

Parking



Once again it has been pointed out to us that parents are parking on the yellow zig zag lines on either side of the school entrance. This makes it extremely difficult for the school buses to get on to the school site safely. Please refrain from parking on these prohibited areas.

Since the completion of the village hall I have been working with members of their committee to negotiate better, safer access to the school for both children and parents and improve the car parking situation.

In the next couple of weeks alterations and further improvements to our security fencing will be taking place that will include repositioning of some gates.

Next week we will be sending you details and a plan of how we would like you to park if arriving at school by car and how to gain access to the grounds following the alterations.

School Photographs

The school photographer is in school tomorrow. Younger siblings to be in school for 9.00am if you would like them included in the family group. All children will have both a family group and individual photographs taken.

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Macmillan Coffee Morning

The final total raised for Macmillan Cancer Research was £331.15

Book Fair

Thank you for your support once again with the book fair. With your help we have raised £278.96 in commission to help replenish our book shelves.

Free School Meal Eligibility

You may be eligible for free school meals if you or your partner are claiming any of the following benefits:-

Income Support;

Income Based Job Seekers Allowance;

Income Related Employment and Support Allowance; Guaranteed element of State Pension Credit;

Child Tax Credit only - provided you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and you do not have an annual income that exceeds £16,190 (as assessed by H.M. Revenue and Customs);

Note: If you are entitled to Working Tax Credit during the 4-week period immediately after your employment stops (proof required), OR after you start working less than 16 hours per week (proof required), your children will be entitled to free school meals. A claim must be made immediately your circumstances change and free meals will be awarded for that 4-week period until your claim for one of the above qualifying benefits has been processed by the relevant agency.

Please be aware of this even if your child is in KS1 and already receives free school meals. A claim triggers off extra funding for the school and your child. If you are not sure, we can run a search for you in total confidence; all we need to do this check is name, date of birth and National Insurance Number.

Diary Dates

W/C 16 October: Week 1 Menu

12 Oct: Wildlife Club KS1

13 Oct: School Photographs

16 Oct: SOCS AGM in school 7.30pm

20 Oct: Achievement Assembly 2.30pm

20 Oct: SOCS Disco 5.30 - 7.00pm

Half Term: 23-27 October

W/C 30 October: Week 2 Menu