

Steam Mills Primary

10.09.21

Dear Parents/Carers,

Drop and Go

Thank you for your participation in drop off and go in the mornings. To clarify, Class 2 children who are dropped off stay with Mrs Dickinson until a member of staff collects them. KS2 children walk around to the KS2 playground to be supervised by a member of staff. Members of staff are outside until 9am, when they will lock the gate and close the doors. Please use the main reception entrance if you are late.

Life Ed sessions

These sessions will be taking place on Weds 22nd September for each class, as follows:

- Class 1-All About Me
- Class 2-Feelings
- Class 3-Meet the Brain
- Class 4 -Decisions

Yoga!

Children in pre-school, Class 1 and Class 4 have enjoyed their first yoga session, with a lovely focus on resilience and strength. Well done all and many thanks to Caroline Rickards for these fantastic sessions.

Right Respecting

Mrs Gibbs is helping everyone in school to work towards the Gold Standard of this scheme. Each class has agreed their class charter and talked about the Rights of a Children and which ones to focus on this term. We share these in our weekly Celebration assemblies.

Our support of Children in Need fundraising links to these Rights of the Child:

Article 23- You have the right to special education and care if you have a disability

Article 27- You have the right to food, clothing, safe place to live and your basic needs to be met

Article 24- You have the right to the best possible health care, safe water and nutritious food

Children in Need Day

Takes place on Friday 19th November. Children can wear a non-uniform or a costume of choice. Please donate £1.

FOSM

Friends of Steam Mills (our parent, teacher and friend association) are encouraging new parents to join. Please let us know if you are interested as all are keen to start thinking about fund-raising and fun events for this year.

Diary Dates

September

22nd Life Ed Sessions

30th Flu Immunisations
(information to follow)

October

21st Last day of Term 1

22nd Inset Day

November

1st Start of Term 2

19th Children in Need

Rags to Riches

Just to remind you that there is a Rags to Riches collection booked for Wednesday 22nd September. Please bring in any bags of clothes on the morning as we do not have the space to store them. Many thanks.

Local Football

Hi I am John Bevan FA football coach who helps local children, I am also a child welfare officer for the football Club. I am passionate about helping as many children as possible, give them the opportunity to play football, train make new friends obvious benefit of exercise. We are also a non-profit Voluntary organisation at Ellwood Youth Fc.

If you could please send out by email to parents, to see if we any of them would be interested with information below it would be very much appreciated it is to help the local children and their families in the community, especially after the year and half they have all been through.

Any Children interested in School reception age or school Year 1 from at Freedom Leisure Centre Lydney 5.00pm-6pm, Starting Tuesday 5th October 2021. If anyone is interested please contact me in first instance John Bevan on 07707834782 <https://ellwoodyfc.org.uk>
email address: Jason@ellwoodyfc.org.uk

Thank you for your assistance it is much appreciated.

Kind regards
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Agencies

Please find attached to this newsletter a letter from Miss Barber regarding agencies that the school works with.

Best Wishes
Mrs Davis