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Gisburn Road News

Welcome Back!

A huge welcome back to the new school year to you all! A very warm welcome to all our new parents in Nursery and Reception. I hope you enjoy your primary school journey with us. We have an open door policy in school, if there is anything worrying you please speak to your class teacher or me, so we can help you sooner rather than later.

It has been fabulous to see the children all looking so smart in their uniforms! The children are a real credit to you all and our school community. Thank you for all your support.

We have a busy term ahead, with key dates planned. You will be receiving the 'What's On' guide next week and we will make sure it goes on the website under 'What's On'. We will also give you regular reminders through our Facebook Page and the school text system. Next week you will receive your class Newsletter, giving an overview to what your child will be learning this year and more detail on the Autumn Term's learning. If you are unsure about anything please don't hesitate to ask a member of staff, ring the office or message us on Facebook.

Mr Bradshaw has got off to a flying start with his sports lessons this week! The children have really enjoyed their lessons. It is statutory requirement (for health and safety) that the children have some footwear for P.E lessons. Please check your child has a pair of black pumps or other suitable footwear.

LEARNING NEWS

STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception: Everyone!

Y1: Zoya Akhtar

Y2: Sophie Macphee

LEARNING WARRIORS

Y3: Katie Metcalfe

Y4: Gabrielle Thompson

Y5: Cole Jennings

Y6: Corey Parker



WELL DONE EVERYONE!

Names in Uniform

All of the children are looking very smart in their uniforms this week! Please could we ask that all school uniform and PE kit is labelled with children's names, as they can get muddled up during the school day.



Thank you.

Our **Governing Body** works tirelessly for school on a voluntary basis. We are looking to recruit new Governors with right skill set for our school. If you feel you can dedicate some time to this role, check the Governor section of the website for more information on the role of a Governor and the skills we are seeking. After careful consideration contact myself through the school office. At this point I will arrange an informal meeting with you and one or two Governors.

DIARY DATES

Wed 13th Sept - 6:30pm
FOGR AGM in Children's Centre

Mon 18th Sept
Clubs begin this week

Mon 25th Sept
School Photo Day
Family portraits 8:30-9am

Mon 2nd Oct - 6pm
FOGR Ladies' Shopping Night

Fri 6th Oct - 3:00pm
Y5 Parents' Assembly

Fri 20th Oct - 3:00pm
Y3 Parents' Assembly

Thurs 26th Oct - 6:30pm
FOGR School Disco

Fri 27th Oct
School closes for half term

School Meals

The School menu for Autumn term is available to view on the school website. We will be on 'week 1' on Monday. As usual, **all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to Free School Meals!** For Years 3-6 school meals cost £2.20 per day, £11.00 per week.



ParentPay

ParentPay is now up and running, and many of you have already been using the new online payment system successfully! You can currently pay for School Meals and Before & After School Club via ParentPay, and we will introduce more payment items to the system in the future. If you would like us to resend your account activation letter, please contact the office. Nursery parents will receive your activation letters shortly. Thank you.

