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HUXLEY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

13th September 2024

DEAR PARENTS/CARERS...

Wild, Windy and Wet

As the header picture above reflects- the weather has been a little unpredictable this week, which has proved as a little reminder to all of us to bring in suncream if it is hot and waterproof jackets and wellies if it is wet. It is always useful for children to bring along spare clothes and socks too (whatever age they are!) as we do like to go outside as much as possible.

A huge well done to our new starters- they have been amazing at coming in in the mornings. Thanks to those of you who have tried really hard in getting the children in earlier so they do not need to rush in or come via the main entrance. This really helps settle the children better.

Please can parents be reminded that the front desk is Miss Lloyds workspace and that she often in on calls and online meetings so if you are late, please be mindful of this.

Another request- sorry- but could you please check with your children whether they are attending clubs in the morning before you come into school rather than ringing Miss Lloyd and asking her to check if they want to go. As you can imagine this can take up a lot of her time when we have 46 children in school.

Thank you to those of you who sent spare items of clothing- we have lots now so thank you so much!

It was lovely to see so many of you at the coffee morning and so many new faces too! Everyone hopefully has now received the diary dates sheet but if you haven't please pop in and let us know. On there you can see when future coffee mornings are and all the events coming up too. Our central management system is nearly sorted but we are still having to manually do some things in the meantime so please bear with us just a little longer in terms of admin.

The children have all started their full curriculum this week. Please see the attachments accompanying this newsletter for the overviews for EYFS, KS1 and KS2. Along with our weekly timetables. I am hoping to have Showbie sorted by the end of next week but we are still waiting for new pupils to be added before we can open up this years files. I will also run a session on introducing new parents to Showbie but also reminders for current parents shortly.

Dinners- it has been great to see fresh food being cooked on site and seeing the kitchen full of lovely produce delivered each day. On Thursday, we had a lovely turkey roast - roasts used to be a school favourite however we only had 16 children have dinners that day. It would be great to see a bigger uptake with dinners especially now we have onsite provision. We used to have numbers in the high 30's. To assist your decision- the menu is on our website https://www.huxleyprimary.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/28843145 and Christine (cook) and I will be meeting with the Mini Governors to get some feedback from the children on the menu just in case we can make any changes for them that may help. Please note for this coming week we have moved Pizza to Tuesday (instead of Monday) on the children's request so hopefully they will enjoy this option.

Come Learn with me- our first come learn with me session is on 25th September. This gives you the opportunity to see Huxley in action, join in with class activities and see what your children are learning. The Come Learn with me session will start at 9am and finish at 10.

Have a great weekend,
Many thanks,
Mrs Gourley

DIARY DATES

- 11th September- coffee morning- welcome new starters
- 25th- Come Learn with Me
- 2nd October- Coffee morning- attendance and curriculum updates (amended date)
- 8th October - Harvest at Church TBC
- 10th October- Wear Yellow Day

HUXLEY IN THE PRESS AGAIN -
<https://www.nurseryworld.co.uk/content/features/eyfs-best-practice-in-schools-flexischooling-being-flexible/>

CLUBS-
TUESDAY- ART WITH MRS A
WEDNESDAY- BOARD GAMES WITH MISS SEDDON
THURSDAY- SPORTS CLUB WITH MISS REYNOLDS (PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO SPORTS CLUB 19TH SEPTEMBER)



**MRS
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HEADTEACHER

