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Letter 5

Friday 6th October 2017

Dear Parents/Guardian,

NEXT WEEK AT SCHOOL

Collective Worship theme: **Christian values**

Monday 9th October	Governor SEN visit 12pm Adam Scaife sports in school all afternoon 12.30 - 1pm CFL club 3.30 - 4.30pm multi skills after school club	Weekly Attendance 3rd Oct - 7th Oct Class 1 91.7% Class 2 95% Class 3 99.1% Class 4 97 % Highest Attendance Well done to: Class 3 School attendance total for the week 95.6%
Tuesday 10th October	Class 3 Squash session week 3 2.00pm Jen Holder leading Collective worship	
Wednesday 11th October	Keyboard lessons 3.30pm Fun French club in the preschool classroom Parent teacher Consultation Evening 2	
Thursday 12th October	Brass lessons 1.00pm Tag Rugby Competition	
Friday 13th October		
<p>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.</p>		

SCHOOL NOTICES

Harvest Collection

This year our school council have asked that we collect for WaterAid for our Harvest project. Each child has come home with a sheet that shows a drop of water and they would like you to stick coins, (using cellotape) covering the drop of water.

Multi Academy Trust Feedback

Please have a look at the feedback from all the schools regarding the consultation meetings for schools joining the dales Academies trust. It can be found on the school website, consultation tab, MAT Consultation page.

Parking at School

Please may I remind you that parents/grandparents and child minders should not be parking in the school car park unless helping in school. Blue badge holders and parents of children with an education health care plan may park in the carpark. This is to minimise the amount of traffic crossing the path at the beginning and end of the school day for safety of all our children. People dropping off and picking up from Ainderby Kids Club may use the car park since there are few children in school at those times in the day. I have had a complaint from the Resource centre on St Helen's Close since on numerous occasions they have struggled to get their mini bus in and out of their car park due to where parents have parked. Please park responsibly away from their carpark ensuring their vehicles and emergency vehicles can have clear access at all times.

Ainderby Kids Club



Ainderby Kids Club, now open for a year, is becoming very popular which is wonderful to see. We do recommend you book as far in advance as possible since some sessions are now full due to our staff: pupil ratios.

Cauliflower cards Thanks

Thank you to everyone who has ordered cards for Christmas which we will send home as soon as they arrive in a few weeks. They always look absolutely fantastic. Huge thanks to Emma Sanderson for collecting money, completing forms and collating all the cards for posting.

School Communication

Thank you to everyone who replied to our text message and sent us their email address in reply - what a fantastic fast response! In order to send you free text messages, so there isn't a cost to either you or school, we have sent further information regarding downloading the Gateway app. for those people with a smartphone. Please follow the instructions to download the app. and speak to us if you have difficulties doing this. It will only work if we have both your mobile number and email address.

Thanks for a Donation

Many thanks to the Baldwin family for donating some money to Ainderby Kids Club when Grace left to go to secondary school. This will go towards buying some more toys and fun things for the children to use.

SPORTS NEWS

Key Stage 1 Fun Run

Our year 2 children had a great time at the Key Stage 1 fun run. They demonstrated excellent behaviour and all tried their hardest. Some children got medals for their effort in running and others for smiling and determination when challenged.

Change for Life Festival

Our children had a fantastic time working with children from other schools doing activities on space hoppers and moving in different ways on floor ladders as well as many more fun sessions. Their behaviour was impeccable with all children trying their hardest.

FASS

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.

Boden Clothes

Tuesday 17th October come to school and view the Boden clothes and even try them on. A percentage of all orders placed raises money for school. More details to follow next week.

Great North Air Ambulance Bag Collection

Are you having a clear out at home? Please save things for the next Air Ambulance bag collection 9.30am Thursday 19th October. We will be sending bags home next week.

LOCAL EVENT

Morton Quilters Annual Quilt Show - TOMORROW

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.

Wine Tasting quiz, Morton village hall- TOMORROW NIGHT

Saturday 7th October 7.30pm. Try and guess what you are drinking at this fun and popular quiz. Tickets only £10 and this includes wine and cheese please contact Lynne on 01609779447 for further details

OTHER ITEMS SENT HOME TONIGHT

School gateway app. download information

School photograph proofs

Judo Leaflet

Yours sincerely

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