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Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had a brilliant week in school and it's been great having our first full week in school. The Reception class are about to embark on being in school full time next week and they have been a delight. They seem so confident and ready to learn which is brilliant. I have seen the children doing PE outside and have been walking around the Robins and the Owls classroom quite a bit, seeing the children working hard and doing challenging work. This week's value has been Respect and, for me, a part of that is about being polite and showing good manners. Being polite is just one of those life skills that we all need to get on in life. So, saying good morning or afternoon and responding when spoken to are really important at Coaley. Lots of the children have been coming up to me and telling me their names. I'm getting there with lots of them but probably have a bit of way to go with everyone!

I've attached an overview of all the things we are going to do this year. As you can see, some of it is about improving teaching and outcomes for the children at Coaley. Some things we will do will be about improving the school environment, including the playground and library. We are also looking to update the school logo and signage as it needs to reflect the school as it is now and where we are heading. It's a very exciting time to be at Coaley and I'm really looking forward to helping the school to be the amazing place we know it to be.

We've also set some dates and I thought you'd like to have this in advance so you are aware of what's going on and when. Talking of dates, I must apologise for confusing the date of the parents' coffee morning. I must have been looking at last year's calendar but no excuses really. It will be on **Tuesday 8th October at 9.00am.**

Richard Lucas
Executive Headteacher

Thank you

I would like to say a big Thank you to everyone who sponsored me for the bike ride I took part in back in August. With your support I was able to raise close to £800 for the charity JDRCF. Although it was a challenging ride, I really enjoyed 46 miles of the sights of London without the traffic jams for once. All your support is very much appreciated.
Mrs Smith.



Cross Country

The dates for the KS2 Cross Country at KLB this year are; 12th October, 9th November, 7th December, 11th January. Sign up details will follow later next week.

Please note, PE days:

- Monday - Robins
- Tuesday – Owls Y3-Y4
- Tuesday – Y5-Y6 Forest school clothing in a bag
- Thursday – Robins
- Friday – Owls

Proud Cloud Certificates:

Robins: Ffion, Ellie, Elise, Jess, Jack, Oscar
Owls: Jamie

Attendance:

Robins – 94.3%
Owls – 94.4%

Respect:

Values Certificates:

Robins: Anna-Mae
Owls: Andrew

Growth Mindset Certificates:

Robins: Ben for trying his very best all week!

Owls: Amelia for showing great determination this week to be the best she can be. Well done!

CLUBS: BEGINNING 16th SEPTEMBER FOR 6 WEEKS – PLEASE RETURN CONSENTS

Monday: Book Club (All) 3:15pm – 4:00pm

Tuesday: Forest School 3:15pm -4:30pm – Cross Country (Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6) 3:15pm – 4:00pm

Wednesday:

Thursday: Sports Club (Y3,Y4,Y5,Y6) 3:15pm - 4:00pm

Friday: Fun & Games Friday (YR,Y1,Y2) 3:15pm – 4:00pm

Dates for your Diary

- Church Worship - Thursday 3rd October – 9:00am
- Coffee Morning - Tuesday 8th October – 9:00am

FOCS Dates

- Coaley Fireworks - Sunday 3rd November 2019
- Christmas Fayre - Friday 6th December 2019
- Coaleyfest - Saturday 20th June 2020

Please note- Dates and times are subject to change, we will update you as soon as possible.