



# Ovingham CE First School

## Weekly News

11th October 2019

### Dates at a Glance

- Flu immunization—14th October
- Harvest Service—Practice—16th October
- PTA—Quiz Night—18th October, 7.30pm
- Harvest Service—22nd October, 9.00am
- Book Bus—22nd October, all day
- Forest School Reception—22nd October
- Forest School, Y3 and Y1—23rd October
- Forest School Y4 and Y2—24th October
- School Disco—24th October

### Clubs

**Karate**—Mondays 3.10-4.10pm—open to children from Y1—Y4

**Tag Rugby**—Y3/Y4, 3.10-4.10pm

### Artwork

A new gallery on the fabulous artwork the children have been creating recently has been put up on the website.

We are also working hard on the artwork we will be displaying to you all on 22nd and 23rd October between 3.00pm and 5.30pm. The visit date for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 families is on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, Year 3 and Year 4 families may visit the following day on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

### School Council

Our School Council have had some initial ideas about helping with the parking problem outside of school. They are in discussion with the Middle School as to how this might work. We will continue to keep you updated with our progress and how you may be able to help.

### Flu Immunisation

The flu immunisation team will be in school on Monday to carry out the nasal immunisations. If your wishes have changed since you completed the forms please let us know.

### Middle School Applications

The portal for applications for Middle School September 2020 closes on 31st October. Please be sure to register your child as soon as possible.

### Safeguarding

Our safeguarding leads in school are Mr Hudson, Mrs Aldridge and Mrs Harper. They are happy to speak to you about any queries or concerns you may have.

### Cauliflower Cards

Your child will be bringing home their Christmas card designs today. If you would like to order cards, gift tags etc. then your order must be back in school by Friday 18th October so they can be sent away to the printers in time.

### Reception Photograph

The recent photograph of our new starters taken by The Courant's photographer, should be published in their 21st October edition.

### Harvest Service Practice

Our practice session for the Harvest Service will be held on Wednesday 16th October. If you would like to help walk the children down to St Mary's church at 9.00am, please speak to your child's teacher.

### Headlice

We would remind parents to check regularly for any sign of head-lice. Advice on dealing with head-lice can be found at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/> Once treatment has been carried out children do not need to be kept away from school.

### Sickness

Please help us to keep infection at bay by keeping children at home for 48 hours after any period of vomiting or diarrhoea.