



## AUTUMN TERM

# NEWSLETTER Week 2 : September 23rd 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

### STAFF NEWS

The staff and I would like to congratulate Mrs Carrington, (who is one of our school cleaners and also a Lunchtime supervisor) and her family on the safe arrival of her new son Chad.



### PE DATES FOR CLASSES

Recp	Monday & Friday
Year 1	Thursday & Friday (outdoor)
Year 2	Thursday and Friday (outdoor)
Year 3	Monday & Wednesday
Year 4	Wednesday & Friday (swimming)
Year 5	Tuesday & Friday ( SAMBA)
Year 6	Tuesday & Friday

The days shown include both indoor and outdoor PE days. Can full kit be brought on both days please. Indoor— white t-shirt and black shorts. Outdoor— black tracksuit and trainers. ( school shoes cannot be worn)

The Year 4 children leave for swimming at 9.00am promptly. Please can you make sure that you child arrives in school earlier for registration and to order lunch before they set off.

### MONEY

Please remember to send your money in an envelope or a food bag, with your child's name, class and what the money is for. We will no longer accept money not in an envelope and will not be held responsible for the money if it goes missing in school.



### SECONDARY SCHOOL OPEN EVENINGS

All the children in Years 5 & 6 are welcome to attend the evenings so that you can view the school and decide with your child, the next step in their future.

#### CROFTON ACADEMY

Thursday 29th September

6.30 onwards



#### HEMSWORTH ARTS AND COMMUNITY ACADEMY

Thursday 6th October

6.00—9.00pm



### YOUNG VOICES

The Young Voices choir practice starts next week on Thursday 29th September.

This takes place after school between 3.15—4.15. If your child is interested in joining please see the office for a letter. If you are wanting tickets for the event, the office can also give you a ticket order form. Money needs to be sent into school by 21st October.



### SCHOOL WEBSITE

We are currently upgrading our website so please be aware that the information on the one currently showing will not be up to date. Once we know it's up and running we will let you know.

### SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The proofs of the school photographs that were taken a few weeks ago have now been sent home to you. We hope that you are as pleased with them as we are. Please can you place your order and return it to school by the 4th October along with the cost of your order. Please make any cheques payable to -

**PURPLE COW PHOTOGRAPHY.**



**Government Target for Attendance in schools is 95% and above. Please help us improve our figure for last year which was below government guidelines.**



### **ATTENDANCE WINNERS**

The proud winners of the attendance awards over last week were:

#### **w/c 5th—9th September**

Reception— 91.18%

Year 1— 85.33%

Year 2—92.34%

Year 3—100% **WELL DONE**

Year 4—87.50%

Year 5—98.08%

Year 6—100% **WELL DONE**

#### **w/c 12th—16th September**

Reception— 94.32%

Year 1— 95.59%

Year 2—95.98%

Year 3—99.31% **WELL DONE**

Year 4—93.03%

Year 5—91.30%

Year 6—96.02%

**Attendance for the School Year up to last week was**

**95.00%**

**Government Target is 95% and above**

Across school persistent absences is now set at equal to or less than 90%. Children that fall into that category will have a Red attendance summary sent home & EWO Involvement.

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

This week would like to wish



**Grace Harrison  
Bethany Stokes  
Alyssa Anderson  
Hannah Davis  
Archie Knott  
Evie Cardall  
Lexi Mai James  
Kayla Cummings  
Leo Fletcher  
Charlie Handley  
Olivia Watling**

**Happy Birthday to you all.  
Hope you had a lovely day!**

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Thursday 29th September**  
Crofton Open Evening for Yr 5 & 6

**Wednesday 5th October**  
Year 5 & 6 Puberty talk

**Thursday 6th October**  
HACA Open Evening for Year 5 & 6

**Monday 10th October**  
Yr 6 Bikeability Level 2—Day 1 Group 1

**Friday 14th October**  
Yr 6 Bikeability Level 2—Day 2 Group 1

**Friday 21st October**  
Break up for Half Term

**Monday 31st October**  
School starts back after holidays  
Yr 6 Bikeability Level 2—Day 1 Group 2  
**BOOK WEEK**—There will be a Book Fayre in School this week—details on next newsletter.

**Thursday 3rd November**  
Parents Consultation Meetings

**Monday 14th—18th November**  
Anti—Bullying Week

**Friday 18th November**  
**CHILDREN IN NEED**

**Monday 28th—Wednesday 30th November**  
Robinwood Residential—Year 6

**Friday 2nd December**  
Christmas Fayre

**Wednesday 14th December**  
Church Carol Service for Children & Staff  
Christmas Lunch  
Year 1 & 2 Christmas Party (pm)

**Thursday 15th December**  
Year 3 & 4 Christmas Party (am)  
Year 5 & 6 Christmas Party ( pm)

**Friday 16th December**  
Break up for Christmas Holidays