DIARY DATES

OCTOBER

Mon 21st 5-8pm Parents Evening Wed 23rd 9.10am Volunteer safeguarding training Wednesday 23rd 5-8pm Parents Evening Fri 25th TRAINING DAY Mon 28th - Fri 1st HALF TERM

NOVEMBER.

Mon 4th BACK TO SCHOOL Wed 6th 9.30am Reception Sept '20 Open Event Thurs 7th Individual school photos
Thurs 7th 8pm PTA Meeting Mon 11th 1.45pm Reception Sept '20 Open Event Fri 15th Children in Need Tues 19th 9.30am Reception Sept '20 Open Event Thurs 21st Sports Enrichment Day Class 2,3 & 4 Fri 22nd Sports Enrichment morning Class 1 Thurs 28th 1.30pm Reception Sept '20 Open Event Fri 29th 3.30pm PTA Film Night

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Parents Evening



Appointment confirmation slips for next week's parents' evenings have been sent out with all classes. Please check your children's book-bags if you haven't seen the slip yet and contact the office to confirm the time of your appointment if your slip hasn't made it home. We look forward to meeting with you.

Heart of England Forest

This week Classes 2, 3 and 4 have all enjoyed taking their Learning learning outside of the classroom and into the woods. Class 3 were the first class to go to Middle Spernal and had a great day taking their learning about the Stone Age into the outdoors. On



Tuesday, Class 2 identified signs of autumn and used their artistic skills to create work in the style of Andrew Goldsworthy. Class 4 had the opportunity to apply their design technology skills - working collaboratively they were challenged to design and construct a water-worthy vessel that could float in a small pond. We would like to thank all our volunteers who accompanied the children.

Children in Need



This year we will be supporting the annual Children in Need appeal on Friday 15th November. We will be having a non-uniform day, children can come to school dressed in something spotty for a £1 donation to Children in Need. We would ask that children are appropriately dressed with no cropped tops or football strips and that footwear is suitable for

safe active play at break times.

Maths Marking

Class 3 and 4 maths marking will be carried out on Thursday next week due to the training day being held on Friday. Your support in ensuring that maths homework books are in school on Thursday morning would be much appreciated.

Timetable Changes

Meeting & Greeting



It has been lovely to receive so many smiles and greetings around school this week! Thank you families for the encouragement that you have given your children to share smiles and respond to greetings.

Taking Care Programme

Starting this week, we have been delivering our Protective Behaviours lessons. This programme will run across the whole school during PSHE lessons over the next 4 weeks. Reception and new pupils to the school are bringing home Protective Behaviours information.



Name Labels



We continue to find a large quantity of unnamed uniform in school. This week it has been particularly noticeable amongst the stray PE kit that we have been collecting from the cloakrooms. We would really appreciate all families taking the time to ensure all items are

clearly labelled with children's names; this includes PE pumps and trainers as well as PE bags, shorts and T-Shirts.



Donations Needed

If you have any children's pants or socks that are no longer required, we would be very grateful to receive donations into school. Also if your child has been sent home with spare underwear please make sure you wash and return the items so that we have them in school when we need them.



PTA Disco



The school discos are taking place tonight 5.30-6.30pm for Classes 1 and 2 and 6.45-7.45pm for Classes 3 and 4. Entry is £2 per child and if you haven't got a ticket yet you can pay on the door tonight. Unlimited water and squash will be available and PTA volunteers will offer a selection of snacks for sale.....as a rough guide, a couple of pounds will be enough to buy plenty!! For children who are new to the school, particularly those in reception, parents are invited to stay for

For children who are new to the school, particularly those in reception, parents are invited to stay for the duration of the disco.....we always welcome helping hands to sell snacks if you feel the need to have something to do!!

Teacher Training Day

A reminder that next Friday, 25th October, the school will be closed for teacher training. We will reopen after half term on Monday 4th November.



Star of The Week

Esme Wilson Class 2
Aaryan Thapliyal Class 3
Charlie Masters Class 4