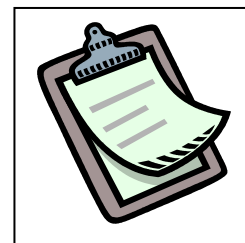




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Playground Safety

Please can I request (once again) that no children ride scooters or bikes on the playground before or after school. Again last week there was a 'near miss' with a young child which could have resulted in a nasty injury.

If anyone sees a child doing this, please feel free to pass this on to myself or your child's Class Teacher.



Cake & Biscuits!

Wednesday 19th October

The Pupil-Parent Council is holding a Cake and Bun Stall on Wednesday 19th October after school.

Our focus this year is to raise money for some smart, colourful, all weather shelters for the playground. These are expensive, but judging from the substantial amount of money we raised for the laptops, I am sure this could be achievable!

Any donations of cakes, buns and biscuits would be gratefully received. Please bring into the school office on Wednesday morning, thank you!

Questionnaires

Thank you to those of you who have already taken the time to respond to our annual parent questionnaire.

If you require another copy, these are available from Mrs Hayton in the school office. In the next newsletter, I will be providing a summary of the responses.

We are going 'paperless' from January

I am aware that in some weeks parents can become deluged with letters and information. As a parent myself I know that keeping up with this can be difficult (often finding old letters in the bottom of bags after the event has passed!) Schools are increasingly adopting the approach of keeping parents updated via email and text message. This is quicker, more cost effective for the school and more eco-friendly.

Those letters which require your consent or a written response will of course continue to be provided on paper. In addition, paper copies of all correspondence will continue to be made available in the school office and to those parents who specifically request this and will also be posted on our website.

Please make sure we have your up-to-date email / mobile phone contact details so we can keep you informed.



Parking outside the school on double yellow lines and particularly on the 'zigzag' yellow lines of the pedestrian crossing has recently been spotted again.

It is very rare that this occurs but is illegal and dangerous.

Thank you for your kindness

All your food donations today were warmly received by the Salvation Army, along with all the contributions from the congregation of St Thomas' Thank you to those who came along to join in the singing and celebration.



Cross country

Well done to all our cross-country runners last week who competed against other local schools.

Well done in particular to Millie Howeltt, who was placed 7 out of over 70 runners in her age group.

For information

On the left hand-side of our website in the green box, you will find a 'Child Protection Summary Statement'.

I wish to be as open with you as possible about our duties as adults, whose primary role is to ensure children in school are safe.

This sets out those roles and responsibilities. Feel free to take a look if you would like to know more.



Is your child interested in learning to play the Ukulele?

Ben Floyd, a local tutor is offering tuition in school.

Look out for the letter next week.



**MacMillan Coffee Morning
&
Open morning for 'new starters'
for September 2017**

**Saturday 12th November
10.00am-12.00pm**

Pupil- Parent Council Questionnaire

Our Pupil Parent Council runs regular fundraising events for the school community. Not only does this provide lots of fun, the money we raise enhances the education and experience of all the children at our school and will only continue to do so with your support. We would like to know which events and activities interest you and your children, so please take a few minutes to complete this questionnaire:

Name: _____ Contact telephone no: _____

Child's name(s) and class(es): _____

Email: _____

Below is a list of the types of activities that we run or are thinking of running! We want to gauge your interest both in attending and helping at these events. All support is welcome – no matter how much or how little time you are able to give. Please tick all boxes that apply.

TYPE OF EVENT	I'D LOVE TO ATTEND	HELP ON THE DAY	HELP PLAN THE EVENT
KIDS ONLY EVENTS:			
Disco and Fun Evening			
Late Night Pyjama Party			
Other (your suggestions)			
PARENTS ONLY EVENTS:			
Race Night			
Ladies Pamper & Shopping Evening			
Quiz Night			
Murder Mystery Evening			
Summer Ball			
Other (your suggestions)			
FAMILY EVENTS:			
Christmas Fair			
Easter Fair			
Summer Fair			
Family Bingo Night			
Family Bonfire Celebration (with Pie and Pea Supper)			
Family Movie Night			
Family Quiz Night			
Other (your suggestions)			

Thank you!