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Newsletter 4 Autumn Term

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Dear Parents and Carers,



It has been another busy week here at school. The Minnows and Tiddlers have been using 'Rosie's Walk' as a focus for learning about farms, fruits and vegetables. The Sticklebacks have been investigating Emmeline Pankhurst and the suffragettes. In the Seahorses class the children have been working on inclusive games with our friends from Bardwell School. The Stingrays have been investigating gases and the Sharks continue to learn about the slave trade linked to Black History Month.

Primary Leadership Team

Our new team will be meeting next week to consider projects and the role they will play in our school development. They will also receive their Primary Leadership badges.

Macmillans Coffee Morning

We had a very good turnout at our fundraiser on Friday afternoon and we thank you all for your wonderful support. We raised the sum of £273.20 for Macmillans, for which they will be extremely grateful.

Harvest Festival

We had a lovely service at St Olave's on Tuesday afternoon with each class performing well and enjoying the singing. Thank you to the volunteers who helped with walking down to the church and back, and also to everyone who brought in donations for the Bicester Food Bank. It is all much appreciated.

“Child of the Week”

Some of the children’s names may not appear under the “Child of the Week” because they have been excluded from appearing in the school newsletter. Well done to the following who received certificates this week :

<i>Minnows</i>	Mason C-M
<i>Sticklebacks</i>	Evie M and Theo E
<i>Seahorses</i>	Aaliyah H and Harry T
<i>Stingrays</i>	Noah E and Jessica R
<i>Sharks</i>	Leo N and Maia A-S

Year 5 & 6 Rugby Tournament

Fritwell’s sporting calendar got off to a flying start with two teams attending the partnership tag rugby festival on Wednesday. As always they were great ambassadors for the school and demonstrated resilience, teamwork and sportsmanship. Both the children and staff looked very professional in their new team kit. This is what one of the children wrote about their experience :



By Grace Mooney, Year 5

I was very nervous since I have never really been to any sports events. As we started playing our matches it became very exciting! Battling through, winning our matches again and again! I now do Tag Rugby Club with Mrs Churchill. It’s such a great experience and I think that more people should do it.

Next Week’s Events

Tuesday 9 th October	9.00am	Years 1 – 5 Flu Vaccinations
	3.30-5.30pm	Parents’ Evening
Wednesday 10 th October	9.15-12.15pm	Years 3 & 4 Football Tournament
	5.30-7.30pm	Parents’ Evening
Friday 12 th October	7.30pm	FoFS Quiz Night

Book Fair

The Book Fair is now running and the children are doing a fine job in manning it before and after school. This will continue until after drop off on Wednesday 10th October and books will also be available to buy on Parents’ Evening on Tuesday the 9th.

FoFS Quiz Night

A reminder for the FoFS Quiz Night in a week’s time; we hope that you are all swotting up!

October Half Term Tennis Camps

We have received a flyer from the Bicester Lawn Tennis Club regarding camps they are holding for children in the half term. If you would like your child to attend one of these please ask at the office for a form.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Jon Hart

Headteacher

SCHOOL DIARY

Tue 9th Oct – Years 1 – 5 Flu Vaccinations

Tue 9th Oct – Parents' Evening

Wed 10th Oct – Year 3 & 4 Football Tournament

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Fri 12th Oct – FoFS Quiz Night

Mon 15th Oct – Year 6 Yenworthy Week

Fri 19th Oct – 'Love your Learning' Morning

Fri 19th Oct – HALF TERM STARTS

Mon 29th Oct – INSET day

Tue 30th Oct – Back to School

Sun 4th Nov – FoFS Fireworks

Wed 7th Nov – Cross Country

Thur 15th Nov – Whole School Trip to Think Tank

Sat 24th Nov – FoFS Christmas Fayre