



We enjoyed successful open days and evening for our prospective parents for September 2016. We have received lovely positive feedback about our school and our children. If you know of any parents that need to select their choices for primary school please inform them that they are very welcome to phone to make an appointment to be guided around our school.

We have had a phenomenal response to our invitation to our candlelit carol service. We are going to be totally full which will add to the Christmassy celebration. We will have enjoyed our Christmas dinner during the school day. As always, if your child does not normally have a school prepared lunch but would like to join in on this day simply let the office know. Most of our families are also interested in their child enjoying the Christmas Carol the following day which means that this booking will go ahead.

The internet is an amazing resource that most of us have access to in our daily lives. With the increase of Wi-Fi on phones this is ever more available to our children. Sadly there are many risks attached to the use of the internet for our children so I have found some websites that may be of use to support you at home in keeping your children safe.

Keeping Young Children Safe Online (UK Safer Internet Centre) - A useful eSafety Guide for parents <http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/ufiles/Keeping-Young-Children-Safe-Online.pdf>

'The Parents' and Carers' Guide to the Internet', has been created by CEOP to provide a light hearted and realistic look at what it takes to be a better online parent.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/parentsguide/>

A guide from Google to show parents how they can protect your family online.

<http://www.google.co.uk/goodtoknow/familysafety/>

YouTube Safety Centre - <http://www.youtube.com/yt/policyandsafety/safety.html>

The 'Digital Parenting Guide' from Vodaphone "Read about the very latest technology and challenges in our new magazine - our Expert View articles, 'How to' guides and Take Action checklists will help you to stay up-to-date and feel more confident about getting involved."

http://www.vodafone.com/content/index/parents/about_digital_parenting/Resources.html

"The Parents Guide to Technology from the UK Safer Internet Centre has been created to answer these questions and introduce some of the most popular devices, highlighting the safety tools available and empowering parents with the knowledge they need to support their children to use these technologies safely and responsibly".

<http://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-and-resources/parents-and-carers/parents-guide-to-technology>

The parents section of the Know IT All website. The site contains information about positive ways young people are using different technologies, what the risks are to users and it outlines practical advice in avoiding or minimising risks when using online and mobile technologies.

<http://www.childnet.com/kia/parents/>

Child Safety Online Overview (Knowthenet)

<http://www.knowthenet.org.uk/knowledge-centre/child-safety>

Cyber Streetwise - "Find out about easy steps you can take to protect your home or business from cyber crime" - <https://www.cyberstreetwise.com/>

Advice for parents and carers on cyberbullying

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/375420/Advice_for_Parents_on_Cyberbullying_131114.pdf

A Parents' Guide to Instagram

http://dwn5wtkv5mp2x.cloudfront.net/downloads/A_Parents_Guide_to_Instagram.pdf

Star of the Week 🏆 certificates have been awarded to:

Olivia Frith from Parrots	Hannah Thomson from Herons
George Sorsky from Robins	Robyn Newby from Owls
Thomas Healey from Doves	Josh Oxley from Kestrels
Courtney Stirzaker from Hawks	Isobel Kent from Falcons
Matthew Taylor from Eagles	Well done everyone!

Dates to note:

*Owls class - swimming lessons are every Monday. Please remember your kit and towel, goggles if required.

News for September:

We are thrilled to be able to report that Mrs Cassidy is enjoying her maternity leave with the safe arrival of baby George Henry on the 5th.

Ricky Barstow is enjoying his position at the top of the leader board for his motorcycling.

If your child is successful in an out of school event please let the office or your class teacher know.

Class assemblies will be held on Tuesday afternoons from 15:00 this term:

Hawks 6th October, Falcons 13th October, Eagles 20th October

Doves 17th November, Owls 24th November and Kestrels 1st December

Wednesday 7th October ~ PTFA meeting at 17:00 Castle Gardens. All parents are welcome.

Wednesday 7th and 8th October ~ Duckling Classes are holding their own parents' evening starting at 15:45.

Wednesday 14th October ~ 17:30 year 5 parents are invited to a meeting about the residential trip to Ghyll Head.

Thursday 22nd October ~ Halloween Disco PTFA Event.

Friday 23rd October ~ WOW afternoon for all families to attend school. 14:00-15:30

Tuesday 10th November ~ Parents' Evening with appointments from 16:00

Thursday 12th November ~ Parents' Evening with appointments from 16:00

Week commencing the 7th December ~ Christmas productions for our infants.

Tuesday 15th December ~ Christmas Dinner in school



Carleton Green's Christmas Candlelit Carol Service at Rossall Chapel.

Wednesday 16th December ~ Whole school trip to see A Christmas Carol.

Gentle Reminders ~



The carpark at the front of our school is assigned for staff use only. We ask that you refrain from parking or dropping off in the carpark to enable staff to be able to park their car and to prevent anyone getting blocked in. Thank you for your cooperation.