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Dear Parents

### **Netball**

Well done to the Y5/6 Netball team who were a credit to our school, when they played at the Academy last week. They played brilliantly and came joint first with another local school. Thank you to Mrs Lancaster and Mrs O' Mara who attended with the team. Well done to all concerned!

### **Cross Country**

The cross country runners took part in a competition last week also and represented the school well. We are awaiting their league results to see where they are in the tables. Well done to everyone who took part and a thank you to Mr Bratt and Miss McCabe who accompanied the children.

### **PTA Movie night**

Thank you for the support from our PTA who ran our Movie night last week. Thank you as well to the staff that assisted the PTA during the evening. The children had a wonderful time and all enjoyed watching the Grinch!

### **Social Media**

We have had a number of incidents of children misusing "What's App" and "Tic Toc" whilst at home, which have then unfortunately affected friendships and relationships of the children in school. Please may we remind all parents and carers to check their children's phones or devices regularly to monitor what is being sent to other children. These apps do also have an age restriction of 13 or above. For more help and advice go to <https://parentzone.org.uk/digitalparenting>

### **Mrs Lawton**

Mrs Lawton returned to school just after the half term. She has notified us that she will finish working at High Street at Christmas to spend more time with her young family. We wish her all the best and thank her for all the hard work she has put in during her time here. Mrs Barnes will continue to share the teaching of Y5 Wandle with Miss Guppy until the end of the school year.

### **Basketball**

Congratulations to our Y5 and Year 6 Basketball teams who participated in the Vale Royal Partnership Competition on Monday this week. Both teams played well but were unfortunately did not win the overall competition. Well done to everyone who took part and a thank you to Mr Bratt and Miss Phillips who accompanied the children.

### **Year 4 Visit to York**

A huge congratulation to the children in Year 4 who ventured to York last week on the first residential visit of the school year. It was a pleasure to spend quality time with them and to see them enjoy the sights of York, learning all about invaders and raiders in the process; many thanks to parents for supporting the visit and to the team of staff who gave their time to accompany them.

### **Kitchen Assistant Vacancy**

Please note that we currently have a vacancy for a Kitchen Assistant to join Mrs T Piggott and her team. The position is for 10 hours per week and will involve the preparation and serving of food and clearing up following school dinners. The successful applicant will be employed by Edsential who provide the catering for the school. Interested parties should contact Mrs Piggott via the school office.

### Diary Dates (\*\* Change of date/New Date)

4/12/19	<b>*** Open Evening for prospective parents in Reception and Nursery 2020</b>
9/12/19	Nursery Nativity @ 2pm
10/12/19	EYFS Nativity @ 10am
10/12/19	Y1 Performance @ 6pm
11/12/19	EYFS Nativity 1 @ 2pm
12/12/19	Y1 Nativity @ 9.45am
12/12/19	<b>***Y1 Hope Journey @ St Andrew's afternoon trip</b>
12/12/19	Y5/6 New Vic Theatre trip all day
12/12/19	EYFS trip to Tatton Park
13/12/19	Y2/3 Nativity at the United Reformed Church- 2 shows 1 morning & 1 afternoon
16/12/19	N/KS1 Travelling Panto am
16/12/19	Christmas Lunch Day
16/12/19	Y5/6 Carol Concert @ St Andrews @ 6pm
18/12/19	Y3/4 Grange Theatre am
18/12/19	Y1/2 Christmas Party am
18/12/19	N/EYFS Christmas party pm
19/12/19	Y5/6 Christmas Party am
19/12/19	Y3/4 Christmas party pm
20/12/19	Close for Christmas holidays

### **Dates for the New Year 2020**

6.1.20	Inset day for staff- school closed
7.1.20	All children return to school
8.1.20-9.1.20	Year 1 Residential
14.2.19	End of Half term- school closes at 3.15pm
24.2.19	Inset Day- School closed for children
25.2.19	School opens for children

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