

Signed.....Parent/Guardian Date.....

I understand that medical details will be taken from medical forms filled in and sent into school. If there are any changes to medical details, please inform the school on the reverse of this form.

Please return this form to school as soon as possible.