8 November 2019

Driving and Reversing

Please can all parents' be extra careful when reversing their cars. It has been reported that there have been several near misses involving children. Please bear in mind that you may not be able to see children crossing behind you in your mirrors.

Children in Need



Just to remind you that it is Children in Need next week and the children are going to be undertaking activities on more than one day. Children in Years 2-6 will be doing stalls on Thursday morning so they will need to bring their pocket money ready to take part and buy cakes etc. On Friday, they are dressing up as animals and will need to bring a £1 to be out of uniform. In addition milkshakes are being served on Friday morning again at £1 per milkshake which will include a biscuit or two. On Friday, the children will need to bring no more than £2 in total.

The parents of children in Foundation and Year 1 will receive separate information on what is happening for them so please take note of that so that you know when and what to do.

The children who go swimming on a Friday should bring their costume into school on Thursday. On Friday they should wear their school uniform to the swimming pool and can change into their costume when they return to school. They will be given the opportunity to have their milkshakes upon their return.

Christmas Cards

You will have received a copy of a Christmas card which has been designed by your child. If you wish to order packs of the cards or the other items on the order form please return the completed form with the correct payment to the school office no later than Tuesday 19 November.

A percentage of the sales will go directly to the Launde Parents' Group charity who are hoping to spend these funds and the funds raised at the Christmas Fair on some new playground equipment to go with the newly laid markings.

Diary Dates

Friday 15 November – Children in Need

Monday 18 November – Year 3 Egyptian Day

Thursday 21 November – Year 6 Warning Zone visit

Tuesday 26 November – Christmas Fair

Tuesday 3 December – Year 1 Christmas Concert 1.30 pm

Wednesday 4 December – Year 2 Christmas Concert 1.30 pm

Wednesday 4 December – Year 3 Christmas Concert 6.30 pm

Monday 9 December – Year 4 Christmas Concert 6.30 pm

Tuesday 10 December – Year 5 Christmas Concert

Friday 13 December – Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 16 December – Year 6 Christmas Concert 6.30 pm

Thursday 19 December – Foundation Christmas Concert 10am

Please note that May Day 2020 has been moved and will now take place on Friday 8 May to coincide with the 75th anniversary of VE Day.

Christmas Concerts

From Monday, we will be selling concert tickets please send the money in an envelope with your child so that we can return the tickets to you. There are only two tickets per family due to the limited space in the hall and there are no tickets for under school age children for the evening concerts so please make the necessary arrangements for childminding. The concerts are on the following dates and times:

Foundation – 19 December 10 am Year 1 – 3 December 1.30 pm Year 2 – 4 December 1.30 pm Year 3 – 4 December 6.30 pm Year 4 – 9 December 6.30 pm Year 5 – 10 December 6.30 pm Year 6 – 16 December 6.30 pm

If you require more than two tickets please let the office staff know and any additional tickets will be sold during the week of the concerts.

Christmas Dinner

If your child is in Years 3-6 and currently has packed lunch but wishes to have a Christmas Dinner on Thursday 19 December please purchase a ticket from the school office no later than Tuesday 10 December.

If your child is in Foundation, Years 1 or 2 and currently has a packed lunch then please let the office know by Tuesday 10 December and your child can be added to the dinner list. A copy of the menu is attached.

Christmas Fair

The Christmas Fair is taking place on Tuesday 26 November. Please see the attached flyer for more information about the activities taking place.

School Uniform

Could all school uniform and book bags and PE bags be ordered and paid for via the Schoolgateway. They should then be collected from the school office 24 hours after placing the order.