



NAFFERTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

Harvest Festival

Our Harvest Festival will be taking place in the church on Wednesday 17th October. We will be supporting the Driffield Food Bank and are therefore asking for donations of non-perishable foods to be brought into school for your child to take with them to the church. Due to lack of space, there is not enough room in church to invite parents. However, our Summer Phase children (Yr's 2, 3 & 4) who are performing at the service, will be performing their songs again for parents on Monday 22nd October at 2.15 p.m. in the church - do please come along and support them if you are able.

The exception to bringing non-perishable goods is Years 2, 3 and 4. As part of their technology work, they will be making soup. Please can these pupils donate vegetables instead of non-perishable items. The soup made will then be sold after school on the front playground on Thursday 18th October. The price for soup and a roll will be 50p, with the monies going to a charity chosen by the School Council.

The Year 4's will also be singing a few songs at the village Harvest Festival on 18th October at 2.00 p.m.

Harvest Walk

On Friday 19th October we will be going on a Harvest Walk around the village from 9.30 a.m. Please make sure your child is appropriately dressed for the weather and wears sensible shoes/wellies. It would be wonderful to see parents joining us for this event.



Non Uniform Day

The half term holidays are fast approaching and we will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 26th October. Instead of a money donation for coming dressed in non-uniform we are asking for donations of selection boxes or Christmas chocolates/sweets that can be used at the Christmas Bingo which is being held on Friday 16th November - doors open from 6.00 p.m. and eyes down at 6.30 p.m!

Remembrance Service

On 9th November we will be at church for our Remembrance Service. The Autumn Phase (Year 5 and 6's) will be involved in the service to the school in the morning. **There will be a service for parents of Year 5 & 6 to come along to in the afternoon, which starts at 1.00 p.m.** After the service, tea and cakes will be available in school.

SATs meeting

There will be a SATs meeting on Tuesday 6th November at 6.00 p.m. for Year 5 and 6 parents in the Sparrowhawk's classroom. Please try and attend this meeting as we discuss how you can help your child and give your support.

Pantomime - Driffield Showground

We have been offered the opportunity to take the children to the pantomime which is taking place at Driffield Showground on Friday 14th December. (A letter will follow regarding this for Year 2 - Year 6 pupils) The price of the tickets are £5.00 each and we will be asking for £6.00 per child which will also help towards the cost of the coach, with the remaining coming from school funds.

Staffing News

We are excited to announce that Miss Brown is having a baby and will be taking Maternity Leave at Christmas. We wish her well and look forward to seeing the new addition to the family in 2019. Mrs Riby will be leaving us at the end of October for pastures new, and we wish her all the best in her new role.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Johnson
Headteacher

Dates



for

your diary

Wed 17 th Oct	Harvest Festival
Thurs 18 th Oct	Flu Immunisation day (Foundation - Year 5)
Thurs 18 th Oct	Soup on the playground 3.30 p.m. onwards
Friday 19 th Oct	Harvest walk 9.30 a.m. (parents invited to join)
Mon 22 nd Oct	Years 2, 3 & 4 performing their Harvest songs for parents at the church at 2.15 p.m.
Tuesday 23 rd Oct	Miss Whelan's parent's evening 3.30 p.m. - 7.00 p.m.
Wed 24 th Oct	Parent's evening 3.30 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.
Thurs 25 th Oct	Parent's evening 3.30 p.m. - 7.30 p.m.
Fri 26 th Oct	Non-uniform day (donations of Selection boxes for Christmas Bingo)
Fri 26 th Oct	Revolution Bike Servicing - for those that have borrowed bicycles.
Fri 26 th Oct	School closes for half term
Mon 5 th Nov	School re-opens to pupils
Tues 6 th Nov	SATs meeting for Year 5 and 6 at 6.00 p.m.
Thurs 8 th Nov	Year 3 Pedestrian Skills training
Fri 9 th Nov	Remembrance Service at the church 1.00 p.m. (open to Yr 5/6 parents/villagers)
Fri 9 th Nov	Straight after Remembrance Service - tea and cakes back at school to look at WW1 displays (open to all parents)
Fri 16 th Nov	Children In Need (Nafferton Does Strictly) - dress up day as dancers
Fri 16 th Nov	Christmas Bingo - doors open 6.00 p.m.
Fri 30 th Nov	St Andrew's Day and lunch
Fri 14 th Dec	Panto at Driffield Showground (Years 2 - 6)
Mon 17 th Dec	Carols on The Yard from 3.00 p.m. & Christmas Draw
Tues 18 th Dec	Spring Children's Christmas party (Foundation & Year 1)
Wed 19 th Dec	Panto at Bridlington Spa (Foundation & Year 1)
Wed 19 th Dec	Summer Children's Christmas party (Year 2,3 & 4)
Thurs 20 th Dec	Autumn Children's Christmas party (Year 5 and 6)
Fri 21 st Dec	Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch
Fri 21 st Dec	School closes for Christmas
Tues 8 th Jan	School re-opens to pupils.



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