

Weekly Newsletter

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*'Where children
come first'*

Parents Afternoon - Thursday 24th November

We are holding our first face to face parents afternoon on Thursday 24th November when your child's teacher can talk to you about how your child is settling into their new year group and how they are getting on with their learning and attitude.

Each slot will be 5 minutes in the school hall (tables will be around the edge of the hall and your child's teacher will call you over when they are ready). You should have received an appointment time via Class Dojo, if not please get in touch.

We will not be looking at books this time as it is a brief chat to let you know how your child is getting on and what next steps we can work on together to make sure they are making the best possible progress in their learning in school.

Hothersall Lodge

Our wonderful Year 6 class have been to Hothersall Lodge adventure residential this week. We will give you a full report in next week's newsletter and hopefully some photos may appear on Facebook at some point.

OPAL and 'MESSY' PLAY

Please send your child to school in a coat with a hood and make sure they have wellies in school. If you are struggling to find or afford a coat or wellies **PLEASE** get in touch or send a message on Class Dojo (we have spare things in school that might fit or can probably find some).

A big thank you to those parents who have donated wellies and coats

If you have any items to help our children enjoy OPAL please bring them in to school - we will be so grateful!:



World Cup - Non Uniform Day

We will be having a non uniform day on Monday (21st) to coincide with Englands first match in the world cup.

Children can wear a football kit/own clothes for school in exchange for a donation of chocolate.



Anti-Bullying Week

We have been talking about anti-bullying in school and ways of reaching out to get help and to help others. On Monday, as part of the week, many of us came to school in odd socks to celebrate the fact that we are all different and that's ok.

We had an assembly looking at what 'bullying' means and the children were brilliant in some of the definitions they came up with. We emphasised that 'falling out' is not the same as bullying and that bullying is about targeted repetitive hurting of others (physically or verbally or mentally) and it is totally unacceptable in our school or anywhere in society.

The children discussed what we do as a school to stop it and support each other and they came up with lots of ideas.



Support for Families

If anyone is struggling during these difficult times in any way at all please contact Mrs Wright on 01772 422503 or d.wright@seven-stars.lancs.sch.uk who will be able to either give support or point you in the right direction.

You can also visit the Support page on our website where there are lots of links to groups and organisations that can help with whatever challenge you are facing at the moment.



Rewards for this week (Well done!)

Well done to all those amazing children who have achieved the various awards this week.

| Star of the Week Awards Focus on Learning | |
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| Moons | Zara – for her love of singing and learning the new songs for the nativity. |
| Rockets | Sophia |
| Dorado | Elizabeth – for trying so hard with her amazing sentence writing. |
| Orion | Kian – for being a magic mathematician and telling the class how to work out a quarter, first you half then half again. |
| Hercules | Purity – for working really hard in all areas of the curriculum. |
| Pegasus | Kylan – for good effort in all his work and being a sensible member of class. |
| Leo | Isabelle – for fantastic work in Maths showing fluency and reasoning. |
| Phoenix | - |

| Positive Points (Top Dojo Points Rockets Only) | |
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| Dorado | Nelly |
| Orion | Davis |
| Hercules | Purity, Lucas, Kian |
| Pegasus | Thomas |
| Leo | Savannah |
| Phoenix | - |

| VIP (Values Inspired Person) – for demonstrating TOLERANCE | |
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| Rockets | Rafail |
| Dorado | Hugo |
| Orion | Pippa |
| Hercules | Holly |
| Pegasus | Isabella |
| Leo | Jacob |
| Phoenix | - |

Local Hero - Isabella (Dorado) for finding someone's phone and finding the owner to give it back to them.

We would like to hear about any children who do amazing things outside of school and they MIGHT end up getting our Local Hero award - let us know with a quick message on Class Dojo to your child's teacher letting us know what they have done.

Kitchen Christmas Competition

**Colouring Competition Reception Class – Year 4
pictures can be collected from the kitchen staff**

Create a Christmas Poem – Years 5 and 6

Entries to be in by Monday 12th December

One prize per year group



Important Dates Coming Up

We have a number of events coming up this half-term:

(we are not doing Children in Need this year as there is so much going on and we are already doing a lot to raise money).

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| Thursday 24th November - | PARENTS AFTERNOON (in the hall) to talk to your child's teacher about how they are getting on in class with their learning: appointment times will be sent out in the first week back) |
| Thursday 8th December - | Christmas Lunch for the children |
| Thursday 8th December 3.30pm to about 5.30pm: | PTFA CHRISTMAS BINGO (everyone invited) |
| Tuesday 13th December - | Nursery/Reception Christmas performance 9.30am to about 10.30am (in the hall) - Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance 1.30pm to about 3pm (in the hall) |
| Wednesday 14th December - | Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance 9.30am to about 11.00am (in the hall) - Nursery/Reception Christmas performance 1.30pm to about 2.45pm (in the hall) |
| Thursday 15th December 1.30pm - | Christingles & Carols assembly in the hall |
| Friday 16th December - | Shining Stars Assembly |
| Friday 16th December - | Break up for the Christmas Holidays at 2pm (After-school club finishes as 4pm) |

MENU FOR WEEK COMMENCING 21/11/2022

Lunch menu WEEK 3 - 21.11.2022

| | Choice 1 | Choice 2 | Desserts Choice |
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| Monday | Sausages, Paprika Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables | Cheese & Tomato French Bread Pizza, Tortilla Chips, Veggie Sticks, Dips | Sponge & Chocolate Sauce Yoghurt Fresh Fruit |
| Tuesday | Pasta Neopolitan, Crusty Bread, Salad | Baked Jacket Potato with a Selection of Fillings, Salad | Yoghurt Fresh Fruit |
| Wednesday | Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding, Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Carrots | Quorn Tikka Curry, Mixed Rice, Naan Bread | Mini Shortbread Biscuit Yoghurt Fresh Fruit |
| Thursday | Beef Burger in a Bun, Potato Wedges, Veggie Sticks, Dips | Homemade Macaroni & Cheese Bake, Crusty Bread, Broccoli | Fresh Fruit Medley Yoghurt Fresh Fruit |
| Friday | Golden Crumb Fish Fingers, Chips or New Potatoes, Peas, Sweetcorn | Selection of Filled Sandwich Rolls, Chips, Veggie Sticks, Dips | Chocolate Muffin Yoghurt Fresh Fruit |

Many thanks for your support - *Mr Mitchell*

REMEMBER TO VISIT OUR WEBSITE (class and school information)

Remember to like us on Facebook and Twitter

