Toll Bar Primary School

Newsletter—November 2012



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- Dinner Money is now £2.00 a day, £10.00 for a full week. and must always be paid on a Monday _morning.
- School Meal or Packed Lunch Please can children have school •meals all week or packed lunches all "week, not swapping from one to the other daily as this confuses the children and the cook needs to have "some continuity.
- Milk is available for all F1, F2, Y1 and Y2 children. It is free for children under 5, but for the over 5's it is £11.40 and needs to be paid by Friday 14th September. This is for all the Autumn Term until the Christmas holidays.
- Savings Club We have a savings club for anyone wanting to spread the cost of the trips, residential trips etc. Please ask the Office Staff for a savings card.

and Dark Shorts) on the following days:

F2 Butterflies - Monday & Wednesday Sycamore— Monday & Thursday

Chestnut—Wednesdays and Fridays

Christmas Fayre

Thursday 6th December at 1.15pm

Donations of raffle/tombola prizes, cake and buns for the cake stall would be gratefully appreciated

Please come and support us, we are hoping to purchase some outdoor activity equipment which will benefit all children.

Home / School Contact

Please let us know if you change your mobile phone number. We need to be able to contact parents and carers at all times. Obviously for emergency calls but also for minor queries and texts.

November

23rd—Chestnut visiting The Point (Art project)

26th—Y6 visiting Don Valley (Drama Workshop)

27th—Bags 2 School collection at 9.00 am

27th—Artist from The Point visiting Chestnut

28th—Artist from The Point visiting Cedar

December

3rd—Artist from The Point visiting Chestnut

6th—Christmas Fayre

7th—2.30 pm Carols and Light Up the Toll Bar Christmas Tree

11th & 12th—10am KS1 & Foundation Christmas Concert

11th—2pm KS2 Concert

12th—6pm KS2 Concert

14th—10am-11am—Carol singing in the Frenchgate

17th—KS1 & Foundation Party

18th—Pantomime at Sheffield Lyceum

19th—Carol Service at St Philip & St James

19th—Christmas Dinner

20th—KS2 Party (Finishes at 4pm)

21st—School closes at 3.00 pm for the holidays

January 2013

7th January—School reopens

10th January —Y2 Racing for success (6 week programme)

15th—e-Safety session for parents at 2.30 pm 23rd January—Young Voices at Motorpoint Arena,

28th January—1st Feb South American Arts Week

February 2013

8th February—Forestry experience for some Y3 pupils (6 week programme)

11th & 12th February—Bikeability training for Y5/6

March 2013

1st March—Cricket for KS1 & KS2 in school 6th—8th March—Castleton Residential for Willow and Cedar Classes

8th March—Cricket for KS1 & KS2 in school 19th March—Energy sessions for KS1 & KS2

School Holidays

Oak - Monday & Friday

Cedar- Tuesday & Friday

PE Kit

	School Opens	School Closes at 3pm on
Autumn Term 2012		Friday 21 December
Spring Term 2013	Monday 7 January	Friday 15 February
	Monday 25 February	Thursday 28 March
Summer Term 2013	Monday 15 April	Friday 3 May
	Tuesday 7 May	Friday 24 May
	Tuesday 4 June	Thursday 18 July

Please remind children to bring their PE kits (Trainers, White T-Shirt

Willow—Wednesday (Swimming on Thursday mornings)

These dates include all the training days for 2012/13

Summer Term 2013

3rd May Y3/4 Cricket festival at Bentley Cricket Club 13th May—17th May Y6 KS2 Sats Week (Please do not book any holidays for this week for Year 6 pupils) 21st May—Class group photos 5th June—Bags 2 School collection

11th June—KS1 Cricket festival at Askern Cricket Club

14th June—KS2 Cricket festival at Bentley Cricket

15th—17th June—Austerfield Camping Weekend 24th/25th June—Y6 visiting Don Valley

8th –11th July—Boggle Hole Residential, Chestnut

Mething For Everyone Free sessions at Toll Bar Primary School

Monday	1 O'Clock Club Have a coffee and a chat and find out about the village and meet new people.	1pm till 3pm
Tuesday	Christmas Crafts Enjoy making crafts with your child Starting 6th November	1 pm - 3 pm
Wednesday	Coffee Morning Come and join us making things for CHRISTMAS	9—10.30 am
Wednesday	WEA-I.C.T. Adult Class	1pm till 3pm
Thursday	Family SEAL (starting soon)	9—11 am
Thursday	Surestart Parent and Toddlers Play sessions	1.30pm till 3pm
Friday	Volunteer Gardeners Any help would be appreciated—leave your name with the office if you are interested	1pm till 3pm

Autumn Term 2012—After School Clubs

Monday KS2 Multi Sports Mr Cross

KS2 Computer Tuesday Mr Cross KS2 Baking

Mrs Clarke & Miss

Hickman

Filmclub Mrs Crosby Mrs Clarke & Mrs **Knitting**

Davies

KS2 Football Mr Gee

Thursday KS1 Art & Craft Mrs Shakespeare &

Mrs Bleything



Wednesday

PSA

Recent Events We raised a total of £21.70

from the sale of the Harvest Festival proceeds, this has been donated to St Johns Hospice.

Children In Need Day

The children had a fabulous day in their pyjamas, we raised a grant total of

£193.17

Family Seal

Bringing up children can at times be difficult, demanding and challenging but very rewarding. We will be starting Family Seal soon.

By attending it will help you to:

- Strengthen your parenting skills
- Improve children's behaviour
- Share ideas with other parents
- Understand your child
- Improve your child's academic, social and emotional well being
- Please see Mrs Wood, PSA for further details.

Ideas and Suggestions?

What would you like to see happening in school in the future? E.g. courses, events etc for adults and /or families. Any suggestions or ideas please see Lynn Wood, our PSA or leave her a message in the ideas box in the Community Room.

It is important to us that we can offer you things you would enjoy doing in our school, or direct you to other local facilities.

Our PTA 'Friends of Toll Bar School' welcomes everyone willing to help organise fundraising events in school. If you could help please see Lynn.

Adult Computer Lessons

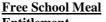


- **Every Wednesday** afternoon during term time
- 1.00 pm 3.00 pm.
- Friendly helpful tutor
- No computer experience necessary
- Everyone welcome
- Beginners and improvers welcome
- Free of charge

If you think your child is entitled to free school meals, please ask the office staff for a form and further details.

For families claiming income support, income based jobseekers allowance or income related

without working tax credit.



Entitlement

employment and support allowance and child tax credit

Family Breakfast Club

- Please come and join us
- Open every school day
- 8.00 to 8.30 am
- Choice of cereals
- Parents/Carers welcome
- Sports activities on Tuesday and Thursday mornings with Andy Carr
- Hot breakfasts Available
- Only 40p

