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## NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers,

Congratulations to the children who received the Head Teacher's award and sticker on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September for "Being a Good Friend" and on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October for "A Great Attitude to Reading".

Nursery	-	Levi Brophy and Rebekah Delaney Natasha Jones and Wilfred Birtwistle Vere
Reception	-	Jessica Smith and Karys Shackleton Jacob Johnson and Isaac Sutton
Year 1	-	Mason Stout and Leo Jones Evan Harris and Ava Martin
Year 2	-	Daisy Hirst and Daniel Grogan Aaron Muir and Lexi O'Mara
Year 3	-	Jemima Birtwistle Vere and Evan Wallwork Joseph Hunter and Ella Lea
Year 4	-	Lulani Chi Wilson and Lance Kremer Remy Aldridge and Will Blackwood
Year 5	-	Heather Ryan and Oliver Davies Lily Arrand and Grace Pearson
Year 6	-	Madeline Stout and Brodie Smith Milly Marshall and Dylan Morgan-Gardiner

### **Harvest Festival Assembly:**

On Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October we have our Harvest Festival Assembly starting at 9am. Each class will be involved from Nursery to Year 6 and all parents are invited. In connection with this we are asking for donations of dried and tinned food such as pasta or tinned soup to be brought into school on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October. These donations will be collected on Friday by the Trussell Trust, a local foodbank.

**Samaritan's Purse – Christmas Shoebox Gift:**

A child in Year 2 has had a lovely idea that she would like to help organise the Christmas shoebox gift appeal. If you would like to participate leaflets will be sent home with the children next week and the child's parent is offering a drop off point for the boxes which will be at the Whitehouse Hair Salon, Waterton Lane, Mossley (upstairs).

**Parking:**

We have had several complaints from residents and parents at how some of our parents are parking around school before and at the end of the day. I therefore politely request that in the interests of the safety of the children you do NOT park on the school markings or linger on these unnecessarily between 8am and 5pm.

**Dogs on the Playground:**

Please refrain from bringing any dog onto the playground at any time of the day, even if your animal is on a lead.

**Bookfair:-**

Our bookfair will continue on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October. If you have not already done so, please feel free to come and have a look and help school raise funds for new books for our library.

**Diary Dates:**

Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6 (am) - Safe Squad (Crucial Crew)
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	Reception Class "Little Bikes" Session
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Festival Assembly - Parents Welcome to Attend
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Next Boreatton Payment Due Date
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Parents' Evening (Y1 – Y6) 2pm until 7pm
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Nursery and Reception parents meeting week.
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	School Closes for Half Term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	School Re-Opens

Thank you for your continued support  
Mrs Irene Williams  
Head Teacher