



'BIRCHANGER BUZZ'

'Learn to Love, Love to Learn'

Friday 18th November

School Council organised fundraising for Children in Need today with non-uniform 'yellow and spotty' and a Pudsey Treasure Hunt at lunchtime. Thank you for your donations which will be forwarded to the charity and if children are watching the appeal on TV tonight they can be pleased to have taken part.

Parent Consultation Meetings

Meetings were held this week for children in all classes. We hope you found the opportunity to look at children's work and find out about their progress useful and informative.

Parent consultation meetings will be held again in February but if you do have any concerns about your child, teachers are always happy to discuss these with you or an appointment can be made to see Mrs Cook, our Special Educational Needs Coordinator.

Lunches

We hope you enjoyed our lunch tasters provided by the school kitchen at parents evening. All of the school lunch menus are nutritionally balanced to school food standards.

If you are providing a packed lunch for children we do ask that this is a healthy lunch, please do not put chocolate bars, sweets or fizzy drinks in packed lunches. To keep children safe we are a 'Nut Free School' so there should not be any nut products in packed lunches - no Nutella sandwiches please!

e-safety

You will have received a letter about the e-safety parent workshop being held on 23rd November. I hope as many parents as possible will take this opportunity to find out more about keeping children safe online. Please reserve a space by returning the slip or letting the office know.

Catering Assistant

TCS Catering, our school meals provider, are recruiting a catering assistant. Monday – Friday for 1 ½ hours a day, 7 ½ hours a week. For more details ask in the school office or contact TCS on 01474 338739.

Class Assemblies

Parents are welcome to join us in our Friday assembly each week at 2.50pm when we celebrate the achievements of the children. Class assemblies will take place on the following dates, starting at 2.45pm

Friday 2nd December – Badgers Class Year 3

We value your opinion!
Please take 10 minutes to complete
the 12 short questions.

www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk

Thank you

Diary Dates

- e-safety evening workshop for parents – Wednesday 23rd November
- Ladybirds and Hedgehogs Nativity Play – Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th December at 2pm
- Christingle Service in Church – Thursday 15th December at 9.30am
- School Visit to the pantomime – Monday 19th December at 1pm

This year the PTA Christmas Event will be held after school, 3.30 – 5.30pm on Tuesday 20th December. There will be cakes, crafts, carols and of course Father Christmas in the grotto!

Have a lovely weekend

Helen Coop