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Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a fabulous last few weeks in school with children now settling in their classes and enjoying their learning. It has been wonderful to see our Reception children adjusting to routines, learning about their environment and finding out about each other.

Harvest Service

On Wednesday 12th October 2022, our Harvest Worship service will be led by Rev. Trevor Raaf. Also, we have invited Yvonne Campbell from the Hucknall Food Bank into school. She will talk to children about how the donations will have an impact on our community. Some of our Year Five and Six, along with a member of the Linby staff team, will deliver the food to the food bank. We feel this will give them a good insight into where the food goes to once it leaves school.

Donations of grocery items for the local Food Bank in Hucknall and would help in their work supporting local families in need. Below is a list of non-perishable items they require:

Tinned meat, tinned fruit, tinned vegetables, tinned soup, cereals, rice, packet meals, packet sauces, pasta, noodles, Frey Bentos meat pies, tea, coffee, squash, tomato ketchup

Please bring these in on the morning of Wednesday 12th October. Your children will bring them into the hall.

Meet the Team and Open Classroom

We are continually updating our school website (<https://www.linby.notts.sch.uk>) with new content that will provide you with further information and updates on school life. Under the Curriculum tab, each class now has their very own class page. This page will be regularly updated with information and photographs. Each class has created their own Meet the Team video, which gives details of routines and expectations for the class.

On Wednesday 12th October, parents are warmly invited into their child's classroom from 3:30pm – 4:00pm. This will give you the opportunity to look around your child's learning environment, look through some of their work and have an informal chat with their class teacher(s) and support staff. We look forward to meeting you and working with you this year.

Curriculum Class Assemblies

To share and celebrate what children have been learning in the classroom, each term parents and carers are invited into school to attend their child's class assembly. Please see the diary dates for your child's class assembly time. Please note Ash class will have their first class assembly in the Spring Term.



FLAPPS updates

Great fun was had by all the children who attended last week's disco. The children showed off their fabulous dancing skills and enjoyed pizza and hot dogs. Altogether, the disco raised £150! Well done everyone.

Thank you to all the parents, carers and grandparents who were able to join FLAPPS for the coffee morning in support of MacMillan.

There will be a Wear What You Like Day on Friday 4th November. Please support FLAPPS by donating £1. The fundraising from this will go towards our plans for Christmas celebrations.

Finally the FLAPPS AGM will be held on Wednesday 2nd November, at 7.45pm in the Horse and Groom, Linby (venue tbc).

Dates for your diary:

Friday 30th September 2022: Oak Class visit to the National Space Centre

Wednesday 12th October: Harvest Worship Service

Thursday 13th October: Elm Class Assembly 9:00 – 9:20am

Friday 14th October: INSET Day

Monday 17th – Friday 28th October: Half Term break

Monday 31st October: School re-opens

Friday 4th November: Wear what you like Day

Tuesday 15th November: Oak Class Assembly 9:00-9:20am

Friday 18th November: Children in Need – We will let you know about a dressing up theme.

Wednesday 23rd November: Fir Class Assembly 9:00-9:20am

Thursday 24th November: Flu immunisations

Friday 9th December: Christmas Market – details to follow

Wednesday 14th December: Christmas Dinner

Monday 19th December: Whole school pantomime visit to Mansfield Palace Theatre – details to follow

Wednesday 21st December: Break up for Christmas

Warm regards

Rachel Hodge and Natasha Murray