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## Weekly Newsletter No. 06

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\*\*\*We are a nut free school!\*\*\*

No nuts in any snacks or packed lunches

Dear Parent/Carer,

Well done to the year 3 boys (Joey, Jacob and Thomas) who came second overall in the **cross country** race on Saturday! Details of the race this Saturday (14th) were sent out earlier this week. Good luck to all!

Yesterday, we had two **new interactive smart screens** installed in school! Many thanks to the PTA who have agreed to make a contribution towards these screens as one of the fundraising goals for this year.

Today, parents of children in Reception have had the opportunity to watch a **Phonics lesson** and have an **individual reading session** with Miss Brierley and their child. Parents found the sessions very informative.

A reminder that parents / carers / grandparents are invited to watch our **Harvest assemblies** on Tuesday 17th October. The infant assembly (years R, 1 and 2) will start at 9.30am, and the junior assembly (years 3, 4, 5 and 6) will start at 2.30pm. Due to the limited size of the school hall, only 2 adults per child please. Please park with consideration for the local residents. A collection for our school charity will be made at the end of each assembly.

Thank you to all the parents who have checked and returned the **contact information** for their child. If you haven't already done so, please check and return the contact details for your child (sent out in brown envelopes last week) as a matter of urgency. Please sign and return even if all the information is correct. Thankyou for your help.

Information about how to order a **Tempest photograph** of your child was sent out last week. Please place your orders online by Thursday 19th October for free delivery back to school.

A reminder that **Parents Evenings** for all children in years Reception to 6 will take place on-line on Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th October. Information about how to book appointments will be sent out next week.

We are pleased to announce that we will be **extending the hours of our wrap around care** (breakfast club and after school clubs) from January. The new hours will be from 7.30am to 6pm every day, for all children from nursery to year 6. More details to follow after half term.

Yours faithfully, Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher

**CROSS COUNTRY NEWS—RACE NUMBER 2—Saturday 14th October at Addingham Primary School—KS2 children only**

Good luck to those children taking part in the race on Saturday!

**RACE NUMBER 3—Saturday 18th November—Race at Ghyll Royd—Details will be sent home after half term.**

**NEXT PTA MEETING—Friday 20th October—7pm in the Roebuck—All welcome!**

**PTA NEWS—Bags to School collection - Wednesday 25th October**—Help raise money for the PTA by having a clear out and bagging up all your unwanted clothing, shoes, bags, jewellery, soft toys, curtains and towels and leaving them outside the village hall by 9am on Wed 25<sup>th</sup> October. Please do not bring the bags into school. Bags were sent home on Tuesday, but any bag (ie a bin bag) can be used. Thank you for your support.

**PTA NEWS—Halloween Disco—Friday 27th October**—See attached a flyer about the Halloween disco and a letter about how to buy tickets. A paper copy of the ticket letter was sent home last week, spares available from the office. Please note, the last day to buy tickets is Wednesday 18th October.

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