

# Preston Grange Primary School



Newsletter - September 20<sup>th</sup> 2016

## **Pirate Day - school lunches**

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October there will be a pirate themed school lunch. The catering staff will be handing out activity sheets and give the children a pirate hat as part of the school lunchtime. Food includes Pieces of Gold (golden chicken pieces with chips and peas), along with Golden Treasure (Macaroni cheese).

## **Scholastic books**

Mrs Royle has asked that if there is anyone who would like to order any Scholastic books, please could you return your order to the school office by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September thank you. Please send cash or cheques made payable to Preston Grange Primary School.

## **Osiligi Warriors in school**

Today the Osiligi Warriors, a Maasai group from Kenya came into school to dance and sing. They were absolutely amazing! They told the children all about the part of Kenya that they come from, and all about their culture. The children loved watching them perform. They even had some audience participation, which the children loved. A full range of photos may be found on the website. Please ask your children all about the Maasai Warriors.



## Harvest Festival

On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, we will be having our annual Harvest Festival in school at 9.15am. Each class will sing or perform a poem, and there will be a few whole school songs. The assembly will last approximately 25 minutes. The School Council will be meeting this week with Mr Burgess to decide where the donations of food will be sent this year following our Harvest collection.

As part of our Harvest Festival, we will be having our annual family competition! The competition will be sent out tomorrow as a hard copy home with the children. We look forward to seeing all of the wonderful entries again.

## Forest School days

We have planned for each class to spend a day in school with Mark Stutt, who has been doing forest school skills with our children since Spring term. This week, Mark is working with Year 1 for the full day, and the children will spend all day outside. We would be grateful if parents could send children into school with wellies and coats, when it is their day for working in the outdoors with Mark thanks.



Tracey Taylor, Headteacher, September 20<sup>th</sup> 2016