Caton St Paul's C of E Primary School

# Newsletter – 25 January 2018

One family, belonging, believing and learning together.

Our PHSE theme for this term is health

## OUTDOOR EDUCATIONAL TRIPS

Letters have been sent home requesting payment of outstanding deposits for our Outdoor Educational Trips. For us to be able to finalise numbers attending with the venues please can these be paid before half term. Should you have any queries please contact the school office.

## PARENT FOCUS GROUPS

Parent focus groups will be running this half term. Our first meeting will be on Monday 5th February. Please check book bags for invites.

## WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE LUNCH?

Children are invited to choose their lunch on 6 February. Send your ideas to Mrs Broster in the kitchen. The top two ideas will go on the menu on our Shrove Tuesday menu. Yummy pancakes for pudding.

## SCHOOL COUNCIL

In school council last week we….

- discussed VIP and chose the winner.
- thought about our mission statement.
- also talked about what a good Chairman would be.
- thought about what the other children would like to make our school a better place.

By Isabel and Eva

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

In the event of inclement bad weather, (snow, extreme frost or flooding) please check the school website for information regarding school. This will be updated at the earliest opportunity.

## LOST PROPERTY

Thomas has lost blue Everton hat on Friday after football. Please can all children check their bags. Thank you.

## MAD ABOUT SWIMMING

**FEBRUARY HALF TERM INTENSIVE SWIMMING**

Monday 12 – Thursday 15 February 1 x 25 minute sessions each day between 10.45am – 12.45pm. £23 per child per week. All levels and abilities catered for from 3 years of age and above. Nationally recognised teaching plans to National Awards Standards. Small classes with qualified and experienced teachers. For further information or booking forms please contact:- Lorna Carter on 07976 553878 or 01524 727622

email: lorna@madaboutswimming.co.uk

## RUNNING CLUB

**YEAR 1 – 6 (NO PAYMENT NEEDED)**

Mrs Pollitt will the leading a Running Club on Tuesday lunchtimes. Please bring a pair of trainers and suitable clothes if you would like to take part. Run first and then lunch together.

## CONTACT DETAILS

Have you changed your mobile number? Please don't forget to let the office know of any changes to contact details.

Please also let the office have an up to date contact email address if you have not already provided one. We hope to reduce our paper and printing costs by sending some correspondence via email.

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Our Christian value focus is courage

## UNIFORM

We are very proud of how smart our children look and would like to remind everyone what we expect to see:-

- Plain black, grey, white socks (no stripes or patterns)
- Black shoes (no trainers)
- NO EARRINGS permitted (please contact Miss Sanderson if you wish to talk about piercings done over the holidays)
- Bows or hair accessories should be small in size and in school colours.
- Keep haircuts to simple, smart, plain designs.
- PE Kit – royal blue shorts, white T-shirt, pumps (infants)/trainers (juniors), sweatshirt/jumper/ tracksuit bottoms can be brought to wear on top of the normal kit.
- Please ensure all clothing is named. We are unable to return lost property if not. We will put the lost property box out on Friday morning and afternoons.

## TAG RUGBY CLUB

Tag Rugby club is due to commence Thursday 1st February, 3.15-4.15pm. This is open for children in Years 3-6 and will run for 5 weeks this term. Please return permission slips to the office . Any parent helpers with experience are very welcome to come and help.

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

Please can we encourage all children to have the things they need in school with them every day. The number of children who are requesting calls to parents to bring in missing items is increasing and often it delays their participation in the activity/lesson. We also appreciate how inconvenient it is for parents to make a second trip to school to drop off forgotten items.

In particular please remember PE kits, Forest School gear, spelling/reading/homework books, packed lunches and any equipment needed for any after school activities.

Thank you for your cooperation.

## CAPERNWRAY HALL FUN DAY

**SATURDAY 10 FEBRUARY 1.30PM – 4.30PM**

For families with primary school children. Zip wires, bouncy castles, climbing wall and carnival games, followed by a time of worship.

## MID MORNING SNACK

Please can children having mid morning snack bring in the correct change. We do not always have change and it would speed up the process in the morning for the monitors. Thank you.