

SANDRINGHAM NEWS

Nurture Enrich Inspire

Monday 6th September 2021



Message from Mrs Money

Welcome back to the start of the academic year. I hope that you all had a fabulous summer break and managed to rest, recharge and have some quality family time. The start of term is such a special time as the children return looking so smart and excited to see their friends and teachers. An especially warm welcome to our new children and families who have joined Reception, Little Badgers Nursery and across Key Stage 1. I hope that you are already feeling part of the Sandringham family.

Changing Covid Government Guidance means that we are now able to resume daily whole school assemblies, mixed year group playtimes and lunchtimes. I am really delighted that a sense of normality for the school community is returning however please be reassured that we are continuing with our strict hand washing/sanitising/cleaning routines. I am also aiming for school events for parents to resume whilst ensuring that children being in school remains the priority. Please see the Autumn diary dates included in this newsletter. Drop off/collection arrangements have been modified slightly whilst also keeping the one way system that was in place last term. This really helps with the flow of parents at peak times and avoids congestion at the front gate and beside the Reception classes.

During the summer holidays we said goodbye to our wonderful caretaker Mr Cooper who has decided to dedicate all of his time to his landscaping business. He will be greatly missed but we wish him all the very best. Thank you to staff for their hard work in preparing the school grounds for the start of term and to Miss Hardy-Trodd's Mum for painting 3 of our picnic tables. If you have any spare time and would like to help by painting some of our wooden furniture and equipment on the field please contact the school office. We will provide everything required, including tea and biscuits!

Thank you for your amazing donations from the school's Amazon wish list. This will remain live all year round so please have a look if you would like to support the school in this way.

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2A88FZ07BLUJG/ref=nav_wishlist_lists_1?encoding=UTF8&type=wishlist

This newsletter will become bi-weekly commencing Friday 17th September however please check your emails regularly for other updates from the office. I look forward to new and continued partnerships with your families throughout this school year.

PLEASE REMEMBER

SCHOOL TIMINGS FOR REC/Y1/Y2

8.50 am - 3.10pm

Gates open at 8.40am.

After dropping your child please exit school via the one way system along the front of the school building and out via the car park gates.

NUT FREE SCHOOL

We have children and staff with severe nut allergies. It is very important that packed lunches must not include any spreads, cereal bars or snacks with any nut content. Thank you.

EARRINGS

We prefer that earrings are not worn to school. Parents will be asked to sign a disclaimer to accept all responsibility for injury and ears must be taped at home for PE sessions.

DOGS

Dogs are not permitted on site at any time. Please avoid standing near the front gates as some children are wary of dogs.



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AUTUMN TERM DIARY DATES

Tuesday 14th September - individual and siblings school photographs

Wednesday 29th September - Reception parents coffee/info meeting - 9am

Wednesday 6th October - Foxes class parent lunch - 12pm

Thursday 14th October - Harvest Assembly - in school event - no parents

Monday 18th October - Parents Evening - times to be confirmed

Wednesday 20th October - Owls parent assembly - 9.10am

Rabbits class parent lunch - 12pm

Parents evening - times to be confirmed

Thursday 21st October - End of half term - 3.10pm (Friday is a bank holiday)

OCTOBER HALF TERM HOLIDAY - Monday 25th - Friday 29th October

Monday 1st November - Start of term - 8.40am

Monday 8th November - Magical Maths Day

Thursday 18th November - Flu immunisations - Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

Friday 19th November - Children In Need day

Wednesday 24th November - Reception parents coffee/info meeting - 2.15pm

Wednesday 1st December - Squirrels parent assembly - 9.10am

Friday 3rd December - Reindeer Run

Tuesday 7th December - Outerspace workshop - in school event - no parents

Thursday 9th December - Christmas Jumper day / Christmas lunch / Christingle

Monday 13th December - Reception Nativity Dress Rehearsal (TBC)

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Wednesday 15th December - Class Christmas parties

Friday 17th December - End of term - 1.30pm