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Newsletter - *Monday 16th September 2024*

A message from Mrs Holmes

It has been a wonderful start to the new school year and it has been a joy to have all our pupils back in school. In this newsletter, I have included the important dates that we have so far for this term. I hope they are useful so you can plan ahead.

I would like to share some wonderful news from Mrs Rimmer. *Toby David Rimmer was born on Wednesday 4th September weighing 7lb 8oz. We are all enjoying life as a family of 3 and are so thankful for all your cards, presents and well wishes. We look forward to seeing you all soon!*

Mr & Mrs Rimmer and Toby x



Muddy Mondays are back in Acorns! The children enjoyed exploring the forest, digging for worms, and noticing the signs of autumn. They also read their story of the week, The Colour Monster.



Important dates for your diary

Monday 23rd September	Year 5/6 Trip to Eden Camp	More information to follow
Tuesday 24th September	Y3/4 Boys Football Team at VoY	More information to follow
Wednesday 25th September (AM)	Individual school photographs	These will take place in the morning. Photos with siblings not of school age are welcome at 8.30am.
Wednesday 25th September (PM)	Y3/4 Girls Football Team at Hopgrove	More information to follow
Friday 27th September	Y5/6 Girls Football Team at Hopgrove	More information to follow
Monday 30th September, 3.20pm - 4pm	Class drop ins	All Parents/Carers are welcome to visit their child's classroom and informally chat to the class teacher.
Tuesday 1st October - Monday 7th October.	Scholastic Book Fair Begins	3.20pm - 4pm in the main hall
Wednesday 2nd October, 9am - 10.30am	Grandparents coffee morning	To celebrate National Grandparents day, we are hosting another Grandparents coffee morning.
Thursday 3rd October	Reception - Year 6 flu immunisation	Please see the information sent
Monday 7th October, 2.30pm Pick up will be as normal, from school at 3.20pm.	Harvest Church Service	After Parent/Carer feedback, we are going to alternate the times of church services.
W/C 7th October	Harvest Festival donations	Any donations for the harvest festival to be brought into school by Friday 11th October.
Friday 11th October (PM)	Y5/6 Boys Football Team at Hopgrove	More information to follow
Monday 14th October	Maths workshops for Parents/Carers	EYFS/KS1 3.30pm - 3.50pm KS2 4pm - 4.20pm This is an opportunity for Parents/Carers to be shown how we teach maths at FoG.
Thursday 17th October, 8.50am - 9.30am	KS1 Books and Breakfast	Parents/Carers of pupils in Hedgehogs are welcome to join us.

Monday 21st October	Early Years and KS1 Read, Write, Inc (Phonics) meeting in the main hall	Early Years: 3.30pm - 3.45pm KS1 4pm - 4.15pm This will be an information session about Read, Write, Inc.
Monday 21st October (PM)	KS1 Sports Hall Athletics	More information to follow
Thursday 24th October, 8.50am - 9.30am	EYFS Books and Breakfast	Parents/Carers of pupils in Conkers and Acorns are welcome to join us.
Friday 25th October	Non-uniform day Break up for October half term	Non-uniform day to celebrate all children reaching gold on the reading chart.
Thursday 31st October	Year 6 secondary application deadline	Please see the letter sent from NYC
Monday 4th November	Autumn 2 begins	All children
Monday 11th November	Parents/Carers evening letters to be sent out	Year 1 - Year 6 These evenings will be arranged via school cloud as per last academic year.
Wednesday 13th November, 3pm - 3.20pm	World Nursery Rhyme week performance to Parents/Carers	Conkers and Acorns class only.
Friday 15th November	Children in Need	Non-uniform day. School council will be organising the day for us.
W/C Monday 18th November	Parents/Carers evenings this week	Year 1 - Year 6 Information about Nursery and Reception Parents/Carers evenings has been sent.
Monday 2nd December, 10.30am	Christmas Church Service	All welcome
Thursday 5th December, 3.20pm - 4.30pm	Christmas Fair	All welcome.
Monday 9th December, 2.30pm - 3.15pm	Acorns and Hedgehogs Nativity performance to Parents/Carers	There will be 2x free tickets per child.
Tuesday 10th December, 9am - 9.45am	Acorns and Hedgehogs Nativity performance to Parents/Carers	There will be 2x free tickets per child.

Wednesday 11th December, 3pm - 3.20pm	Conkers Carol Concert to Parents/Carers	Conkers only
Thursday 12th December	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Lunch Day	All children are welcome to wear non-uniform with a Christmas theme.
Thursday 12th December, 2.45pm - 3.15pm	KS2 Carol Concert performance to Parents/Carers	There will be 2x free tickets per child.
Friday 13th December, 9am - 9.30am	KS2 Carol Concert performance to Parents/Carers	There will be 2x free tickets per child.
Thursday 19th December	Non-uniform day Break up for the Christmas Holidays	Non-uniform day to celebrate all children reaching gold on the reading chart.
Friday 20th December	Training Day	School closed to all pupils.

Friends of FoG need you! Please see a message below from our Friends team.

Fancy joining our school PTA (Friends of FoG), enjoy organising events, keen to help fundraise, great at coming up with ideas? We need you!

We would be delighted to hear from anyone who would like to join our little team. Email: Friends@fog.hslt.academy

Don't forget we also have a facebook page where we update families on our upcoming events and fundraising activities, search Friends of Forest of Galtres Primary School

We look forward to hearing from you
Jo and Anna (Co-Chairs)

