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Garton on the Wolds C.E. (V.C.)



Primary School

Newsletter

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MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Thank you to everyone who supported the Macmillan Coffee Morning today.

I am delighted to inform you that the school raised the fantastic amount of **£307.01** for this very worthwhile cause.

We would like to say a special thank you to Mrs Cousins and Class 1 for organising the event and making such a wonderful job. Thank you also to those parents who kindly donated buns and cakes for the sale, they were very much appreciated.



PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent/teacher interviews will be held on Monday 19th October. A letter providing further information will accompany this newsletter.



WATER BOTTLES

We feel it is very important that all pupils have access to a drink during lessons, especially after PE lessons. Therefore please could you provide your child with a drinks bottle. They can be purchased from school at a cost of £2.00 or brought from home. Please could you also ensure that the bottle is clearly named. Thank you for your support.



CHURCH HARVEST FESTIVAL



You are invited to attend the Harvest Festival at Garton Church on Wednesday 5th October 2016 at 7.00p.m.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Our Harvest Festival will take place on Friday 7th October at 2:45 p.m. in the church.

Harvest Gifts of non-perishable food would be most gratefully received and may be brought into school on the day of the festival.



Questionnaires were circulated earlier in the term to establish preferences as to where you would like the Harvest produce to be distributed to this year. The majority of the questionnaires returned stated the local food bank as their choice. Therefore arrangements will be made for the Harvest produce to be delivered to the Driffeld Food Bank this year, thank you to those parents who returned the questionnaire.

We look forward to seeing you all at the service.

HALLOWEEN DISCO

The Friends of School have organised a fancy dress Halloween Disco which will be held in school on Tuesday 18th October from 5:30 until 7.00p.m. Tickets are priced at £2.50 and will include a snack, a drink of squash and a biscuit. Sweets and snacks will be available to buy on the night. During the evening the children will also have the opportunity to win prizes at various games. Prizes for best dressed child from each class will be presented. Donations of prizes will be much appreciated.



Please complete the slip below if you require tickets, and return to the school office.

INDIVIDUAL/FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS

The photographer will be in school to take individual and family photographs on **Tuesday 4th October**. If you have younger siblings that you would like photographed individually or as part of a family please arrive at school for 9:00 a.m.



VANDALISM

Unfortunately our school has been the victim of mindless vandalism over recent weeks. For this reason the school has had no alternative but to close the site out of school hours. This is not a decision the school has taken lightly and not a decision that the school would ever have wanted to take.



The school is not in a position financially to be able to cover the cost of persistent damage nor does the school have the manpower to clear the site of litter and debris on a daily basis.

You may be aware that on Sunday evening the school's pet chickens were let out of their house. As we are sure you can appreciate this could have led to a very nasty situation and one that we would not want our pupils to experience.

The Police have been informed and will be carrying out routine patrols of the site. If anyone has any information in regards to the vandalism please contact the school or Driffield Police station.

Thank you for your continued support.

SPONSORED WALK

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the pupils and parents who took part in the school's sponsored walk last week.



Please could we ask that any outstanding sponsor money is brought to the school office by Friday 14th October. To date the school has received nearly £700.00 in sponsor money which is a fantastic amount and will help greatly towards the purchase of ICT equipment for the children. Thank you for your continued support.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

W/C 3rd October 2016

Monday: Woodwind Lessons
Tuesday: Individual Photographs.
Tag Rugby – After School
Netball Club – After School Club
Football Tournament
Wednesday: Football Club – After School Club
Biathlon After School
Thursday: Guitar Lessons
Choir – 8:30 a.m.
Year 6 Open Evening – Driffield
Secondary School
Friday: Violin Lessons
Harvest Festival - 2.45 in the
church. No Awards.
Saturday: Key Stage 1 – Cross Country.

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W/C 10th October 2016

Monday: Woodwind Lesson
Tuesday: Tag Rugby – After School Club
Flu Vaccine – Year 1, 2 & 3
Wednesday: Football Club – After School Club
Netball Club – After School Club
Full Governing Body Meeting 6pm
Thursday: Choir – 8:30 a.m.
Guitar Lessons
Foundation Stage visit to Bainton
Forest School.
Vision Screening.
Friday: Awards Assembly – 3.00 p.m.
Violin Lessons

Halloween Disco

Child's Name: _____

I/We require _____ tickets priced at £2.50 each for the disco.

I enclose £_____.

Signed _____

