# KWPS ~ YELLOW PAGES 17TH OCTOBER 2019

#### PTFA Disco

What a lovely disco we had last night! There were over 150 children there and it was fabulous to see the older children looking after the younger boys and girls so well. A huge thank you to all the parents and staff who helped to ensure that it ran so smoothly!

Thank you also to all our parents for waiting so patiently to drop off or collect their child at the beginning and end of the evening, this enabled us to make sure all children were registered on entry and collected safely at the end.

#### PTFA AGM

It was great to see so many new faces at our AGM on Monday night. We had a productive meeting and the PTFA officers elected are:

Chairs ~ Rachel Carter and Christine Legge

Vice Chair ~ Adele Hall

Treasurer ~ Kevin Young

Secretary ~ Anne Taylor

The PTFA are already busy planning their next event  $\sim$  the Winter Wonderland Fair which will take place on November 29th this year.. One of the most popular stalls is the Secret Santa room where the children can choose, buy and wrap presents for their family. The PTFA have asked if I can send out a plea for any unwanted birthday/Christmas gifts such as toiletries. If you do have any, please just send them in after the half-term holiday  $\sim$  they will be gratefully received.

They will be holding the final planning meeting on **Monday 4th November** at 7.30pm. Do feel free to come along. Or alternatively contact Rachel on RachelCarterPTFA@hotmail.co.uk if you have any queries or want to offer your help.

#### Thank you

Thank you to one of our ex pupils Oliver Greenwood for bringing his pet snake and iguana to show Year 1 this week—it fitted in perfectly with their topic and they are now experts on reptiles! They were much braver than me too!

## Tempest Photographs

Proofs of the photographs were sent home with your child on Monday. I know some children have come out with lots as they had family and individual ones taken and sometimes the photographer took a few different shots. If you do wish to order any please could you do so by Friday 1st November. Tempest said that the easiest and quickest way to order is online or alternatively the envelope and money can be returned to school no later than Friday 1st November when the company will come to collect the orders. Please note that there is no obligation to buy any photographs. This is merely a service which some parents find useful.

#### School Dinner Menu

Just a reminder that the new school dinner menu will begin after half-term. Please could any orders be completed on ParentPay by next Thursday 24th October including for the Bonfire Meal on November 5th.

Please Turn Over ~ More information on the reverse including the dates of the Infant Nativity.

### Parent Consultation Meetings

# Thursday 7th Nov 4.30-7.30pm & Tuesday 12th Nov 4.00-7.00pm

Thank you to everyone who has retuned the slips for parents evening. The slips giving your child's allocated time will be sent out after half-term.

If you haven't yet had chance to return your slip giving preferred day and time, please do so on the first day back but please note all the earlier slots have already been booked.

# Advance Notice ~ Infant Nativity Dates Thursday 12th December 2.15pm and 6.00pm

Both performances are ticketed with two allocated per performance per family. More details will be sent home at a later date.

# Switch on of Kirkham Christmas Lights Saturday 23rd November ~ time to be confirmed

We have once again been invited to sing with other local primaries at the switch on of the Christmas lights.

## Saturday 30th November—Super Sevens at AFC Fylde

Our Y3 class will have the opportunity to go along to a home game at AFC Fylde free of charge and receive a bag of goodies. AC members will be coming in On Monday 25th November to give the children fliers with more information.

## Congratulations!

Wow ~ what a delightful class assembly we had from Year 1 today and it was lovely that so many parents were able to join us. I was so impressed with all the poems and songs that they learnt and performed so enthusiastically. Very well done!

# Congratulations to our Football and Netball Teams

Unfortunately a lot of our inter-school sporting competitions have been affected by the heavy rain we've had over recent weeks. However we have managed to complete most of the league matches in both netball and football. Our football team played extremely well on Monday—winning their final match and we look forward to hearing the final placings! Our Netball team play their last matches tonight and we wish them 'Good Luck'!

#### **Poppies**

On behalf of the British Legion, we will be selling poppies to both Infant and Junior children after half-term. There is no maximum limit but we do ask for a minimum donation of 20p please. The British Legion have also sent other poppy themed products into school with zip pulls and reflectors available for 50p, silicon wristbands £1 and snap bands £1.50. The wristbands and poppies can worn until Remembrance Day.

# Happy Holidays

Although action packed, this first half-term has flown by and it has been lovely to see how well our new Reception children have settled in. They have made a fabulous start to life here at KWPS and it feels as if they have been part of our school for ever!!

May I take this opportunity to thank you on behalf of the staff for all your support this half-term and wish you a very Happy Holiday.

School re-opens on Tuesday 29th October.