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## Autumn Term Newsletter 4

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Dear Parents,

It was a busy, but successful end to the half term with Parents Consultations and sporting events.

### Year 4 Hockey Tournament

*written by R U, C A and H P*

On Tuesday 10 October all the Year 4 children went to Holy Family High School to play in a hockey tournament against two other schools (Fairburn and Burton Salmon). There were three teams representing North Duffield. In the end the three teams came 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Well done to all the children for taking part in a successful tournament. The winning team was CA, DH, AD, JF and KH.

### Cluster Cross Country

On Friday 6 October 55 children from Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 represented the school at the Barlby Cluster Cross Country Event held at Cliffe Primary School. It was a very successful afternoon for the school; winning 4 out of the 8 races and having numerous children in the top 8 places in each age group. Many of the children will now represent the Barlby Cluster in the Selby Finals to be held at Tadcaster in December.

Special mentions to our winners, DH, SD, MB and IE

### Short Mat Bowling

*Written by A K and A M*

Class 5 visited the Village Hall in North Duffield to participate in short mat bowling. Short mat bowling is a great game for children, as our first experience went well. Four lovely ladies from the bowling club split us up into groups of 4; we were given a wood (a ball) and a chance to hit the jack (a target). After some practice we scored points and looked at the competitive side of the game. Altogether we loved the experience and everyone left with smiley faces.

### Football Tournament

On Tuesday 17 October the school football team had their first games of the season at Riccall School. The team played two games beating Escrick two nil and losing to a last minute goal against Barlby CP. Well done to all the players for a great start to the season.

### Parents' Consultations

Thank you for attending last term's parent/ teacher consultations. Feedback from the staff and parents that I have spoken to has been very positive. Please remember if you have anything you would like to discuss further the staff are happy to make an appointment to meet with you

Kind Regards

**Growing Learners for Life**



### Weekly Awards

**6 October**

Class 1- L M, M D & J H  
Class 2- E C, O T & E W  
Class 3- E C, D R & L W  
Class 4- R W, R U & O B  
Class 5- M V S, L F, L F & T D

**Lunchtime**  
A D & K D



### Weekly Awards

**13 October**

Class 1- A H,  
G M & E M  
Class 2- B W, R I & P M.  
Class 3- H C, E L & R P  
Class 4- E W, D H & H P  
Class 5- M C, S D & O E N.

**Lunchtime**  
M A & M D



### Weekly Awards

**20 October**

Class 1- H V, T W & S d B  
Class 2- E B M, R M & C C

A Russell  
Headteacher



## **Autumn Term Dates**

9 November	Open the Book Assembly
Tuesday 20 November to Monday 27 November	Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday 12 December	KS2 Carols at 6pm
Thursday 14 December	KS1 Nativity Play at 2pm and 5:30pm
Tuesday 19 December	Christingle at Skipwith Church
Thursday 21 December	Christmas Parties
Friday 22 December	Last Day of Autumn Term
Monday 8 January	Staff Training Day
Tuesday 9 January	School Open for Spring Term