



# Morley CE VA Primary School

Executive Head Teacher: Mrs Laura Green

*Work together, learn together, grow together...*



## Newsletter 05 - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October

### Value for life - Thankfulness

#### Upcoming events

Cathedral Trip KS2 10/10/18  
Parent consultations 11/10/18  
FOMPS Bake Sale 16/10/18  
Break for half term 17/10/18 3.15pm  
INSET Day 18/10/18

#### Current Clubs

Football club KS2 3:15- 4:15  
11 /09/18 - 16/10/18  
Multi sports club KS2 8:10/8:40  
11 /09/18 - 16/10/18  
Learn, Play, Grow 3.15 - 4.15 14/09/18 - 06/12/18  
Premier Sports Gymnastics KS1 & 2 3.20 - 4.20  
20/09/18 - 13/12/18  
Mad Science KS1 & 2 3.20 - 4.20 26/09/18 -  
17/10/18

Dear Parents / carers

#### **Change of menu - Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October**

Lunch options on the above date will be as follows:

Fish Fingers or vegetable burger

Chips

Peas & Baked Beans

Jacket Potato with cheese or Cheese Snackpack

Pudding is Yoghurt or fresh fruit.

#### **Phonics & Reading Evening**

There will be a phonics and reading evening at school on Thursday 1st November from 6-7pm.

This is aimed at parents of children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. We look forward to seeing you!

#### **Parent Consultations - 11/10/18**

Your child will bring home their parent consultation appointment time in their bag today. If you have not yet made an appointment, please call the school office for time slots still available.

#### **Children's birthdays**

Whilst we understand that your child may want to celebrate a birthday with sweets or cakes to share with their class mates we would ask parents not to provide these any more. It can be distracting in class and has caused unnecessary upset with other children. Also, it is not in keeping with our Healthy School ethos. We celebrate birthdays in Collective worship each Friday and we sing Happy Birthday in class so we would be grateful if you could reserve any birthday treats for out of school please.

#### **SAVE THE DAY! Wear it Pink and Macmillan Coffee afternoon**

On Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October, there will be a charity day in school, raising funds for two cancer charities; Macmillan that provide specialist nurses trained in palliative care and do a

fantastic job caring for cancer patients and their families and Wear It Pink that raises funds for Breast Cancer Now.

I am sure that cancer has affected every family in this school in one way or another so we wanted to come together with the FOMPS to raise money for these charities.

We will have a dress down day and invite everyone to wear pink in exchange for a donation. We would usually suggest a donation of £1 for a Dress Down Day but you may wish to give more as it is for such good causes.

The FOMPS will be hosting afternoon tea in the Hall from 1.30pm - 3.15pm.

### **Books for Schools**

The EDP newspaper launched its Books for Schools campaign from Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October with tokens printed in the paper to collect. Schools will receive £100 of books for every 1000 tokens collected so please ask friends and family to look out for the tokens and collect them on our behalf. The tokens will be available until 8<sup>th</sup> December.

### **Head Lice**

We have several cases of head lice in school. We ask that parents check their children for these pesky little critters and treat over the weekend if necessary.

## **Reminders**

### **Change to Friday Newsletter**

We would like to announce a change in the way we will be sending out the Friday newsletter to parents and carers.

Until half term we will continue to send the weekly newsletter out by email as we have done previously and also post the newsletter on the website.

After half term we will only be posting the Friday newsletter on the website. We will no longer be sending a weekly email.

We intend to make the website the 'go to' place for all information regarding your child's time at school. We are introducing this with the newsletter and intend, at a later time, to include diary dates, announcements, letters home, class activities etc.

Please have a look at our new website. We would welcome any comments and should you find any problems please let the office know so we can pass them to Mrs Gowing, who is maintaining the site.

[www.tacolnestonandmorleyfederation.co.uk](http://www.tacolnestonandmorleyfederation.co.uk)

### **100 club**

The 100 Club annual payment is now due. Each number costs £5 per academic year.

Anyone who had a number last year will automatically be included in this year's 100 Club list unless we hear otherwise so please send in your payment as soon as possible. If any new parent would like to buy a number and be in with the chance of a cash prize each term, please ask at the school office.

## **Celebrations**

**Oak Class**  
Yasemin  
Emilia



**Rowan Class**  
Milly  
Harry  
Amy

**Willow Class**  
Grace

**Sycamore**  
Ellie

Value Achievements	Pine	Oak	Rowan	Sycamore	Willow
Reading Passports					
Merit Badge					
Bronze					
Silver					
Gold					
Platinum					
Effort					
Helpfulness					
COURAGE					
SERVICE					
SELF RESPECT					
FORGIVENESS					
GENEROSITY					
FRIENDSHIP				Alice	
RESPECT					
KOINONIA					
LOVE & COMPASSION					
PERSEVERANCE	Byron	Charlie	Luke		Grace
HUMILITY					
KINDNESS					

#### Out of school achievements

Wow - lots of swimming achievements this week...well done to the following children: Charlie in Rowan, Annabell in Sycamore, Emilia and Zachary in Oak, Sam and Harry in Pine,

#### House Points:

**Blickling: 196**

**Felbrigg: 162**

**Holkham: 183**

**Oxburgh: 166**

Have a lovely weekend

Laura Green

#### Attachments:

- School Diary
- Macmillan coffee afternoon poster

**Whole school attendance: 98.9%**