



## October 2021 Newsletter

Dear Parents / Carers,

Thank you all for making the Macmillan Coffee Morning such a huge success – whether you were able to join us in person, or whether you sent in fabulous cakes, the event was brilliant.

We never expected so many people to turn up – you all really made life feel like normal again for the children.

We raised a whopping £534.86 for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Our next fund-raising event for the children is on the last day of term – our PTA has organised a ‘Break the Rules’ Day. This sounds like madness, but don’t worry – this is just a bit of fun to help fund a defibrillator in school. We will make sure the children realise, as always, what rules are fun to break and why some rules are too important to break. There won’t be any dangerous messages!!

I would just like everyone to know that we are supporting Sammy, in Year 2, to fund the defibrillator, as it was his idea to set up the funding for school in the first place. He is already more than half way to his target of £1000, following his own successful fund-raising ideas out of school.

Well done and thank you to Sammy.

*A Scott*

### Harvest Collection

For Harvest this year, we are once again collecting provisions for local families who find themselves experiencing poverty and hardship.

If you have any non-perishable food items to donate, please send them into school with your children, from Mon 11<sup>th</sup> October - Wed 13<sup>th</sup> October.

They will be collected by the Daily Bread Food Larder who are always so grateful for anything we can offer.

We hope to instil in our children during our Harvest celebrations, the importance of showing others that we care.

Thank you.



### Parent Survey

We are always looking at ways to improve our service to you.

Please click on the link below to complete our parental survey:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=fDIWpBZLrUSzz1EJUv1-wIN-gT-D7CJD7L1S-4bIKhUMDIXT1FMT0ISSTFPRVdLR1IPSFNXTDJMRC4u>

The deadline is: 1<sup>st</sup> November. Thank you!

**MUGA UPDATE** – work will re-start on Monday 11 October for ONE week to replace the faulty artificial grass. So finally, the MUGA should be up and running straight after half-term!!

**BROMCOM** – apologies for the many issues caused by launch of our new payment system. Enfield is one of the first trial schools in the Enquire Learning Trust to move over to the MCAS App, and so as ‘guinea pigs’ we are testing the water first! It is frustrating – please bear with us. Thank you for your patience.

### Diary Dates Reminder – Oct / Nov

Tues 5 Oct	Y5/6 Football Tournament
Tues 5 – Thurs 7	Parent Appointments
Fri 8 Oct	#HelloYellow Mental Health Day
Tues 12 Oct	Y4/5 Football Tournament
Wed 13 Oct	Harvest Collection
Fri 15 Oct	‘Break The Rules’ Day Break up for half-term - 3.15pm

### HALF TERM IS A TWO WEEK BREAK

Mon 1 Nov	Children return Halloween Dress-Up Day
Thurs 4 Nov	Flu Vaccinations – whole school
Fri 12 Nov	Children in Need Day
Mon 15 Nov	Anti-bullying Week / Road Safety Week
Fri 19 Nov	Year 5/6 Athletics Event
Wed 24 Nov	Open day for new starters 2022
Thurs 25 Nov	Last swimming session

### Reminder - Halloween Dress Up Day

Please send your children back to school after half-term (Mon 1 Nov) in their spooky outfits (optional) for a fun day of curriculum activities linked to Halloween.



**I'M WEARING A  
LITTLE YELLOW**

to show young people they're not  
alone with their mental health

8 October 2021

**#HelloYellow**

Please send your children to school on Friday 8 October wearing something yellow for #HelloYellow Mental Health Day – it could be just a yellow ribbon, a T-shirt or a pair of socks! This is not a non-uniform day, but if your child has a full yellow outfit, then he/she may wear it. We are not asking for any contributions, except to spread kindness to others, who may be struggling inside.