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Letter 4

Friday 29th September 2017

Dear Parents/Guardian,

NEXT WEEK AT SCHOOL

Collective Worship theme: **Christian values**

Monday 2nd October	Change 4 Life festive selected Y3/4 children 12pm Adam Scaife sports in school all afternoon 12.30 - 1pm CFL club 1.00 - 2pm Adam Scaife working with class 1 2.15 - 3.15pm Adam Scaife working with Class 4 3.30 - 4.30pm multi skills after school club	Weekly Attendance 25th September - 29th September Class 1 97.8% Class 2 98.6% Class 3 96.5% Class 4 96% Highest Attendance Well done to: Class 2 School attendance total for the week 97.4%
Tuesday 3rd October	8.40 cauliflower cards available to view and buy 1.15pm Fire safety talk key stage 2 2.15pm Fire safety talk Key stage 1 Class 3 Squash session week 2 6-8pm Northallerton school year6 open evening	
Wednesday 4th October	8.40 cauliflower cards available to view and buy Class 4 Victorian visit to Ripon Museums 2.00pm Hayley Liversidge to lead collective worship (Northallerton Methodist church) Keyboard lessons 3.30pm Fun French club	
Thursday 5th October	Brass lessons Whole school Judo Session 2.00pm Clive Todd Leading collective worship Parent teacher Consultation Evening 6pm Bedale high school year 6 open evening	
Friday 6th October		

Please may I remind you to send a letter or email to school as soon as your child has returned to school, dated, explaining their absence for us to keep as a record at school.

SCHOOL NOTICES

New School Charity



I am meeting with the newly formed school council on Monday and they have asked for suggestions for the new school charity next year. If you have any suggestions then please send information on Monday morning about your suggested charity in an envelope addressed to the school council.

Naming School Uniform

Please put names on all school uniform including shoes, PE kits and coats. Many thanks

Old £1 Coins

Please remember that the old £1 coins go out of circulation from 15th October. From the 16th October we will not accept them in school. After this date, any old coins must be exchanged at a bank.

Personal Christmas Cards Designed by your Children

Our children have designed Christmas cards which can be made into cards and gift tags. Cauliflower Christmas cards will be available to view and order on Tuesday 3rd October, from 8.40am in the hall and on Wednesday 4th October at 8.40am. All the children have worked really hard to produce some fantastic Christmas artwork that will be turned in to proper Christmas cards. First pack is £5.50 then any subsequent packs are £4.50. Gift tags are also available.

Cards must be paid for with orders. Come along and have a look, there is no obligation to order. A percentage of all cards sold go to FASS. If you are unable to get into school to view the design, please contact school and we will send it home with your child. **Deadline for orders is Friday 6th October.**

Parent Teacher Consultation Evening

Your appointment times for the parent consultation evenings have been sent home tonight. Please search your child's book bag for these. We have one form from class 1 (Mrs Montgomery's class) which does not have a name on. Those who have not returned a slip requesting an appointment time, have been sent a reminder however there are very few appointment times left. If you have not returned your slip but require an appointment, you must phone the office ASAP on Monday morning to be given one of the remaining appointments.

Each teacher will be seeing parents in their classrooms. Please use the front entrance to enter school and wait in the hall. Please feel free to use the school car park during the evening. A bell will be rung at 10 minute intervals to try and avoid delay with appointments.

School Communication

We have been looking at ways to reduce costs and improving communication and FASS have agreed to fund a texting and emailing system which you will also eventually be able to make payments through. This would mean we could send occasional reminders to you by text and also do all our letters electronically. You would have access to all your letters in an email and be able to refer to them as often as you need, whilst school saves on photocopying and paper costs. We will shortly be sending you a text message from school where we will ask you to reply with your email address so we can ensure we have an email address registered for every parent with email/internet access. Please ensure we have correct mobile numbers and emails for both parents if both wish to receive texts/emails. Many thanks.

FASS

FASS Thanks

Thank you to all those people who came to the AGM on Wednesday afternoon, it was an excellent turn out. Huge thanks to all our FASS team but especially to Emma Sanderson and Shay Baldwin who have been joint Chairs for the last year, Tricia Townsend and Rachel Phillips as secretaries and James Wilcock for being treasurer. This school year, Emma Sanderson and Victoria Whiting-Caskey will be joint chairs, Helen Brown secretary and James Wilcock as treasurer.

Fundraising Pub Quiz

Do you like a good pub quiz? Keep Sunday evening 15th October free for a FASS pub quiz to be held at The Old Royal George Inn in Morton on Swale from 7.30pm. Light supper will be included as well as a raffle, more details to follow next week.

LOCAL EVENT

Morton Quilters Annual Quilt Show

From 1.30pm to 5.00pm Saturday 7th October in our school hall, there will be a display of wonderful quilts and cushions, homemade refreshments and a raffle. All money raised goes towards Motor Neurone Support. Entry is £4.

OTHER ITEMS SENT HOME TONIGHT

North Yorkshire safe places information

Class termly topics

Tag Rugby competition - Selected students

Parent teacher consultation slips
Live professional wrestling even flyer