



Newsletter

Friday 21st September 2018

School Governors.

As you are aware, we have had some changes to our school governing body. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Helen Woods-Waters and Joe Taylor, the outgoing chair and vice chair for all of their hard work, and welcome the new chair and vice chair Claire George and Jenni Roughead. I would also like to express a sincere thanks to two long-term governors who have retired, Liz Allan and Bernard Geeling, and again, thank them for all of the hard work and support they have offered the school over the years. Over the next couple of weeks, parents will vote for a new parent governor. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the three candidates, Tamsin Embleton, Anthony Gould and Joanne Anderson; all are worthy candidates and would be a fantastic support to the school. Ballot papers will be circulated next week.

Parents' Evening Reminder.

Parents' evening this term will be held on Monday 24th, Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th September. A separate parents' evening has been arranged for the Nursery and Reception classes for later in the term.

Coffee Morning.

School will be holding a Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan on Thursday 27th September at 9am-10.30am. Parents will have a coffee and cake with their children. Other children, whose parents cannot attend, will have the opportunity to buy a hot chocolate and a cake, at some point during the coffee morning. Suggested donation 50p.

Art Week.

Last week was Art Week in school and all the children produced a portrait of themselves. We have now put all the portraits in frames and we intend to have a display of these along with some Design and Technology work, on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th October in the school hall. Parents can come and view the art work with the children from 3.05pm-3.30pm on these days.

Clubs.

Monday: Boys Football	Year 3 & 4
Tuesday: Boys Football	Year 5 & 6
Wednesday: Girls Football	Year 4 to 6
Wednesday: Dance	Year 2 to 4
Thursday: Basketball	Year 5 & 6

First Holy Communion.

The children took part in the first preparation session for their First Holy Communion on Wednesday. Father Smith is looking forward to seeing all the children and their families at Mass this week at St Anthony's at 10.30am on Sunday.



Inset day.

Just a reminder that school will be closed Friday 28th September for staff training, as the staff will be taking part in a two-day Literacy course on Friday and Saturday.

Advance Notice of Year 6 SATs.

This year's SAT tests for Year 6 will take place during the week commencing Monday 13th May 2019. It is vital that all Year 6 children are in school this week.

School Planners.

We have been pleased to see many children making excellent use of their new school planners to keep a record of their home reading. Can we remind you that the Home-School agreement should be signed daily, by an adult at home who has read with the child.

