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Autumn Term Newsletter 5

Dear Parents

During this term there have been some essential changes to the fencing and access to the school.

The new reception area is nearly complete; the new fencing has been installed; with any further work due to be completed before the end of term.

The changes are:

1. New higher mesh fencing erected along Broadmanor.
2. A new main pedestrian gate installed on Broadmanor.
3. A new vehicle only gate for staff and authorised persons.
4. A gate has been installed to the rear of the school, which will only be open for morning drop off and evening pick up. (*Please note this is already in operation*).
5. Pedestrian gates will be unlocked from 8:50am to 9:15am and 3:10pm to 4:35pm.
6. All access to the school site from 9:15pm to 3:10pm and after 4:35pm will be via the main gate on Broadmanor via an intercom system.
7. The reception area will be moved to the Broadmanor side of the school and accessed via the new pedestrian gate.

The changes to the access to school have been discussed thoroughly and approved. They are important to ensure continued development in the safeguarding of the children, staff and visitors in school, as well as allowing areas of the school grounds to be developed and used effectively.

I will inform you when you will need to use the new reception area as the main entrance to school. Thank you for your patience during the changes.

Staff News

We are delighted to announce that Mrs de Bethel is expecting her second child. I am sure you will join us in congratulating her and her family.

Christmas Lunch

The children will be having their Christmas lunch on Wednesday 20 December. The children may bring in a Christmas hat and jumper to wear for the day as part of the celebrations.

Yours Sincerely

A. Russell
Headteacher

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Diary Dates

Autumn Term

Tuesday 19 December	Christingle at Skipwith Church 1:30pm start
Wednesday 20 December	Children's Christmas Dinner
Thursday 21 December	Christmas Parties
Friday 22 December	Last Day of Autumn Term

Spring Term

Monday 8 January	Staff Training Day
Tuesday 9 January	School Open for Spring Term
Thursday 25 January	Young Voices Trip
Monday 12- Friday 16 February	Half Term Holiday
Monday 19 February	School open after holiday
Wednesday 28 February	Firefighters Charity Collection
Thursday 15 March	Skipwith & North Duffield 60's Club Concert -2pm
Thursday 29 March	Last Day of Spring Term

Summer Term

Monday 16 April	INSET Day
Tuesday 17 April	School open for the summer term
Monday 14 May- Friday 18 May	KS2 SATs week
Monday 29 May- Friday 1 June	Half term holiday
Monday 4 June	School Open after holiday
Monday 9 July- Wednesday 11 July	Year 5 & 6 Residential
Friday 20 July	Last Day of Term