

**Newsletter**

 **Issue 9**

**10 November 2023**

Dear Parents and Carers

**Girls Football**

Our Girls Football Team played a very exciting and closely contested match yesterday, away at Weeke Primary School. After conceding an early goal, our team defended valiantly and kept the score down to 1.0 until the last couple of minutes.

 We were very unlucky not to score and even though we lost 3.0, conceding two late goals as we pushed hard for an equaliser, it was a much-improved performance against strong opposition which gives our team a lot of hope for future matches.

 Our Boys Teams’ are both playing fixtures over the next couple of weeks, so we are hoping to end the term on a high. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all our parents who have been taking the children to away games this term for doing this for us.

Mr Sleeman

**Photographer Visit**

A reminder that the school photographers will be in school on **Tuesday 14 November.** This is for individual and sibling photos.



If you have a child in Nursery who does not attend Nursery on Tuesday but you would like their photo to be taken please bring them to school for 9am.

**Little Tots Group**

We are starting new drop sessions for families with children aged 3 and under. This is starting on Thursday 23 November 9 – 10am. Come and join us with your child for chat and play.

Please find attached our flyer with more information.

**Christmas Lunch**

Please find attached an order form the school Christmas Lunch which is taking place on **Thursday 7 December.** For the kitchen to order in the correct amount of food we need these forms back by **Thursday 16 November.** Nofood will be able to be ordered on the day – **no order no food.** Also due to large amount of lunch debt you **will not** be able to order a Christmas lunch for your child if their lunch debt is currently over £10.00.

**Christmas Dates**

Some dates for your diary –

Thursday 7 December - Christmas Lunch (form attached)

Monday 11 December - Rock Steady Concert – 2.30pm

Tuesday 12 December – 2pm Nursery and Year R Nativity

Wednesday 13 December - Christmas Carols – 3.00pm (KS1 and KS2)

Thursday 14 December - Whole school trip to Pantomime (not Nursery)

Friday 15 December - No Breakfast Club

More details to follow for each event.

**Reminder**

A reminder that if your child has a sickness bug it is 48 hours before they can return to school.

This is to keep everyone well.

**Charity Christmas Cards**

If you would like to support a charity of your choice when buying Christmas Cards this year, pop along to the Brookes Shopping Centre in town as they are selling them from a shop unit in there. Many different charities are represented.

**Santa Fun Run**

This year’s Santa Fun Run will take place on Sunday 3 December in Winchester. The event is run by Naomi House and Jacksplace Hospices to raise vital funds for their fantastic Hospices and is a great family fun-filled event. If you would like to take part, or find out more, please visit their website naomihouse.org.uk/winchestersantafunrun

**Learning Behaviours**

We have held this week’s Learning Behaviours assembly. This is where each teacher chooses a child/children that has demonstrated the chosen learning behaviour of the week. The teacher shares with everyone what the child has done and then we all celebrate their achievement. This term we are looking at **respect.** The children who were chosen this week were:

Year One Bonnie

Year Two Ellie

Year Three James

Year Four Mason

Year Five Hannah

Year Six Edward

**School Lunches**

Thank you to everyone for settling their lunch accounts, however **the lunch** **debts are still high** - please could you ensure that your account is kept up to date. For your information the money owed per class is as follows:-

**Hares £ 256.23**

**Foxes £ 53.25**

**Herons £ 266.30**

**Kingfishers £ 222.80**

**Nursery £ 92.40**

From **Monday 18 September** your child will not be able to order a school lunch if the debt is above £10.00 – if the debt is over £10.00 they will need to bring in a packed lunch. Please can you arrange to clear your Lunch accounts as soon as possible.

If you would like an up to date statement of your child’s account please contact the Admin Team. **If you have not yet registered to pay online via Scopay and would like a copy of your login details please email us and we will be happy to help**. We would appreciate it if all accounts, including any outstanding Breakfast Club and After School Club accounts, could be settled as soon as possible. **Please ensure that your After School Club Account is up to date as we employ extra staff for this club. If you would like an up to date statement please contact the school office.**

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Bordoli

Interim Headteacher

**Dates for your diary (new dates in red)**

School Photographer 14 November 2023

Open Morning (9.30am) 29 November 2023

Flu Vaccinations 5 December 2023

Christmas Lunch 7 December 2023

Rocksteady Concert 11 December 2023

Nursery and Year R Nativity – 2pm 12 December 2023

Christmas Carols 13 December 2023

Whole School Trip to Cinderella 14 December 2023

No Breakfast Club 15 December 2023

School breaks up for Christmas 15 December 2023

School returns for Spring term 2 January 2024

Open Morning (9.30am) 5 January 2024

Year R school applications close 15 January 2024

Inset Day 19 February 2024

Inset Day 28 June 2024

Inset Day 1 July 2024