



## Harvest Festival



Next Thursday 10th October we will be celebrating Harvest Festival. The children in Key Stage 1 and Foundation would like to invite you to share our celebrations at 9.05 in the school hall where they will be performing a range of songs, poems and stories.

This year's Harvest Festival Collection will support The Food Bank, a local charity who provide support for families and individuals who are in need. We would be grateful for the following tinned or dried donations:

Long Life Milk	Rice Pudding	Long Life Juice	Biscuits	Jam
Dried Pasta or Rice	Cup a Soup	Tuna (tinned)	Sugar	
Pasta Sauce	Tea Bags	Breakfast Cereal		

Tins of the following: Spaghetti, Vegetables, Fruit, Meat, Tomatoes and Baked Beans.

We look forward to seeing you at our celebration.

## WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

On this day children can also come to school wearing something yellow in support of raising the awareness of mental health. Did you know that 1 in 8 children aged between 5 years and 19 years will have at least one mental disorder? Throughout the day the children will be supported to think about their own wellbeing and ways to look after their body and minds.

## Learning Celebrations

Throughout the year a range of different learning celebrations take place so that your child can share what they have been learning in school with you. This is a great opportunity for your child to talk about their work, achievements, what they feel proud of and the activities that have helped them learn. It is also an opportunity for parents/carers to see the different strategies we use in school to support children's learning. This term's celebrations are as follows:

Reception (Ducklings and Chicks) - Tuesday 22nd October at 2.00pm

Year 1 (Ladybirds and Robins) - Thursday 24th October at 2.00pm **(Please note date change)**

Year 2 - (Frogs and Dragonflies) - Thursday 24th October at 2.00pm

## PARKING

Unfortunately following last week's letter there are still cars being parked on the pavement outside the front of the school and also within 10 metres of the junction at Ulyett Place. The parking will be monitored again this week. Ensuring the safety of all our adults and children in our community is everybody's responsibility. **PLEASE PARK SAFELY AND BE MINDFUL OF PARENTS AND CHILDREN WALKING ON THE PAVEMENTS AND CROSSING THE ROAD!**

## SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The school photographer will be in school on Tuesday 15th October to take your child's individual photograph. There will be an opportunity for siblings in school to have a joint photograph which we will organise on your behalf. Please ensure that your child wears school uniform including an Oldbrook jumper or cardigan. If they are not wearing a logo jumper they will be given one to wear on the day.

## PARENT CONSULTATIONS

Thank you to all parents and carers who have already returned slips requesting times. If you have not already done so please return your requested time slots by tomorrow. Thank you

## SCHOOL DINNERS

We need your help! This Thursday is our school census day and we have a special menu to celebrate the Rugby World Cup. Our school meal funding is based on the amount of children who eat a hot meal on this day. It is important that as many children as possible have a hot meal provided by school on this day. Please book your child's hot dinner on-line. We appreciate your support in this matter.

- Traditional All Day Breakfast
- The Super Scottish Quorn Sausage, Mash and Gravy
- The Wonderful Welsh Ham, Cheese and Bean Melt
- The Impeccable Irish Jacket Potato with a choice of Fillings

## DATA COLLECTION FORMS

Thank you to all parents and carers who have already returned their data collection forms. If you have not already done so please return your signed forms by tomorrow. Thank you.

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