

14<sup>th</sup> October 2016

Dear Families,

### **Boxes of Hope**

Many thanks for all the donations so far. We will be starting to put together the boxes next week. We still need lots more items - anything you can spare will be put to good use.

### **Friends AGM**

Many thanks to those who attended the friends meeting on Tuesday. An open Sheepdog trial has been arranged by Michael Longton for Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. It will take place from 9am - 3pm at Rootenbrook on Rigg lane in the lower field, all proceeds will go to the school. We really need some volunteers to help with the handling and food for the afternoon slot.

**The Following people have volunteered or been volunteered!**

	<b>Handlers</b>	<b>Food</b>
<b>9-11am</b>	Mr Corbett, Jason Atkinson	Carol Atkinson, Rachel McCallum
<b>11am-1pm</b>	Rob Foster, Tom Entwistle and Sam	Helen Foster, Jackie Entwistle
<b>1-3pm</b>	??	??

Please fill in the attached slip if you can help.

**Literacy through Football** - children can wear tracksuits/ football kit all day.

All children will have a session on literacy which includes football games both on the field and in the classroom. They will need trainers/ football boots.

### **Young Voices**

The online system is set up for payment for Young Voices Tickets and T-shirts. This needs to be booked by 21<sup>st</sup> October. Please see the attached letter for details.

### **Items need for next Friday**

All children - any food magazines

All Rec - a large cereal box or similar to make a house

Y1&2 are making sugar free banana bread as part of the healthy diet topic. They will need a loaf tin to bake it in and bring home + the ingredients below:

125g SR Flour, 75g sultanas, 50g butter, 1 egg and 3 ripe bananas

### **Library Van**

The Library Van was unable to come to school today. The next visit is on 4<sup>th</sup> November which is half term so but it will be ok for children to keep their books until the following visit on 25<sup>th</sup> November or they can go into the libraries at Garstang or

Lancaster to exchange/return books.

### **Bonfire Bonanza School Lunch**

On Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October the normal school lunch is being replaced by Bonfire Bonanza. The cook at Quernmore School is making Hotdog Sausages, Pizza Pinwheels, Potato Wedges and Sticky Parkin.

Thank You

Mrs Fiona Ip  
Headteacher

### **Diary Dates**

Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Oct - Rounders/cricket club- 4:30pm

Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Oct - Nature Club- 4:30pm

Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Oct - Gymnastics Club - 4:30pm

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Oct - Literacy through Football - whole school- Tracksuits/kit all day

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Oct - NO Family Assembly due to Literacy through football

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct - Sheep dog trials 9am-3pm Rootenbrook

### **Future Diary Dates**

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Oct -KS2 Museum of Lancashire visit 11:30am-3:30pm

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Oct- school closes for half term

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Nov - School reopens 2<sup>nd</sup> half Autumn term

Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Nov - Life Education bus

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Nov - Vue Cinema - Finding Dory

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I will be able to help with the handling/food\* at the Open Sheepdog Trials from 1-3pm on Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

\*Delete as appropriate.

Signed.....