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Dear Parents

NEWSLETTER - Week 41

School Council – we have a newly elected school council who will meet half-termly with Mrs Bennion in order to share the views and opinions of pupils concerning aspects of school life. Please have a look at our British Values display at the main entrance to find out more about who was elected!

Octoberfest – all entries for the fun run need to be in school by Monday 25 September.

Power-Down Pete – visited school on Monday and taught us all how to be more environmentally friendly. We looked at ways of cutting down waste and saving electricity. The School Council will be helping us all remember how to make our school more Eco-friendly!

Macmillan Coffee Morning – Year 6 will be helping at the Macmillan Coffee Morning at the Mallyan Hotel on Friday 29 September between 10:30 and 12noon. They will travel by car and be accompanied by Mrs Bennion. You are welcome to send donations of cakes to school that morning or take them directly to the Mallyan.

KS1 Multi Skill – KS1 children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in Multi Skills at Caedmon College.

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. Every child should have a sheet of tissue paper in their school bag tonight for you to wrap the shoe box in. 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.

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.

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 sports club please see Mrs Bennion.

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.

New Dates: Rugby Megafest postponed to Thursday 28 September.

SCHOOL FUNDRAISING BINGO NIGHT- 10 November, more details to follow!

Whole School Pantomime Treat Tuesday 19 December.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bennion
Acting Headteacher