

30<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thanks to all of you who attended the Progress meeting with Rian and Erin this week. I'm glad you found it useful. You will all find out more about your child's progress in our first teacher / parent meetings which will be in November.

### **Autism Accreditation**

This week we received notification that we have achieved Advanced Accreditation Status from the National Autistic Society. This is a significant achievement for the school and a testament to the quality of the work that is done here. I am immensely proud of the school and as always express my appreciation of the dedication, commitment and expertise of all the staff. Well done everyone. I'll let you know once the report is on the website.

### **Meet the OT**

Families in Sunray, Belair and Neptune classes are invited to meet Shannen our Occupational Therapist on: **Wednesday October 5<sup>th</sup> at 2.30pm**

Come along to learn more about how she works with your child and to let her know the kinds of things that will be useful to know more about.

### **Online Safety**

Natterhub are running an Online safety live webinar for parents of primary aged children on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm. Follow the link to find out more! <https://natterhub.com/online-safety-parent-workshop>

### **Flu vaccinations**

The school nursing team will be with us on Monday to provide **flu vaccinations** for pupils whose families have completed the online consent form. Please do complete the form if you want your child to receive the vaccine, it is a spray in the nose and not an injection.

### **Family Workshops**

Thanks to all of you who returned the workshops survey. There is still time to send them in before we set dates for the sessions.

### **Introducing Rachel**

Rachel will be joining us as an interim Assistant Head from Monday. She will be working alongside me, Erin, Beth and Rian for the rest of this term and will be with us Monday to Thursday each week.



### **Thankyou Simon**

As you know we are still recruiting for the Head of School post. We have been really lucky to have Simon with us for the month of September. It has been great having him here and we have all learned a lot from him. Thank you so much Simon – we are looking forward to you visiting us after your travels. We all wish you the very best.

Stay warm and have a peaceful weekend.

Yours sincerely,

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