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**NEWSLETTER**

**Week Beginning Monday 30th September**

**THANK YOU**

**Thank you for all the donations of cakes for our Macmillan coffee morning last Friday. Thank you also to those parents and grandparents that came along and supported this very worthwhile cause. We managed to raise a fantastic £330!**

Good Work and Good Behaviour

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| friday 20th september | | Writer of  the week |
| **Y 5/6** | Shay, Aimee | Natalie |
| **Y3/4** | Freya, Amelia and Grace | Evie |
| **Y1/2** | Poppy, Kai and Madison | Isak |
| **EYFS** | Caia, Skyler and James H | Sofia |

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| friday 27th SEPTEMBER | | Writer of  the week |
| **Y 5/6** | Dylan M, Aimee | Shayla-Mae |
| **Y3/4** | Blake, Molly | Tyler |
| **Y1/2** | Madison, Poppy and Adin | Michael |
| **EYFS** | Kyla, Kody and Kai | Jenson |

ATTENDANCE

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|  |  | w/b 20/9 |  | w/b 27/9 |
| y5/6 | 97.3 | 8 | 93.4 | 4 |
| y3/4 | 92 | 7 | 92.5 | 9 |
| y1/2 | 96.1 | 2 | 95.7 | 3 |
| rec | 98.3 | 6 | 95.6 | 4 |
| overall |  |  | 94.3 |  |

**We would like to remind parents about the importance of being in school on time. Remember school starts at 9.00am Any child arriving in school after this time will be given a late mark!**

**5 minutes late every day adds up to 3 days lost each year.**

**10 minutes adds up to 6 days lost each year 15 minutes adds up to 10 days lost each year 20 minutes adds up to 13 days lost each year 30 minutes adds up to 19 days lost each year.**

**REMEMBER BE ON TIME COME AT NINE!**

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The photographer will be in school next Monday to take photographs of the children! The photographer will be in school from 8.30am if you have children who are not yet at school that you would like to have a photograph with brothers/sisters. Remember those smiles ☺

HARVEST ASSEMBLY

This years Harvest assembly is being presented by Year3/4. It will take place next Monday 7th October at 2.30pm. Parents are welcome to join us for this assembly. We look forward to seeing you there!

PARENTS EVENING

Remember our Parent’s evening is taking place on **Wednesday 16th October.** Letters have been sent home. Please complete the slip with your preferred time and send in to school as soon as possible.

STREET PARTY

To celebrate the 50 year anniversary since the opening of St Edmunds, we will be having a street party (in the hall!) with the children on the afternoon of Wednesday 16th October. A letter has gone home about this. It will be a non-uniform day with the option of coming in 60’s attire!! We also invite parents to join us after school for coffee, tea and cake to look at some of the work the children have been doing in class this half term and also look at some old photographs and share any memories you may have about St Edmunds. We look forward to seeing you all here to celebrate this significant milestone.

ALDI SPORTS STICKERS

Aldi’s Kit for Schools promotion is giving 20 primary schools the chance to win £20,000 to kick-start a health legacy for their school. What’s more, every school who enters by completing their Aldi’s Kit for Schools poster will also receive an exclusive school sports kit! You can collect a sticker with every £30 spent in store and fill up your school’s poster for a chance to win. **Thanks for those already received. Can you please send them in if you are shopping in Aldi!**

ROBINWOOD

Thank you for deposits sent in for our Robinwood residential. You should have received your payment cards now and the remaining balance of £80 needs to be paid in full by **Thursday 13th February.** We will be holding a parent’s meeting nearer the time to let you know what the children will need for the Residential trip.

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

**A Reminder!** If your child has their 4th birthday between 1st Sept 19 and 31st August 20, they will be due to start in Reception class next September. You will need to complete the online form for Primary Admissions at :

[**www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools**](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools)

**The deadline for completing the form is 15th January 2020.**

**YOU WILL STILL NEED TO APPLY FOR A PRIMARY PLACE EVEN IF YOUR CHILD ATTENDS THE SCHOOL NURSERY!**

Secondary admissions are open now and need to be applied for through the link above. **The deadline for Secondary admissions is Oct 31st.**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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| School Photo day | **Mon 7th Oct** |
| Harvest Assembly – 2.30pm | **Mon 7th Oct** |
| Flu Vaccinations – pm | **Tues 8th Oct** |
| Reception vision screening | **Wed 9th Oct** |
| Parents Evening | **Wed 9th Oct** |
| Street Party and celebration | **Wed 16th Oct** |
| School Closes Half term | **Friday 18th Oct** |

Thank you for your ongoing support!!

Mrs Johanson

Deputy Headteacher