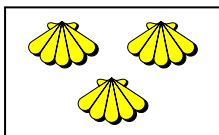


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# Harvest Service

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Please remember to send your child in to school with a tin or a packet of food for our Harvest Service on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October. The children take the item into church and add it to the collection for a local charity. You are very welcome to join us at 9.30am in the church. There will also be a collection on the day for the Bishop's Harvest Appeal. Many thanks for your support.

## Spanish themed dinner

There will be a Spanish themed dinner day on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October. Your child has been given a leaflet today.

## Dahlicious Day

Thank you to those parents who sent in money in exchange for dressing up on Dahlicious Day. We raised just over £200 which has gone towards new books for the library.

## Individual Photos

A reminder that the children will be having their individual photos taken on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October.

## PTA AGM

Please join us at the AGM on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm in the Library area. If you are interested in becoming the Chair, Treasurer or Secretary please fill out the relevant form and send back by 3.20pm on Wednesday. Forms will be sent out today on Parentmail.

## Trench Visit

Year 2 have been fortunate to be offered the fantastic opportunity to visit a WW1 trench in Sawbridgeworth on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October so please remember to return the form promptly.

## Reading at Home

Thank you to the many parents who spend time in the evening reading with or to their children. This makes a big difference to them. If you are unsure how to support your child during this time please speak to your class teacher.

Bug Club- The children enjoy accessing this so if you have forgotten your password please speak to your class teacher.

## Uniform

Please could parents check all items of clothing for name tags and to return any rogue items to the school. Rename all items if they are starting to fade. Many thanks.

## ICT Acceptable Use Policy

Please talk to your child about the Acceptable use policy and sign and return the agreement by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October. This is chance to talk to your child about how to keep themselves safe online. Thank you.

### Spook Fest

This popular event will be held this year on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October. More details to follow soon. Tickets will be available to purchase from the office.

### Dinner Money

Just a reminder that dinners now cost £2.30 per day. Please also remember to pay in advance or on the day. Herts Catering have advised us that we cannot allow children to have dinners if their account is in debit.

### Dates for the term

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Individual photos
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Church service 9.30am
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	PTA AGM- all welcome
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6 History Day
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> October	Spook Fest
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Walk to School Week
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Year 1 Cookie workshop
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Year 4 Crossing Temple Trip
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	INSET day (no school)
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Half term
31 <sup>st</sup> October	Closing date for Secondary school admissions
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 4 swimming (4 weeks)
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 5 Egyptian History Day
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Reception 2016 online applications opens
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Day
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent evening 3.30-6.30
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent evening 4.00-7.00
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 2 Duxford Trip
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 3 Colchester Castle Trip
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	NO SCHOOL
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Year 1/2 Flu vaccination
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Last Nursery afternoon session
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	FS Nativity 9.15am
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Church service 9.30am
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas dinner and Pantomime
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	KS1 Nativity 9.15am
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Finish 2pm

Yours sincerely  
Mrs M. J. West  
Headteacher