



Monday 30th October 2017

Dear Parents,

After School Clubs

SOCCs – this club will finish this Wednesday. I would like to congratulate our SOCCs for their effort and enthusiasm. It has been a great club and we hope the trusty crew will run another one in the summer term.

Film Club – will return this half term, look out for the dates, they will follow in due course.

Rugby – unfortunately Ric has been unable to accommodate us this term, but he has promised he will run a club for us in the Spring term on a Monday evening.

Coding Club – this will start next **Monday 6th November**, this an exciting new IT club that will run for five weeks at a cost of £2 per session. Look out for a separate booking slip to follow shortly.

Channel Four Ident

This will be showing from this week, our children appear for a very short period of time so you will need to concentrate! It is a super piece of film, how lucky we are to have been to be a part of it.

ITV 100 Great British Walks

Sadly it was too foggy and slippery underfoot to take the children up Mamtor on the day we booked for filming. The crew will be back shortly to have another attempt.

Outdoor Education

We have had a change around of our outdoor education routine. In the early spring term we will be heading off to forest school on a Monday afternoon. Hollowford visits will then run in the summer term, it may work out better as far as weather conditions are concerned.

Fundraising

Our recent Bags for School collection raised over £75. Thank you to all who contributed. There will be another date in the late spring term, so please save your bits and pieces for us, it is such a simple way to earn additional funds.

We are gearing up for the biggest fundraiser of the year – Castleton Lights – please feel free to start sending goods into school, we are happy to store things and it helps us to know what we have ahead of time. We need raffle prizes, tombola prizes, chocolate for the children's chocolate tombola and we will be looking for fresh baked cakes on the day. Please do what you can to help, the additional funds make all the difference to our extra curriculum provision. Thanks in anticipation.

Yours sincerely,

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(Headteacher)





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Diary Dates - New dates are added in bold. For any events listed, further information will follow in due course.

October

Tuesday 31st – Individual Photographs

November

Thursday 2nd – Open Morning for prospective parents

Tuesday 7th – Trip to Bramall Hall

Monday 13th – Anti Bullying Week

Friday 17th – Wear it Blue day

Saturday 18th – Castleton Lights On Celebrations

December

Monday 4th – Community event Online Safety Evening

Thursday 7th - Christmas Crafts with Hope Pre-School and Stoney Middleton Primary School

Thursday 7th – Christmas Show – a Balloon Spectacular!

Wednesday 13th - Christmas lunch

Thursday 14th - Christmas play

Monday 18th – Christmas party

Tuesday 19th – End of term service and break up for Christmas holidays



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