Weekly Dates Letter

Week Commencing 7th October—Autumn Term Week 6



On Friday our Mini Vinnies presented a lovely liturgy for our CAFOD Harvest Fast Day. We raised £125.60 for CAFOD. Thank you for your generosity.

We would like to congratulate Patrick on coming 6th in the country for his age group in a gymnastics competition on Friday.



Congratulations to our first two 100 club winners, Mrs Brady and Mrs Lynne Bulmer. Our next draw will take place on Friday. If you would like to buy a number for yourself or your family please see the office. If you have only paid fort he first 4 weeks, your next payment will be due by 4th November, we will accept payments in the office from now. Just to remind everyone that there will not be a draw on the last week of this half term as we will not be in on the Friday.

Our First Holy Communion programme will begin on Thursday 10th October with a parent's meeting for those children at 3:20pm in school.

Events for your diary

On Wednesday 23rd October we will be having the Book People Book Bus in our yard. The bus will be open between 8am and 4pm.

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Parents can come along to look and buy the books throughout the day. Each class will be able to visit the bus with their teacher, where they can buy a book from the bus, if they bring their money to school, or we will make a note of the book they want and parents can buy the book when they collect their children after school.

Our school photo day will be held on 15th November. We will be having class, individual and family group photos. Watch out for a letter closer to the day with all of the details.

Our Open Day for prospective parents will be held on 17th October. If you have family or friends who have children who will be starting school next September, please could you let them know the date.

Just a reminder

We have had several instances of sickness bugs in school so far this term. Can we just remind you that if your child has had any sickness or diarrhoea, they need to stay off school for 48hours after the

last bout. Our guidelines come from Public Health England and are designed to stop the spread of such bugs.

Can all children please have their PE Kits in school at all times. It is important that all of the children are able to take part in PE and without the correct kit they will not be able to join in. Also no jewelry can be worn in PE or in any of our after school sports clubs or council run swimming lessons. PE Kits will be sent home at the end of each half term so they can be washed.

Our school nurse will be in school on 26th November to give all of the children their Flu Immunisations. If you haven't signed up for this yet can you please complete the online form before Friday 22nd November.

Thank you

Key dates for the next 2 weeks

Tuesday 8th October

11:00am - Class 3 Swimming lessons—please remember your kit

Wednesday 9th October

9:15am Lloyds Bank Assembly for children

Thursday 10th October

Guitar and Ukulele Lessons in school—don't forget your instrument.

3:20pm First Holy Communion Parents meeting

Friday 11th October

9:00am—11:30am Mini Police Visit to Durham Police Control Room

Tuesday 15th October

11:00am Class 3 swimming lessons—don't forget your kit

Thursday 17th October

9:10am Prospective Parents Open Morning

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Monday 21st October

10:00am Scouts/Beavers Assembly for the children

Our Award winners and attendance and 100 Club winners can be found on our website at

http://www.stbedessacriston.co.uk/pupils/weekly-awards/

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