

# SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Friday 20th October 2022



## Message from Mrs Money

**New Headteacher-** Miss Randles and I have been really touched by your lovely emails and messages of support and congratulations this week following her appointment as the new Headteacher of Sandringham. Miss Randles knows Sandringham, knows you and your children and plans to carry on with everything that makes our school so special. I am really delighted to be leaving the school in her capable hands and am also very pleased that she has said that I can pop back to see the children anytime!

**Harvest Assembly-** Thank you all for your donations for the Besom Church charity. We all came together to learn about harvest time, sing our favourite autumn songs and talk about how we can help others. Thank you to Mr Ridgway for taking the donations to the church for us after the event.

**School Photographs-** Thank you for your feedback regarding the prices of the school photographs. This photographer has been visiting Sandringham for many years and is really incredible at taking photographs of very young children. We have passed on your concerns and he is taking the feedback very seriously. He has asked that parents contact him directly at [info@myschoolpics.co.uk](mailto:info@myschoolpics.co.uk).

**Dangerous Parking-** Please take some time to read my email sent this week regarding dangerous and illegal parking. I have also had reports of drivers mounting kerbs and speeding up Dunbar Road narrowly missing children on scooters. I cannot stress enough how important it is that we address this as a whole community in order to keep our children safe.

**Golden Tea Party** - It was wonderful to hold another of my Golden Tea Parties this week. Two children from each class were nominated by their teachers to join me for hot chocolate and cake in recognition of their good manners and outstanding behaviour. It is most certainly one of my highlights of a term and a tradition which Miss Randles is very happy to continue!

**Mrs Jones-** Mrs Jones is going to be leaving us at the end of this term to spend more time at home with her children. She has been at Sandringham for 6 years and will be missed by staff and Rabbits alike. We are looking forward to welcoming Miss Dootson to the school as the new Rabbits class teacher from January.

**Calling all ship mates!** - The installation date has been confirmed for the new pirate ship and we are planning to celebrating its arrival with a whole school Pirate day. Children are invited to come to school on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November dressed as pirates for a whole day of swashbuckling fun and adventures!

The children have all had such a busy few weeks and I am sure that you have noticed that they are very tired and ready for half term too. It has been an especially tiring term for our Nursery and Reception children as they have adjusted to being at big school! We have been amazed at how well they are settling and how independent they have become already.

Wishing you all wonderful half term break and we all look forward to seeing the children again on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November.

### PLEASE REMEMBER

#### PARENTS EVENINGS

If you haven't yet made an appointment to see your child's class teacher please contact the school office.

#### PLAY EQUIPMENT

Please can you ensure that your children are not on the play equipment after school hours. This includes the equipment outside our nursery.

#### UNIFORM

Please label ALL items of clothing and ask your child's teacher or at the office if you are missing anything.

#### NUT FREE SCHOOL

We have children and staff with severe allergies. If your child has a packed lunch it is very important that **NO** products containing nuts are included.

#### INSET DAYS 22-23

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October  
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July



# AUTUMN 2 - DIARY DATES

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October** - INSET day - school closed for children

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November** - Key Stage 1 report portal closes

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November** - Happy Bags collection (more details to follow)

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November** - Foxes parent lunch - 12.30pm

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November** - Year 1 walk to the church

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November** - Children in Need Day - 'The Great Spotacular'

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November** - New Reception parent's information mtg 9-10

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November** - Pirate Dress up day

**Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November** - Ladybirds Class Elf Run (sponsored event)

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November** - St Andrews Day (Brownies, Cubs, Rainbows invited to come to school wearing club uniforms)

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November** - Year 2 bike safety day (scooter/bike & helmet)

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December** - Panto visit to school

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** - Whole school Elf Run (sponsored event)

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December** - Reception Christmas Assembly - 2pm at school

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December** - Year 1 and 2 - Nativity Performance at the Church - am (exact timings TBC)

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December** - Ladybirds Christmas Assembly - 2.15pm

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December** - Year 1 and 2 - Nativity Performance at the Church - am (exact timings TBC)

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December** - Butterflies Christmas Assembly - 2.15pm

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December** - Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December** - Ladybirds Christmas party

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December** - Christingle - whole school & Nursery

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December** - School and Butterflies Christmas parties

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December** - END OF TERM (School and Nursery) - 1.10pm



# THANK YOU!

We would like to say a big thank you to our last Year 2 families for funding a beautiful new rainbow rug for our library!



Thank you for all your lovely Harvest Donations, this really will make a difference to Camberley Besom and the families they support.





# GOLDEN TEA PARTY & DIWALI



## CHILDREN IN NEED

We will also be supporting Children in Need this year and instead of bringing cash into school can we please ask that if you wish to make a donation, to do so directly to Children in Need via [Donate to BBC Children in Need](#). In line with the 'Spotacular' theme, the children are invited to wear spotty clothes, mufti or Children in Need merchandise. Thank you.

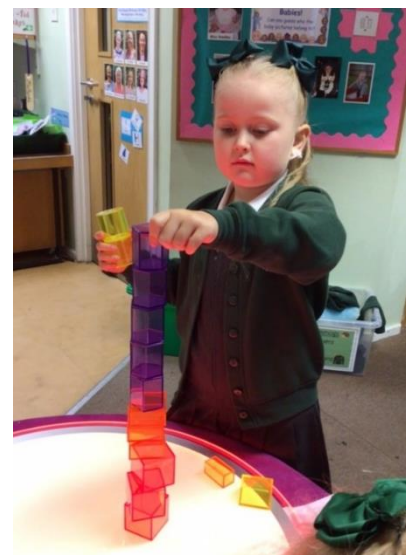




# RECEPTION



We celebrated the end of our All About Me topic with a visit from baby Florence. We also used our own baby photos for our first writing activity. We learnt lots about Autumn through being outside and have been excited to try out our new light table to explore shape, space and colour.





# YEAR 1 SPLENDID SKIES





# YEAR 2 HEALTHY CAFE





# FOREST FRIDAY

