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Letter 8

3<sup>rd</sup> November

#### Headteacher's notes...

Welcome back after the half term — we have certainly experienced some changeable weather this week! This is always a busy yet exciting time in school and thank you to the PTA for organising Cake Friday today. To help you with everything going on we have included an updated diary at the end of this letter. Please also do not forget to check the school website and the Weduc app. The children have returned raring to go and there have been some wonderful homework projects shared this week — thank you for your support with these.



Please can we ask for your help in looking after our grounds by keeping to the paths as much as possible and not riding bikes across the field. It is easy to cause damage to the field, which then makes it dangerous for the children to use.

#### **Numbots**

Our subscription to Numbots will be ending on November 26<sup>th</sup> but we will be continuing to subscribe to TT Rockstars. There are other free websites which can be used to support children's learning of number bonds and facts such as 'Hit the button' and 'daily ten'.

#### **Water Bottles**

A reminder that all children should be bringing a named water bottle into school each day please.

## **Poppies**

Each November we support the work of the Royal British Legion through selling poppies and other merchandise including slapbands, wristbands and reflectors. We have a limited supply again this year, which will be available from the stage area in the KS1 playground and under the green canopy in the KS2 playground after school every day, starting next Monday.



### **Sports News**



Congratulations to all those who took part in the Year 5/6 Tag Rugby tournament this week and to all those who supported the children.

Next week we have a match in the Walters Cup and some children are competing in a Panathlon – good luck to everyone involved.

## **Performances**

Ticket details for this year's Christmas performances by Reception and KS1 will be sent home next week. Please note that due to the capacity of the Hall there will be a limit of 2 tickets per family.

#### **Forthcoming Events**



We will be taking part in activities to do with Anti-Bullying Week 2023, which is from Monday 13<sup>th</sup> - Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November, which will start with 'Odd Socks Day' on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November. Children In Need is on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November and the theme once again for this will be 'spots'.



## PTA News Cake Friday

Thanks so much to everyone who donated cakes, helped out and all those that came and bought at Cake Friday today. Without your valued input, these events would not be the success they are so we are very grateful. We will let you know total amount raised for the PTA when we have it.

### **Christmas Cards**

The majority of children have produced a design which can now be ordered on Christmas cards, mugs and coasters. The order forms will be brought home by your children and the information on how to order is included there. Please note that the deadline to order by is 11<sup>th</sup> November and this is set so you should receive the items in plenty of time to get them posted.

#### **Bags 2 School**

Just a reminder that our next Bags2School date is Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November. Accepted items are men's, women's & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories. (No uniforms, work wear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please). Please do contact us if you have bags but nowhere to store them.

Many thanks,

PTA Team.

#### This week's Computing Guide:

What Parents and Carers Need to Know about X (formerly Twitter)



## What's On Next Week

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November Walters Cup Football Match 2.30pm

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November Panathlon Tournament No Tag Rugby club

> HSSP Yr 1&3 Multi Sports 3:10 – 4:10pm Yr 6 Mixed Tag Rugby 3:30 – 4:15pm

Wednesday 8th November

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November Choir 8.20am

HSSP Yr 5 Mixed Football 3:20 – 4:20pm

Yr 6 Football 3.20 – 4:15pm

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November Y6 Mexicolore Visit

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November	10 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Mexicolore visit	
	13 <sup>th</sup>	Anti Bullying Week	
	15 <sup>th</sup>	Open Morning for new Reception parents	10.00am
	17 <sup>th</sup>	Children In Need	
	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Governing Body meeting	
	28 <sup>th</sup>	Y2 Victorian Day	
	30 <sup>th</sup>	Y4 West Stow Visit	
December	5 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Performance	9.30am
	7 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Performance	9.30am
	8 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Dinner	
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Y1 Production	9.30am
	14 <sup>th</sup>	Y1 Production	9.30am
	15 <sup>th</sup>	Y2 Performance	9.15am and 2.30pm
	18 <sup>th</sup>	Carol Services at St Mary Magdalene Church	
		(children only due to capacity)	
		KS1	9.30am
		KS2	1.45pm
	19 <sup>th</sup>	Y1 Great Fire of London Day	
		KS2 Christmas Songs (outdoor)	From 2.30pm
	20 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of term	