

FOREFIELD MATTERS

4th February 2022

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

After several weeks of staff absence – particularly in lower juniors - the majority of children have had their own classteacher today. It is a relief to see teaching staff return to school, as not everyone has 'mild symptoms' and not everyone tests negative as quickly as the new guidance may suggest. I know the children have been delighted to see that their teachers are well again! Unfortunately, staff absence does have an impact but the measures we have put in place this half-term have ensured that we have not had to close classes or return to 'home learning'. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Following last week's information about water safety, Sefton are offering a crash course for new swimmers. It costs £25 for the 5 day course (14th – 18th February) at Bootle Leisure Centre. Call 0151 288 6286 for more details...



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Hopefully, as the term progresses and the number of Covid related absences falls, we will see further opportunities for school life to look 'a little more normal' – starting with returning to the dining hall at Forefield Infants after the half-term break.

Next week is mental health awareness week. Last year (despite partial school closures) we were able to join in with the 'dress to express yourself' event. This proved to be really powerful! Therefore, we are once again inviting children and staff to wear an outfit or a colour that allows them to express their personality. If you would like to join in on Friday, 11th February it should prove to be a really colourful way to end the half-term. On the day, we will be collecting £1 donations for mental health charities. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Have a lovely weekend!

Diary for week beginning 7th February 2022

Monday:

9.45 - 11.15	4L Swimming
10.15 - 11.45	5P Swimming
3.30 - 4.30	Y3 Indoor Athletics (Active Sport)

Tuesday:

3.30 - 4.30	Y5 Maths (Third Space Learning)
3.30 - 4.30	Y6 Football (Miss Cain)

Wednesday:

	Author visit - Luke Temple
9.15	Y6 NCMP
8.00 - 8.45	Y5 Judo (Judo Education) - LAST SESSION
3.30 - 4.30	Y5 Indoor Athletics (Active Sport)
3.30 - 4.30	Y5 Football (Mr Wood & Mr Parry)

Thursday:

3.30 - 4.15	Y5 Drama (Limelight@Liverpool)
3.30 - 4.30	Y6 Indoor Athletics (Active Sport)

Friday:

3.30	School ends for half term
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Menu

Available daily	Specials
Sandwich Ham, Cheese or Tuna	Monday Curry and Rice
Wrap or Baguette Hot & Spicy Chicken, Ham, Cheese, Tuna or Pepperoni (Salad and sauce optional)	Wednesday Sausage Roll and Wedges
Jacket Potato Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Friday Fish and Chips
Tuna Pasta	

All lunches are provided with orange or apple juice and a biscuit