

# Denton C.P. School Newsletter

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29th March 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the end of Term 4.

#### Dates for next week:

**Thursday 29th:** Today is the last day of Term 4; school finishes at 3.20pm

And beyond...

Monday 16th April: Term 5 begins at 8.50am

Please contact the school office should you require any further information.

#### **Sponsor Bradley**

Mrs Ticehurst is running the Brighton 10K on Sunday 15th April; she will be raising money for Bradley in Year 2 who has recently been diagnosed with leukemia. If you would like to sponsor Mrs Ticehurst, please contact the school office; they will be collecting sponsorship money on her behalf.

#### Staffing

Ms Shamina Malik, Teaching Assistant, is leaving us at the end of this term. Ms Malik has been fantastic and we wish her all the very best for the future. Mrs Kim Abell will join the team as Teaching Assistant in Term 4.

### **School Counselling Service**

Next term Kate, our school counsellor, will hold parent drop in sessions from 9.00 - 10.00am every Friday. Parents can book a session with Kate by texting or phoning her work mobile 07525 128653. This 1:1 session provides a safe and confidential space for you to talk about any concerns or worries.

Kate will continue drop in sessions for children on Thursdays and Fridays. Please encourage your child to use the purple box in the school office if they would like to talk to Kate.

#### **Attendance Letters**

Information regarding your child's attendance for Term 4 will be coming home with your child today.

#### **School Trips**

I would like to say an enormous thank you to all those who have given up their time to support us and the children on school trips this term – whatever the weather! Your help is always hugely appreciated.

# Multi-Skills/Cricket Club

Lee Poulton runs Multi-Skills Club after school on Thursdays. After the Easter break this will run side-by-side with Cricket Club, which means the children attending can take part in either multi-skills or cricket. I know that Lee is looking to recruit cricketers for Denton Cricket Club, and also runs sessions for children at the club straight after Multi-Skills/Cricket Club. So any budding cricketers, get yourselves down there!

# Parking: Dropping-off and Picking-up

I have had several concerns recently from some of our neighbours about dropping-off and picking-up the children. Can you please ensure that cars do not obstruct our neighbours' driveways and that you do not block the road by stopping on the yellow markings. If you need to make arrangements to drop-off or pick-up as close to the school as possible, please contact the school office and we can make appropriate arrangements. Thank you for your support with this.

## Denton Table Tennis Club

There will be a table tennis club taking place during the Easter holidays at Denton Church Hall on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> April from 4.00-6.00pm. The sessions will focus on fun, games, learning strokes, footwork and more. Children aged 5 and upwards are welcome and each session costs £1. If you wish to book a place please contact Nic Cole on 01273 517341 or Rosemary Cutbush on 01273 611384.

## And finally...

We are on the hunt for Lego and puzzles! If you have any old Lego or puzzles that are in reasonable condition, we will happily take them off your hands. Please contact the school office if you can help. Thank you!

I hope you all enjoy a fantastic Easter break and I look forward to seeing you all again in Term 5.

Yours/sincerely,

Mr Guy Walsh Headteacher