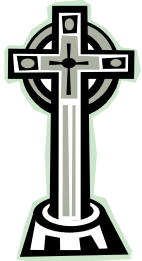


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North Stainley C of E School

NEWS FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Newsletter 2 Autumn Term 2017

Wednesday 27th September



Dear Parents / Guardians,
What a great start to the term! So many exciting events.

SWIMMING GALA

Some of KS2 attended a swimming gala on Wednesday 27th September. It was a really fun and challenging event, it was a very close competition for first between us and another school. It all came down to the final two relay events. Very exciting. We were a very close second and will now be attending the area finals in Harrogate on Tuesday 17th October. Well done swim team!



MACMILLAN COFFEE AFTERNOON 2-3.30m.

Please help us raise money for MacMillan Cancer Charity by joining us at our coffee afternoon on Friday 29th September in the Village Hall. There will be cakes and drinks plus a few additional games organized by our School Council. Cake donations would be most welcome. Thanks to FONSS for supporting this event.

CLASS 1

We would like to extend a really warm welcome to our new starters in Class 1.

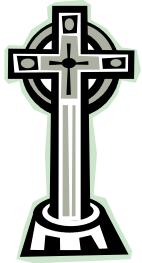


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In the mornings it is quite busy in class 1. We appreciate there may be things parents would like to discuss with Miss Gregory or Mrs Gray. We are therefore putting aside 15minutes every morning when they will be available to talk; this will be from 8.30-8.45. At 8.45 a member of staff will be at the gate to take your child into class. This will help them settle more quickly and be able to get straight into activities. You are always welcome in class and please don't think this means you can't go into class with your child, we are just trying to get them into the same routine as the rest of the school. Please speak to a member of staff if you have any comments to make.

STAY AND PLAY MORNINGS Wednesday 11th October

We would like to invite the parents in class 1 to stay and take part in a modelling activity with their child. Our first one this year will be on Wednesday 11th October from 8.50-10.00. Don't worry if you work and can't make it, we will ensure your child gets plenty of attention. You also don't need to stay for the whole session. Join us and have modelling fun!

SHARE MY WORK MORNING

On Wednesday 18th October, from 9.00-11.30am we will be inviting families into school so that the children can share their work with you and you can see them busy in their classrooms. You don't have to stay long, just as long as you like. Grandparents etc are equally welcome. We hope to see you then.

FRIDAY 6th OCTOBER

Celebration Assembly and parent lunch. We would love to see you at our assembly and invite you to share lunch with us. Mrs Taylor will send out a form, please return it as soon as possible if you would like to attend.

CLASS 3 TRIP TO YORKSHIRE MUSEUM - ROMANS

Class 3 had a great day at the Yorkshire museum in York. They dressed up as Romans, took part in a variety of fun activities and marched as Roman Soldiers did. It was a super day and at the end the museum staff said how wonderfully behaved our children were and that they were a real credit to us. Well done Class 3.

ATTENDANCE

Please remember how important it is that your child attends school every day. We start teaching at 8:50am , the doors are open from 8:45am.

If your child is ill please ensure that you contact school on the first morning off absence via telephone or email.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 28th September – Y5/6 Sportshall Athletics Competition

Friday 29th September – MacMillan Coffee Afternoon 2-3.30pm

Thursday 5th October – Y3/4 Archery Festival

Thursday 5th October – Y5/5 Cyclocross

Friday 6th October – Parent Celebration Assembly and lunch

Sunday 8th October – Village Harvest Festival 4pm in church followed by Harvest Supper in Village Hall

Tuesday 17th October – Swimming Finals in Harrogate

Thursday 19th October – Break up for half term

Friday 20th October – Staff training day

Please contact me if you have any concerns or comments,
Kind regards,
Mrs Elizabeth Watts
Heateacher.

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