

AMOTHERBY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL
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NEWSLETTER 14th October 2016

Harvest Festivals.

Years 3,4,5 and 6 Harvest Festival will take place at St. Helen's Church at 2.15pm on Wednesday 19th October, donations would be welcome into school by 17th October.

Please use the Village Hall and Queens Head car parks to avoid blocking the main road in Amotherby. Also please be mindful not to park in front of our neighbours' drives.

Congratulations Year 6

All Year 6 children have taken part in the Bikeability programme run by the Road Safety Team. I am delighted to announce that 100% of children have gained either their Level 1 or Level 2.

P Factor Finals

Well done to our Year 6 entry 'Sporty Family' by Andy Seed. Daisy Browne and Olivia Atkinson – Ticehurst did a fantastic performance and as a result came joint third in the competition.

Parents' Evening Slips

All Parent evening slips will be returned by the end of this week so you are aware of the time of your appointment. Please wait in the school hall, have a drink, meet the Governors and the Amotherby Volunteer Group will be running their very popular school uniform stall. The class teachers will collect you from the hall. If you are delayed please let us know as we try to run the appointments to the allocated time. See you Monday or Tuesday!

Reading Challenge

To encourage all children to read at home each class teacher is running a reading reward system in their class. booktrust.org.uk has lots of ideas and resources for reading at home.

Volunteers In School

We are in need of parents and grandparents to volunteer a bit of time to listen to readers in school. If you have a spare hour then please let the Admin Office know. We'd be delighted to see you!

Quiz Night

Quiz Night is back by popular demand on Friday 14th October at the Village Hall Amotherby, doors open at 7pm quiz starts at 7.30pm.

Halloween Disco

From Monday 10th October you will be able to pay on Parent Pay (please contact the office if you need help with your log on details) for a place at the Halloween Disco **Thursday 20th October** . The cost will be £1.50 this will include entrance to the disco, drink and snack.

Bonfire Lunch

Mrs Farmer and Mrs Wilkie will be preparing a special lunch on Friday November 4th with a Bonfire theme : Hot Dogs, potato wedges, beans and toffee chocolate crispie. If your child usually has a packed lunch but would like a bonfire lunch it will cost £2.10 please contact the Admin Office.

Infants Flu Vaccination

The Flu Vaccination will take place in school on Friday 11th November from 10am onwards. Please make sure you have returned your forms to the Admin Office.

Head Lice

We have had a reported case of head lice in school this week. Please check your child's head regularly, if you need further assistance please ask at a local chemist.

DATES FOR DIARIES FOR THE TERM AHEAD

October

Friday 14th – Quiz Night 7pm

Monday 17th – Parents' Evening

Tuesday 18th – Parents' Evening

Wednesday 19th – Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 Harvest Festival in Church 2.15pm

Thursday 20th – Individual and family Photos

Thursday 20th – Halloween Disco 6.30pm-8pm

Friday 21st - wear own clothes to school

Friday 21st – 3.20pm School closes for Half Term

Friday 21st – Super Schools Final

School Opens Monday 31st October 2016

School Closes Friday 16th December 2017

School Opens Thursday 5th January 2017

November

Tuesday 1st – NSPCC Assembly

Friday 4th – Bonfire Lunch

Friday 14th Year 6 to Sports Hall

Friday 11th – Flu Vaccinations for EYFS, Y1 and Y2

Thursday 17th – Hearing Tests Year 1

Friday 18th – Children In Need

December (some timings have yet to be confirmed)

Tuesday 6th – Christmas Evening Production Year 3 and Year 4

Wednesday 7th - 1pm Infant and Year 3 and Year 4 Christmas Performance

Wednesday 7th – Infant Christmas Evening Performance

Thursday 8th - 2pm Infant Christmas Performance

Thursday 8th – Year 3 and Year 4 Christmas Evening Performance

Thursday 15th – Christmas Carol Service

Friday 16th – Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 16th – Christmas Raffle Draw

Friday 16th – End Of Term

School Opens Thursday 5th January 2017

Sue Knowles (Head)

