#### Dear Parents

#### 'Come dine with us'

Invitations were sent home last week to all children who usually have a packed lunch. If your child would like to try a school dinner on Thursday 18th January (Census day), please could you return the form to the school office by Wednesday 17th January if you have not already done so. We would like to have the absolute maximum number of children possible having a free school dinner on this day. The funding of dinners for the rest of the year is based on the number of dinners provided on that day and it is really important that we claim all possible funding for Boldmere Infant School. We completely understand that some children and families prefer a packed lunch but would ask for as much support as possible.

#### Celebrating Attendance

Congratulations to 2W, Lion Class for having the best attendance in school last week (98.75%). Well done Lions!

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### Congratulations Board

Well done to these children for being nominated by their teachers: Year One

Henry, Alfie, Ethan <u>Year Two</u>

Lauren, Olivia, Heidi

# Nursery Open Day for September 2018 Intake

Nursery will be holding open sessions on **Tuesday 6**<sup>th</sup> **February** (10:30am and 2:30pm) for prospective parents of children who will be eligible to join the nursery in September 2018 (date of birth 01.09.2014 to 31.08.2015).

# Lunch Time Clubs Reception - Gymnastics

Starts Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>
January for five weeks

Year One - Dodgeball

Started Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks

Year One - Tennis

Starts Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks - FULL

Year Two - Tennis

Starts Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks - FULL

Year Two - Bootcamp

Starts Friday 19th January for five weeks After School Club

Years One & Two - Dance

Starts Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January for five weeks (book online at www.premier-education.com)

#### PTA News

SATURDAY 27th JANUARY. Don't forget to book your tickets for our Comedy night. Ask anyone that has already been... it's a night not to be missed. Tickets online now at <a href="http://bit.ly/2qNtCYh">http://bit.ly/2qNtCYh</a>. Please see the flyer that will come home in your book bags for further information. Book now for a fabulous Saturday night out.



#### School Meals

We have been informed that a sandwich option will soon be available as an alternative to a hot meal. The sandwich options consist of a sandwich, filled wrap or baguette with fillings of ham, cheese or tuna/sweetcorn together with a yogurt, piece of fruit, salad and orange juice. Jacket potatoes will also be available with fillings of cheese, tuna or beans and cheese. These sandwich and jacket potato options will need to be ordered in advance. More details to follow in due course.

# National Christmas Jumper Day

The school raised £88.65 towards Save the Children. Thank you for your support.

#### Bike/Scooter Racks

It has come to our attention that some children/parents have been leaving locked chains in place overnight effectively reserving a space. Bike/scooter racks are to be used on a first come, first served basis and all locks should be removed at the same time as the bike/scooter.

## Busy Bodies - Important Notices

Please be aware that we still have a number of booking forms and fees outstanding for January 2018. Forms have been available since before the Christmas holiday, so you would have had sufficient time to organise sessions required for January.

If you have not yet handed in your form and fees please do so immediately (and by this Thursday at the latest) as they are now nearly a week late.

Thank you for your swift attention to this matter.

#### DIARY DATES

6<sup>th</sup> February 18 - 10:30/2:30 Nursery Open Sessions 14th/15th February 18 -Parents Evening 16th February 18 - Break up for half term 26th February 18 - School reopens to pupils 6th March 18 - Reception Inspire afternoon - 1:30-3pm 14th March 18 - Year 1 Inspire afternoon - 1:30-3pm 22<sup>nd</sup> March 18 - Year 2 Inspire afternoon - 1:30-3pm 29th March 18 - Easter Bonnet parade 29th March 18 - Break up for Easter holiday 16th April 18 - School re-opens to pupils

Please see attached for general community information.

Mrs S Kenny Head of School 16<sup>th</sup> January 2018

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