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Dear Parents and Families,

It has been good to welcome everyone back to school this week after half term.

# **Celebration Assembly**

The following children received awards in assembly today.

**Showing Kindness: Ethan, Jaxon, Molly, Charlotte** 

Taking on New Challenges: Ozzy, Lucy, Albert, Seb HG

Achieving Your Goals: William, Ellie, Jacob W, Faolan

Well done to everyone. Celebration assemblies will run this term on:

Friday 14th November, Friday 21st November, Friday 3rd December, Friday 5th December

## **Halloween Disco**

Thank you to the PTA for organising a fantastic Halloween Disco. This was greatly enjoyed by all the children who attended and has raised and amazing £768.92!

## Football

Due to the conditions of the field we will be stopping football for the time being. There is a lot of rain forecast in the next couple of weeks and everyone is just getting too muddy. We are currently working very hard behind the scenes on bringing in exciting playground activities through our new OPAL play scheme, and children should be seeing the effects of this soon.

# **Open Day**

We have open days scheduled on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November and Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Please share these dates with anyone you know who has pre school children looking for a school place in September 2026.

# **Anti-bullying week**

Next week is anti-bullying week. Children are invited to wear odd socks to school on Monday as we celebrate our differences and promote inclusion.

# **Children in Need**

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November will be a non-uniform day. Children can wear something spotty with their own clothes and bring a donation for Children in Need.

Have a great weekened

Miss Templeton and Staff

# **Diary Dates (these will be added to over time)**

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Odd Socks for Anti Bullying Week
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Open day for prospective families
Friday 21st November	Non-uniform day for Children in Need
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	SEND Coffee Afternoon – focus – ASD
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Non-uniform day for contributions to
	Christmas hampers
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	INSET Day – School Closed
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Open day for prospective families
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole School Christmas Concert (there
	will be morning and afternoon
	performances)
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Music Assembly
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole School Trip to the Snowdome
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	End of Autumn Term

We regularly get sent links to organisations that offer help to parents, children and families going through difficult times. We thought it would be helpful to add these at the bottom of the newsletter each week, in case there is anything you would like to find out more about. As always, please do make an appointment at the office if there is any way we can help. We will keep this list updated with services that get in contact with the school.

**Foodbank** – We are now able to issue foodbank vouchers to people who need them. If you would like one please come and speak, in confidence to Miss Templeton or Mrs Bishop.

**CAMHS** (Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services) - Providing a range of wellbeing and mental health support to children, young people and their families across Herefordshire and Worcestershire <a href="https://camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/">https://camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/</a>

**Lumi Nova** - An engaging child-led, parent/guardian supported therapeutic intervention that can be used on most smartphones or tablets. It facilitates graded exposures (the active ingredient of Cognitive Behavioural Therapy) with psychoeducation to empower 7–12-year-olds with mild to moderate needs to learn to self-manage fears, worries and anxiety. https://luminova.app/handw

**Melo** – Melo takes an innovative and flexible approach to improving the emotional wellbeing and mental health of children and young people age d 0-25 years. It will provide a wide range of services designed to meet individual mental health needs.

Melo :: Onside, Worcestershire & Herefordshire <a href="https://www.onside-advocacy.org.uk/melo">https://www.onside-advocacy.org.uk/melo</a>

**WEST** (wellbeing and Emotional support teams in schools) An in schools service is designed to help children and young people ages 5-18 years access mental health and wellbeing support early on in educational settings. It's all about ensuring children and young people can get access to the right help as early as possible. <a href="https://camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/west/">https://camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/west/</a>

#### Family Lives



Phone: 0808 800 2222

**Hours:** 9am – 9pm Monday to Friday.

10am - 3pm on weekends.



YoungMinds Parent Helpline

**Phone:** 0808 802 5544

Action for Children

Phone: 0300 123 2112 Hours: Vary (see website)