# PARENT / CARER NEWSLETTER





## 19th October 2022

## Message from Emma

It has been a busy half of the term with everyone settling in and getting to know each other but now it is hard to believe that the half term break is nearly upon us. I hope that you all have a good half term and iust a reminder that school is closed to all pupils this Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October. It has been areat to see the pupils being able to join each other more in the playground and re-establish friendships. Key Stages 1, 2 and 3 have been busy working on their Themes and Key Stage 4 are benefitting from getting back out into the community.

## **Staffing and Pupil Updates**

- This week we are saying goodbye to TA Lindsey Moore who has worked at Springfield for 12 years. Lindsey is moving on to support a young person and we wish her all the best.
- This term we have welcomed two new pupils to the primary site.

**Children who are unwell** and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people, where they can. They can go back to school and resume normal activities when they no longer have a high temperature and they are well enough. No longer having a high temperature means your child should not be requiring Calpol or an equivalent to reduce a high temperature

### Coffee and Cake Morning



We are having a coffee, tea and cake morning for parents and carers on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November from 9.00 – 11.00a.m. This is open to all parents / carers to meet others, catch up and have a chat.

We are then planning some regular coffee mornings and the opportunities for some short workshops covering specific subjects to support families.

We will also be reviving our PTA equivalent, the Friends of Springfield School and planning some school and fundraising events.

If you are not able to join us on 11<sup>th</sup> November then please do let Emma know if you have ideas for workshops and events for the school and families.





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## MacMillan Coffee Morning

Well done to our 2 Key Stage Four classes who planned, organised and ran the coffee morning to support the MacMillan charity on 30<sup>th</sup> September. Thank you to everyone who made / donated the cakes. It was good to be able to invite families of the pupils on the Wood Green site in for coffee and cake. Hopefully next year we can invite all families in! They raised an amazing £173.20 which is great.

## Speed Limit

Just a reminder for those of you who use the Bronze Barrow car park that there is a one way system and the speed limit is 5 mph at all times.



### **Primary Phone Number**

The main phone number at the primary site is still unavailable. If you need to call the primary site then please use this alternative number for the moment **01993 862976.** If anyone from school is calling you from the primary site then it will also be from this number.

# Dates for your

- Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2022 Break up for half term at usual finish time.
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2022 Training Day for staff both sites closed for all pupils.
- Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022 Start of second half of the Autumn Term.
- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022 Coffee Morning for all parents and carers 9.00a.m. to 11.00a.m. We will confirm which site this is on.
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022 We will be supporting Children In Need more details to follow.
- Week beginning 5<sup>th</sup> December Parent / Carer meetings after school except for Year 10 and 11s. More information to follow.

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