



Dear Parent/Carer,

How lovely it was to be able to invite you back into school for parents' evening this week. With that and the removal of the one-way system, it feels like we are starting to move forward and that's a great feeling. Of course, we still have to operate with a degree of caution, but it is fantastic to know that we can now welcome you back in to events in school. It's also great to see so many of you coming in to hear readers - our children will really benefit from your involvement.

Regarding parents' evening, I'm really interested to hear any feedback you have about how it was organised this time. I would really appreciate it if you could complete the following questionnaire, which should take about 2 minutes to complete. It would help enormously with our planning for future parents' evenings.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=PFh8faeZ9kaqmBi-oP_jt-Mf2zBj3vNAIxxChcalPfVUNjIWMlcyUzc4Q1c4NjdQME03SzIDNTc0VS4u

Next Friday is Red Nose Day. We would like everyone to dress in red on that day (or shades of!). Your child can bring in a donation, on the day, and give it to their class teacher.

Here are a few weekly reminders for you:

- **School Meals** - week beginning Monday 14th March will be Week 1.
- **Class 11 Parents' evenings** - Wednesday 16th March. This date is rearranged from last week.
- **Covid-19 Reporting** - please email the school office immediately if your child tests positive.
- **Gate opening times** - the gates will be closed at 8:55am. However, please make sure that you are aiming to bring your child in by 8:50am.
- **School crossing** - at the end of the school day, many people are not using the school crossing. This was installed to prevent accidents happening. If people are not using the crossing, I am afraid that an accident will happen soon, so please keep yourself and your child safe.
- **Link Club** - please do not use the staff car park for pick up or drop off. The car park is for staff only. If you have other family members or friends who will be picking up your child for you, please let them know.
- **Lost property** - if you need to check lost property, please come after school. We will no longer be allowing access before school.
- **Westbrook Old Hall Preloved Uniforms** - sell good quality pre-owned uniform at discounted prices. The services they provide are good on 3 levels: good for parents' purses - we cost less than new; good for the environment - less waste goes to landfill and all proceeds go to FOWOHPs - which in turn are reinvested into reinvested into the school/children. They have most things in stock already. Enquiries can be made either via the FB parent group; on the Westbrook Old Hall Preloved Uniforms page, or directly by phone on 07702 171953.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above information, please do not hesitate to contact me - I am most happy to help and to explain further.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mary Lythall-Brennan

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