

9th September 2017

Findern Primary School Newsletter

Welcome Back!

Everyone has had an excellent first week back at school. We are all so impressed with the way that everyone has started the new term. Our new children in Ash class have settled incredibly well.

It is so nice to be back at Findern. Thank you to everyone who has welcomed me back so wholeheartedly!

School Hall

I am very pleased to inform you that Derbyshire County Council have awarded our school funding for a new school sports hall. The council have awarded approximately £450,000 for the project.

Reminders

P.E kits need to be in school every day.

We only have space for a book bag, P.E bag and lunch box, please do not send big bags into school.

Children can eat fruit or yoghurt only at playtime each morning.

Curriculum newsletters are on each class webpage of the school website.

Clubs

All clubs begin next week.

Monday: Multi sports

Tuesday: Choir, sewing, Football with Derby County

Wednesday: Archery

Newsletters

If you would like a paper copy of the school newsletter please contact Mrs Rana or Mrs Chambers in the school office.

Volunteers

We are currently looking for a volunteer for Forest School with Ash class all day Fridays and also for anyone who can listen to children read in the afternoons. Please contact the school office if you can help in any way, many thanks.

School Council

Children in year 2 –6 can now apply to be a School Councillor. Application forms have been sent home today.

Attendance

During celebration assembly each week, the class with the highest attendance each week is awarded with a trophy. The class with the most winning weeks then is awarded a class prize at the end of each half term.

At no time are we allowed to authorise term time holidays. Sadly due to lots of families taking term time holidays during the summer term, we will be following a strict fining procedure as set out by Derbyshire County Council to deter this absence in the future.

SATs

Y6 SATs: 14th May – 17th May 2018

Y2 SATs: throughout May 2018

Y1 phonics screening: 11th June – 15th June 2018

Spare Uniform

If you have any spare uniform that we can keep in school, please send it into the school office, many thanks.

Week 1 O.B.E

Ash – Ellie-Mae Potter

Elm – Jenson Gregory

Fir – Jessica Bratby

Hazel – Alana Bejar-Arrabal

Larch – Jack Parnell

Oak – Aimee Greatorrex

Willow – Olivia Jenkins

Diary Dates

13-15th Sept Y5 Whitehall Residential

20th Sept Ash Class Phonics Workshop 3:15pm and 5pm

22nd Sept World Car Free Day

2nd Oct KS2 Rosliston STEM Visit

12th Oct Y3 and Y4 Harvest Festival

13th Oct KS2 Inspire Day

17th and 18th Oct Parent/Carer Consultation Evenings

20th Oct Photograph Day

23rd – 27th Oct Half Term

For all term date please see Derbyshire County Council's website or our school website.

All diary dates are subject to change.