

WOODLAND NEWS - October

Dear families and friends,

This half term has flown by so far and it is hard to believe that we ~~break off for half-term, next Friday~~.

Parents evening is taking place on Monday and Tuesday night after school next week. Please make sure you meet with your child/ren's class teacher to find out how they have settled in.

The children are invited to take part in a **Non-uniform day** next **Friday 26th October**. We are asking for donations of bottles of cordial, boiled sweets and wrapped biscuits to donate to Castle Hill. Thank you in advance for your support.

Our **Halloween Disco** tickets are still on sale at the school office and the deadline has been extended to Monday. **Please note** Tickets will not be sold on the door because we need to be able to plan for numbers to cater for.

Several parents have been in to complain about youths hanging around outside the school grounds at the end of the day or when clubs finish. If you have any issues do please let the school know and report them to the police on 101.

Harvest Festival thank you for all your generous donations. These went to a local food bank who were so pleased with the school's support.

For those that don't know, the school has a **school Facebook page** where photographs of the children and reminders of events are posted. Do please 'follow' the page to get the latest information.

The school website (address on the other side) is also a good place to visit to check calendar dates, term dates etc.

Many thanks for your support,
Mrs Bradley (Headteacher)

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Mon 22nd Oct YEAR 6	Tournament at Archbishop after-school for selected team.
Mon 22nd Oct Tues 23rd Oct ALL YEARS	Parents evening: Mon 3.30-6pm Tues 3.30-5.30pm
Tues 23rd Oct YEAR 6	Amy Johnson Year 6 visit around Hull.
Wed 24th Oct YEAR 5	Amy Johnson Year 5 visit around Hull.
Thurs 25th Oct FS2 - YEAR 6	Halloween disco—£2.50. FS2/KSI 4-5pm / KS2 5.15-6.15pm
Fri 26th Oct FS1 / FS2	Halloween craft morning for parents. Please come and join in the fun.
Fri 26th Oct ALL YEARS	Non-uniform day (donations of squash/sweets/ wrapped biscuits for the Cancer Ward) Finish school for the half term.
Mon 5th Nov ALL YEARS	Children return from half term.
Thurs 8th Nov YEARS 3 / 4	(am) Cinema visit. Details to follow.
Fri 9th Nov YEARS 5 / 6	(am) Cinema visit. Details to follow.
Fri 9th Nov YEARS 3 / 4	WWI performance at 9.30am in the hall. Parents of Y3-4 children invited.
Thurs 15th Nov FS2/KSI	(am) Cinema visit. Details to follow.

TERM DATES FOR NEXT YEAR 2018-2019

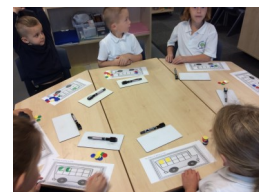
Wed 5th Sept	Children return to school.
Fri 26th Oct	Half term
Fri 21st Dec	Break off
Tues 8th Jan	Children return to school.
Fri 15th Feb	Half term
Fri 5th April	Break off
Tues 23rd Apr	Children return to school.
Thurs 23rd May	Half term
Fri 19th July	Break off

FS1/FS2 - Mrs Lazenby

Last week we celebrated Hull Fair and lots of parents came in to join us. The children enjoyed lots of different crafts, games, activities and food tasting. We would like to Thank you all for the support you give and invite you to join us on Friday 26th October from 9-11am for spooky crafts and activities.



Year 1 - Mrs Godwin We have had a very busy October. We have started to tackle addition calculations using the part, part whole model and the children have been working really hard at completing number sentences. In English they have been writing their own Paddington stories, all about Paddington at Hull Fair. During this week we have been producing some Fairground Art, using the colours and shapes that we saw at the Fair. During independent learning the children have been very conscientious, completing their own part, part wholes, writing sentences and counting objects.



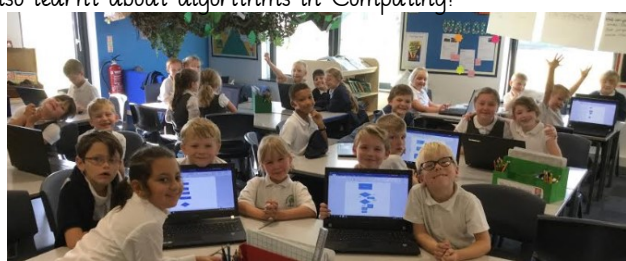
Year 2 - Miss Iveson

The last few weeks in Year 2 have been lovely. The children have done some lovely writing based on Paddington goes to the Carnival and should be very proud of their use of expanded noun phrases. We have also enjoyed a trip to Hull Fair, painting prints with Hull Fair food and taking part in a HET Year 2 event, showcasing some of our work Hull Fair work at Holiday Inn.



Year 3 - Miss Stocks

Year 3 have had a very busy but brilliant month. In P.E, they have been learning World War II dance styles and in maths, they have been working hard to master adding 3 digit and 2 digit numbers using place value counters and base ten. They have also learnt about algorithms in Computing!



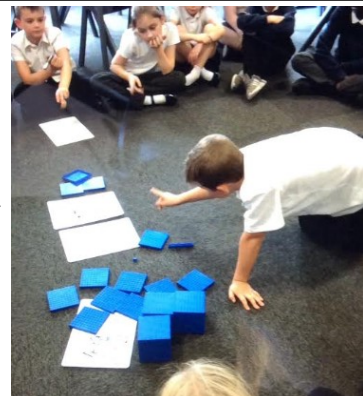
Year 4 - Miss Mangan

Year Four have had a busy few weeks. We have really enjoyed our PE lessons with Tigers Trust. During the anti-violence workshops, we have learned lots about building positive relationships, we know what is right and wrong behaviour and how to get help when we need it. In art, we have been developing our painting techniques and producing work in the style of Pablo Picasso.



Year 5 - Miss Tate

This month Year 5 have been working hard on creating a narrative around the Fintan Fedora book. In science we have been looking at how materials can change into new materials and whether they conduct electricity using circuits. Year 5 have worked especially hard at adding and subtracting numbers up to million. Well done year 5!



Year 6 - Mrs Hardwick and Miss Kirk

Over the past week Year 6 have been working on texts that persuade the reader. We have linked this to our class text - Fintan Fedora The World's Worst Explorer. Our persuasion texts take the form of a holiday brochure to persuade the reader to book a cruise on the ship using many different persuasive strategies in our writing.



Target 96%.	Attendance this month	Attendance since Sept	Number of lates (from Sept)
Reception/FS2	95.8%	95.9%	9
Year 1	98.4%	97.7%	19
Year 2	98.2%	97.7%	21
Year 3	96.9%	97.3%	7
Year 4	96.3%	96.0%	11
Year 5	97.9%	98.7%	4
Year 6	98.1%	96.3%	14
Whole school	97.5%	97.2%	85