

# Grewelthorpe CE Primary School



Newsletter 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018



## Our School News

### Forest School

This week we have been using the bow saw and folding saws to make noughts for our noughts and crosses games. The children did some great lashing to make their frames and enjoyed playing with their games. After their hard work they lit the Ghilli Kettles and made some hot chocolate. Great teamwork this week Year 3 and 4!



### Swimming gala Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October

The children will be leaving school at 11.30 am and we expect the children to be back at school at approximately 4.35 pm.

*The following children will be taking part: Thomas Hallam, Laurence, Alfie, Meghan, Libby, Meghan, Becky, Saskia, Tilly, Beatrice, Handley, Richard & Thomas Ford*

Parents are most welcome throughout the gala but must be seated in the main pool gallery.

### Himalayan Gardens

As part of the junior's ongoing studies in their Stone Age topic, they will be visiting Lime Tree Farm and the Himalayan Gardens on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> (subject to weather). They'll need a packed lunch, sturdy footwear and a warm coat. They'll be leaving school after registration and be back in time for 3:30pm. During their visit they'll take part in a range of activities including: rope making, plant weaving, round house sketching and visiting the sculptures for an art project.

The rolling consent form will be used for this trip.

### Harlow Carr Gardens – Reception & Class 2

On Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October, Reception and Key Stage One will be going on a trip to RHS Harlow Carr Gardens, as part of our topic on 'Senses'.

The cost for this trip is £5 per child, which will be payable on 'Parent Pay'. The trip will take place during normal school hours and our coach provider will be Atkinson's coaches.

Mrs. Davies, our school cook, has kindly agreed to provide a packed lunch for the children to take with them, which will be free of charge – please could you provide details of your child's sandwich preference on the form attached. **If you would prefer your child to take their own packed lunch, please also let us know.**

Children will need to wear their school uniform as usual and wear coat and shoes appropriate for the weather.

Please could you make your payment and complete and return all details on the consent form, attached, by **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October**.

### After School Clubs – 5<sup>th</sup> November – 7<sup>th</sup> December

After school clubs next half term will run from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November and finish on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December. They will not run for the last two weeks of term due to all the Christmas activities that will be taking place.

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All clubs will remain the same with the exception of football which will be replaced with badminton due to the dark nights. The badminton club is limited to 6 children and is open to class 3 & 4.

Please complete the reply slip and return to the office if your child wishes to join

Miss. Blake's club will run as normal.

## **Grammar information evening at Fountains- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 3.45 – 4.45pm**

We are holding an information evening after school on the 24<sup>th</sup> October at Fountains to share information with parents about the grammar curriculum and the expectations for the children at each year group. We hope that this will be very useful for you and would love for you to join us. Please inform the office if you will be attending so as we can gauge how many will be attending.

## **Parents Evening – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October**

Our parents evening will take place on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October. The appointments will start at 3.45 pm and finish at 6.30 pm.

We would like you to indicate from the slip below which 'time slot' would be most convenient for you to attend and email the details to school asap (you do not need to use the slip below, just details on an email will suffice). We will then confirm your time a.s.a.p. **We would ask you to keep to time as running over will encroach on other parents allotted time.** If you are unable to attend the consultations and would like to make another appointment to see your child's class teacher, please contact the class teacher directly. Similarly if you have any questions or queries that require a longer discussion than the time available at the consultation meetings, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher to arrange a time.

## **September Intake 2019**

If you have a child born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2015 you will need to apply for a primary school place for them to start Reception in September 2019.

The following link will provide you with all the information regarding application:

[www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions)

**You must submit your application form for a school place no later than 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019.**

## **Remembrance Centenary Service**

St James church will be holding a special remembrance centenary service on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 10.45 am.

All are welcome to attend.

## **Attendance**

Week commencing 8th October the whole school attendance was 97.1%. Class 2 had the highest attendance with 100%.



FROGS (Friends Of Grewelthorpe School)



The FROG's will be holding an end of term disco on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October. The class 1 & children's will run from 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm and class 3 & 4 children from 4.45 pm – 6 pm.

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Refreshments are included in the entrance fee of £2.50.

So as we have some idea of numbers attending, please can you complete the form at the foot of this letter and return to the school office by Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October.

## School Lunches week commencing 15th October

**Mon:** Sausages, Mashed Potato & Onion Gravy, Broccoli & Cauliflower, 50/50 Bread. Jam Sponge & Custard, Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

Tue: Chicken Pie, Mashed Potatoes, Medley of Vegetables, Wholemeal Baguette. Toffee Apple Crumble Cake, Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

**Wed:** Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding, Cabbage & Carrots, Roast Potatoes, Sliced Wholemeal Bread. Forest Fruit Flapjack, Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt.

Thur: Chicken Korma & Rice, Cauliflower & Green Beans, Naan Bread. Pineapple Shortcake & Custard, Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit.

**Fri:** Battered Fish, Tomato Sauce, Peas & Carrot Sticks, Sunflower Seed Bread. Chocolate Orange Sponge & Chocolate Sauce, Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt.

## Week Commencing 15<sup>th</sup> October

Monday 15<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Swimming Final at the Hydro Team members have been informed

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Hearing Test Year 1

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Class 3 & 4 trip to Himalayan Gardens

Parents Evening Spaces still available

Friday 19<sup>th</sup>

## Week Commencing 22nd October

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup>

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Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> **TEACHER TRAINING DAY**

Parents Evening Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October

Child's Name .....

Class .....

Please tick your preferred time

3.45 pm – 4.15 pm

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## **FROG's End of Term Disco**

My child/children .....will be attending the end of term disco on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October.

## **School/other Information & Website**

All previous newsletters are also now available online. [www.grewelthorpeschool.co.uk](http://www.grewelthorpeschool.co.uk)

### **Updated Website App**

**Our mobile app has been updated and it's available to download from the respective stores.**

<http://www.grewelthorpeschool.co.uk/Grewelthorpe-School-Mobile-App/> this app will enable you to receive a notification of school closure and other key news items.

### **New Broad Style Dance Classes in Grewelthorpe Village Hall**

Tuesday Evening from 5:30pm-6:30pm New Broadway Style Dance Classes – tutor Jude Humphrey is putting on this exciting new dance class for Year 6 and above including secondary school children – boys and girls.

Classes are term time only and at £5.00 per class are really good value if you pay for a half term in advance. £7.00 per class on a pay as you go basis. Phone Jude on 07800866789 to book a place for your child.