

13th November 2015

Dear Families,

Auction of Promises Next Week - 20th November

Thanks to all who came to the meeting. The Auction Booklet is excellent thanks to Mrs Entwistle and we are all ready for the auction. Attached to the newsletter is a copy of the booklet. If you require more copies please collect them from school. The booklet is also available online on the school website. In addition there is a facebook page with a link. If people cannot make it or live far away they can send in proxy bids- some have already been received.

On the evening don't forget to bring your refreshments with you as we will not be serving drinks on the evening. Please could all items to be taken away on the evening be brought into school on the Friday morning or taken to the village hall before 3:30pm so that they will be available to view on the evening. Thank you to all the people who have helped make this possible with donations, time and effort.

Homework (Y1-6)

As the new spellings are challenging this year we have decided that focusing on reading and spelling is enough homework for English. For maths your child will bring home a sheet each Friday in a folder which is related to the work they have been doing in class. Please could they complete these and hand the folder in on Wednesday mornings for marking. It will help to reinforce and show you the work they are doing in class.

Spellings

Spelling test will be on Friday on the week 3 words.

Boxes of Hope

The boxes have all gone to the collection centre and will soon be on their way to Romania. Thanks again to all those who donated.

Dan Snow to visit

The television historian Dan Snow will be in school next Thursday from 1-2pm to talk to the junior children. We are looking forward to his visit.

Swimming Gala

Lancaster University Sports Centre is holding their 5th Annual School Swimming Gala on Friday 20th November in the afternoon. All the Juniors are taking part and will need to bring swimming costumes etc on that day as well as the day before for the

usual Thursday afternoon whole school swimming lesson. They will be back in school for 3.30pm but there will be no family assembly that afternoon.

Sefton Trust

Please see the attached letter

Abbeyfit

A fitness class suitable for all levels takes place in the Village Hall every Thursday evening 7:30-8:30pm. The classes are £4 each and you are welcome to just turn up and give it a try.

Family Assembly

There will be no Family Assembly on Friday 20th November due to the Swimming Gala.

Items Needed

2 litre/4 pint milk containers - loads of them to build an igloo.

Yours truly,

Mrs Fiona Ip
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Mon 16th Nov - Film Club- 4:30pm

Tues 17th Nov - Christmas Club- 4:30pm

Wed 18th Nov - Gymnastics Club - 4:30pm pick up from Village Hall

Thurs 19th Nov - Emmett's Kid's Club - 4:30pm pick up from Village Hall

Fri 20th Nov - Swimming Gala - Juniors. NO FAMILY ASSEMBLY

Fri 20th November - Auction of Promises 7pm Village Hall

Future Diary Dates

Thursday 3rd Dec - Parents Afternoon 2-6pm

Mon 14th Dec - Christmas Play 7pm Village Hall

Thurs 17th Dec - Awards Assembly 2:30pm

Fri 18th Dec - The Dukes Theatre - whole school Beauty and the Beast return for 1pm

Fri 18th Dec - 1pm School closes for Christmas holidays