

# **WOOKEY WEEKLY NEWS**

## Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018



Hot lunches w/b 5th November - Week 1 of new menu

#### **INSET tomorrow**

Please remember that the school is closed tomorrow to pupils for staff training. We look forward to seeing everyone again at 8:55am on Monday November 5th after a much needed week off for half term.

## **Clubs After Half Term and Parents' Evenings**

As previously stated, the new after school clubs will be starting straight after half term. There will however be no after school clubs during the week of 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> November as our first Parents' Evenings of the academic year will be taking place during this week. As usual we will be operating an online booking system for our Parents' Evenings, which can be accessed from the tab on our school website. If you need any help booking a parent teacher meeting please pop into your child's class and speak to their teacher, who will be happy to help you.

Please note that due to her ongoing absence we will be postponing Miss Furner's Parents' Evening meetings until she returns to work. As soon as she returns we will let you know a date for these meetings.

#### **Cross Country**

Cross Country Club in the first week back after half term (Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Nov) is a Race at Collet Park. Hopefully we will be back at school by 5:15pm. Any parents able to drive to the race, please let Mrs Davies know via Seesaw.

#### Football v St Benedict's School

We finally took part in our first football league fixture of the season this week at Strode Leisure Centre. The team got off to a sticky start, quickly falling behind 2-0. Despite improved play, particularly in defence, the score remained this way at half time.

After a rousing team talk, Wookey began the second half with renewed purpose and confidence, and were soon back in the game with a great goal from Rohan. With 10 minutes to go St Ben's scored again though and a defeat was looking likely. However, Wookey never gave up, and following a second goal, scored by Gabe, consistent pressure on the St Ben's defence resulted in a last second equaliser from Shea! Wookey definitely finished the happier of the two teams and we are looking forward to our next fixture.

We were so proud of their 'never give up' attitude and we must say a huge well done to all the players who represented Wookey this week. We must also say a big thank you to Mr Donnelly for his expert coaching of the team.









#### **Sickness Procedures**

Please note that at Wookey Primary School we operate the '48 hours rule' for sickness and diarrhoea. Pupils with these symptoms must stay off school until they have been free of symptoms for 48 hours. Thank you for your support in this.



### **Diary Dates for After Half Term**

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov – Cross Country Event at Collet Park

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Nov – Final Swimming Session for Year 1 children

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov – Parents' Evening 1 Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> Nov – Parents' Evening 2 Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov – Individual and Sibling Photos

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Nov – Children in Need Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Nov – Chestnut Swimming Session 1

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov – Flu Vaccination for Year R to 5 – all letters to the office please Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec – Little Acorns Nativity @ 9:15am

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec – Rowan and Oak Nativity Performance 1 @ 9:15am Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec – Rowan and Oak Nativity Performance 2 @ 2:15pm Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Dec - WSA Christmas Fayre @ 6pm

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas Service at Wookey Church @ 9am
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec - 'The Great Wookey
Christmas Bake Off'
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec – Last Day of Term

## **Children in Need 2018**

With Children in Need falling on the same day as Wells Carnival this year we thought it would make a nice change to invite the children to come to school dressed up with a carnival theme, rather than the usual spotted theme. Obviously there is no expectation that children must come to school in a carnival costume, we just thought it would be nice to tie the two events together. We will split the money raised on the day between Children in Need and Wells Carnival charities.







