



Dear Parents/Guardians

16 January 2018
No 18

Forthcoming Events

School Census – Thursday 18 January 2018 – School Meals

This Thursday is Census Day and to help the school with funding, we have set ourselves a challenge to provide as many dinners as possible on that day. This is also an opportunity for your child to try a school meal if they have not yet done so. Therefore, if your child usually brings sandwiches to school and would like to try one this Thursday, the cost will be £2.25, payable via ParentPay. The menu for that day will be:

- **Sausages (including vegetarian)**
- **Macaroni Cheese**
- **Fish Fingers and seasonable vegetables**
- **Flapjack, Jelly or yogurt desert**

- **The kitchen also offer a sandwich/wrap/baguette option, instead of a hot meal. This option consists of fillings of ham, cheese or tuna and sweetcorn. The meal option will also include a yoghurt, piece of fruit, salad and orange juice and is the same price (£2.25) as a hot meal. Jacket potatoes with fillings of cheese, tuna or beans and cheese are also available. If your child would like any of these particular choices on that day or any time in the future, the kitchen will need to know one day in advance.**

We take this opportunity to remind parents/guardians that if they wish to change their child's meal arrangements from sandwiches to hot meals or vice versa, please advise the school office in advance (preferably giving two weeks' notice). If your child does not usually have a hot meal and you decide to book your child in for a school meal, please check your ParentPay account is in credit. *Please also let the office know that you wish a meal to be ordered for that day, otherwise we will not be aware of your request and a meal will not have been ordered with the kitchen. Thank you.*

3M Class Assembly – Wednesday 17 January 2018

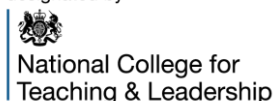
A reminder that Parents/guardians of pupils in 3M are invited to attend their class assembly tomorrow at 9.05 am. The assembly will last approximately 40 minutes. We look forward to seeing you at the assembly but appreciate that not all will be able to attend due to family/work commitments.

4H Class assembly will take place on Wednesday 31 January 2018

Culmington Manor – Meeting for Parents – Tuesday 23 January at 4.00 pm

We have organised a meeting for parents to discuss the arrival to school and collection arrangements on the day and any other unanswered questions you may have regarding this

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trip. The meeting will take place on 23 January at 4.00 pm in the main hall at the Junior School.

Parents' Evening – Wednesday 31 January 2018/Thursday 1 February 2018

We will be sending out a letter this week regarding parents' evening with a appointment slip for you to fill in and return asap.

General Information

Updating our records regarding displaying photographs

When your child commenced Boldmere Junior School, you were given an 'Information/Consent Sheet', which included a section regarding consent for the school to display photographs in school, on the school's website, on external websites relating to the school etc. As the school now has a '**twitter account**' we are able to display photographs of our children using this facility. At the moment we are exempting those children whose parents have ticked 'no' to 'display their child's photograph on **external websites relating to the school**'. However, if you are happy for your child's photograph to be displayed on the school's twitter account in the future, please indicate this on the slip below and return it to the school office asap.

Unless we receive consent in writing, we will continue to exempt your child's photograph from being displayed on either our 'twitter account' or on the external websites relating to the school. Please note that we do not put your child's name against their photograph.

Lunchtime and After School Clubs – Spring Term 2018

We can now confirm that all those children who have sent in their consent slip and made their payment on ParentPay for the following clubs have been given a place and confirmation letters have been sent out today with your child. Both clubs are now full and will commence this week.

- **Teckers football on either a Wednesday or Friday after school**
- **Lunchtime tennis lessons – Thursdays/Fridays**

Karate Club (Fridays after school) with Sensei Smith commences this Friday. Those children who attended last term will continue with this club if they have returned their consent slip and made their payment. We have also had some new applications. The names of all these have been passed to Sensei Smith, who will discuss details with you on Friday. ***This club is now full.***

Jewellery and Craft Club – Mondays after school

This club commenced yesterday and is full. Letters of confirmation were sent out on Friday. Unfortunately, not all those who applied were given a place due to the number of children who applied.

Netball Club – Mondays – Year 6 – payment required

Miss Jackson has sent out letters to some children in year 6 regarding netball, which will commence next Monday (22 January). Please ensure your child returns their consent slip AND make their payment via ParentPay by Thursday of this week. If we DO NOT receive your payment, your child will not be given a place.

Music Lessons – Spring Term 2018 payment is now due

We still have some parents/guardians who have not yet paid for this term’s lessons. The cost for woodwind, violin, cello and brass is £75 for this term. Please make your payment via ParentPay. Thank you.

Donation of Books to School Library

Thank you to all those parents/guardians etc. who have kindly donated books for the library.

Busy Bodies parents and carers,

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 by this Thursday as your fees are now nearly a week late.** Thank you for your swift attention to this matter.

PTA

Saturday 27 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 are available online at <http://bit.ly/2qNtCYh>. Please see the flyer that will come home with your child soon. Book now for a fabulous Saturday night out.

Guitar Lessons – Mrs Robinson has one **Monday after school** slot for anyone interested in playing the guitar. Please contact the school office if you would like more information.

Yours sincerely

Mrs N Silverwood
Head of School

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School Meal – Census Day – Thursday 18 January 2018

Name of my childclass

My child usually brings sandwiches and would like to try a school meal on Thursday 18 January 2018. I have made my payment of £2.25 via ParentPay

For the menu listed above, your child will make their meal choice on the day of the meal.

If your child would like a sandwich/wrap/baguette or jacket potato option, please indicate below:

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

Please fill in the above and return it to the school office. **We must receive this slip as well as your payment.**

Consent for photographs to be displayed

Name of your child Class

I give consent for my child’s photograph to be displayed on ‘**external websites relating to the school including the school’s twitter account**’

Unless we hear from you to the contrary, we will use the details you gave on the Information/Consent Sheet you filled in when your child commenced at this school, which included **consent for photographs to be displayed in school and on the school’s website.**

However, should your decision change regarding the above, please indicate below:

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Signature of Parent/Guardian