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# NEWSLETTER

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## Welcome

We would like to welcome everyone back to school after the summer holiday and hope you all had a lovely break.

With the new academic year now in full swing, we enclose some information about the forthcoming term for you.

As the School Newsletter is a valuable source of information together with the school website, we would encourage you to use it to keep up to date on school matters. If you would like to receive an email copy of the newsletter, which is produced on Friday every other week, please let Mrs Everill have your email address.

## Individual and Family Group Photographs Tuesday 19th September

Tempest photographers will be in school on the morning of 19th September. If you would like group photographs to include siblings not currently at school, can you please bring them in to the school hall from 8.45am.

## Harvest Festival Service 22nd September 9.30 am in church

Everyone is invited to come to our Harvest Festival service in church. This year's harvest charity is to support Mrs Chris James, the Kingstone Brownie Guide Leader's visit to Kenya in October with other Guiders. They want to improve the living conditions of a group of orphaned girls and disabled women there.

They are asking the children to fill Smartie tubes with loose change. The Smartie tubes will be provided by the church and will be distributed to the children shortly.

## Parents Consultation Evenings Nursery to Year 4

These will take place on Tuesday 17th October and Wednesday 18th October.

Timeslots of 10 minutes for each pupil will be available to choose at the school reception area from Monday 2nd October. If you are unable to get in to do this, please ring the school from this date to select your timeslot.

If you feel you will need longer than the allotted time, please make a suitable appointment with your child's teacher.

## Data Collection Sheets.

You should have received a Data Collection sheet this week with your child/ren's contact details on. Can you please check, amend where appropriate and return to school to make sure all our contact details are up to date.

## School Meals

The cost of school meals remains at £2.20 per day for children in Nursery, Year 3 and Year 4. Can you please ensure that you send in your payment at the start of the school week. If you would like to pay for the full half term, the cost is £74.80. Cheques payable to Staffordshire County Council.

## School Milk

This is free for children under 5. You can order milk from Mrs Everill. The cost for the half term is £6.80. Cheques payable to Staffordshire County Council please.

## After School Clubs

### Thursday After School Sports Club- Tennis

Letters have been sent out to children in Years 1 to 4 for this after school club which starts next Thursday 14th September. The club is limited to 16 pupils

We are currently arranging for an additional after school club, hopefully Archer, to run on Mondays starting on 18th September. Further information to follow.

## Newsletter Dates

22nd September  
6th October  
20th October

## Parent Assembly Dates

22nd September Harvest Festival  
9.30am in church

20th October 3pm School Hall

17th November 3pm School Hall