

Fountains CE Primary School



Newsletter 28th September 2018



Classes 3 & 4 took part in a Stone Age day earlier this week. They looked at artefacts, completed cave art and made their own Stone Age mirror. They really enjoyed this enrichment activity.

On Tuesday 2nd October all children in the school will be taking part in Archaeology activities with the Nidderdale Archaeology Group. Each class will have their own slot where they will be excavating. Please can the children bring: a set of old warm clothes to change into; a waterproof coat; wellingtons or boots; and a hat and gloves. The children may well get muddy.

We have had a message from Nidderdale swimming baths, where the children go swimming, to ask us to remind you about what is needed for swimming on a Friday. All children need to have a swimming hat to wear, and their swim wear must be appropriate for lessons, they don't want any bikinis for example.

On Wednesday the 24th of October Miss Rogers' and Miss Wray's classes (Class 1 and Class 2) will be going on a trip to Harlow Carr in Harrogate, with the children from Grewelthorpe Primary School. This trip is directly linked to the children's science theme of 'animals including humans' and includes a guided workshop. The trip will take place within the normal school day and the children will be transported by Abbots Coaches.

Mrs Nelson will provide the children with a packed lunch, if your child doesn't require a school packed lunch can you please let us know to avoid us wasting food. As the trip is in October can we please ask that children are dressed appropriately for the weather including a warm coat and sensible footwear. The children can wear non-uniform but must wear their school jumper or cardigan.

The entire cost of this trip is being covered by the Friends of Fountains, we do however need a consent form for each child to be returned to school in order for them to be able to go on the trip. The consent form is attached.

For Action:

- Archaeology Day – Don't forget your change of clothes, coat, wellingtons, hat and gloves.

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- Flu Jab reminder – today is the closing date to register your child for a flu jab. Please see the attached NHS letter.
- Packed lunches - Mrs Nelson is looking to possibly provide packed lunches as an alternative choice to hot school dinners if there is enough interest. If you may be interested for your child to have a packed lunch please let Mrs Driffield know by Friday 5th October so we can decide whether to go ahead with this option. A packed lunch option would consist of a ham or cheese sandwich, vegetable sticks and dessert of the day.

Attendance

Week commencing 24TH September the whole school attendance was 95.1%. Well done to Class 1 who have achieved the top attendance of 100%

STARS OF THE WEEK



Class 1 William Harrison
Class 2 Nicholas Topham
Class 3 Alicia Chatwin
Class 4 Sophie Risbey

GOOD CITIZENS OF THE WEEK



Class 1 Oliver Bennington
Class 2 Matilda Jarman
Class 3 Chloe Hal
Class 4 Oli Davies

School Lunches week commencing Monday 1st October 2018

Mon Organic beef burger in a seeded bun, chipped potatoes, peas & sweetcorn, banana brownie & chocolate sauce, fresh fruit

Tues: Chicken & tomato pasta bake, green beans & cauliflower, wholemeal bread, autumn berry sponge & custard, fresh fruit, yoghurt

Wed: Roast pork with apple sauce & gravy, carrots, & broccoli, parsley potatoes, bread of the day, raspberry bun with apple, fresh fruit

Thurs: Beef tortilla wrap, vegetable rice, veg sticks, jacket potato and cheese, apple cinnamon crunchy crumble & custard, fresh fruit, yoghurt

Fri: Breaded salmon nibbles, tomato sauce, broccoli & carrots, potato wedges, bread of the day, Swiss bun, fresh fruit

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Week Commencing Monday 1st October Activities

Monday 1st

Tuesday 2nd Archaeology Day – whole school

Wednesday 3rd KS2 swimming gala

Thursday 4th

Friday 5th

Friends of Fountains

School/other Information & Website

Harvest Festival is being held at Grewelthorpe Church on Sunday 7th October.

All previous newsletters are also now available online. www.grantleyfountains.co.uk