

# NEWSLETTER



# Autumn Leaves

Next week is one of those weeks where there's a lot going on but hopefully this newsletter will have all the dates and information you need....

## Odd Socks Day—Anti Bullying Week beginning Monday, 13th November—Friday, 17th November

On Monday, children are asked to wear Odd Socks in order to remember what makes us all unique and to spread the message of kindness throughout the school.

Each class will also be holding a **Sharing is Caring** day during this week—classes are asked to bring in game or a toy which can be shared with friends:

Nursery—Friday—Bears only please Reception—Friday

1R—Friday, 1L Wednesday, 2C Friday, 2P Thursday, Year 3 Friday, Year 4 Tuesday, Year 5 Thursday and Year 6 Friday.

#### Children in Need-Friday, 17th November-It's Bring a Teddy to school day too!

Our School Council have decided that this year's Children in Need will be a Mufti Day—so wear whatever you want to wear for the fine of <u>50p</u> please per family payable on the day.

They would also like everyone to bring in a teddy or their favourite soft toy for the day!

# Christmas Arrangements—

## More information to follow nearer the time but for now, please reserve these dates:

Nursery— 12th and 14th December—both performances at 10.30pm

EYFS—11th December—R1 at 9.30am, R2 at 2pm

KS1—13th December—2.15pm, 14th December—2.15pm and 6.00pm

<u>KS2</u> Christmas Concert at St Peter's Church will be on the afternoon of Tuesday, 5th December at 2pm and in the evening on Wednesday, 6th December at 6pm.

#### Vaping...and Dogs

Please note that smoking or vaping on the school premises is not allowed anywhere and at any time including whilst waiting on the Main Yard before pick up. Thank you. Also a polite reminder that no dogs are allowed on the yard, no matter how small and cute! Sorry!

# **Emailing Staff**

Please note that over time, a number of staff emails have been given out to parents for a variety of reasons and this has been very useful when necessary. Unfortunately, some of these have circulated and are been used to convey various messages regularly and often at weekends. The staff here are very conscientious but I think I need to step in due to the time being taken up by this in some instances. Please then, send all emails to the **admin email address** and these will be forwarded to staff during the next available **school hours**, at this point, staff will pick them up when they have time to do so. We are not an emergency response team and as such please consider this carefully when dealing with any issues at home. If your child is anxious regarding any school issues over a weekend please reassure them that school will help them as soon as we're back in, often this will be the very next Monday. Please note that all children's absences until 'something is done' as a reason will be classed as an unauthorised absence. All children would need to be spoken to anyway, so please encourage them to come in so we can talk.

Thank you for reading this brief news update.

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