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Newsletter

6th November 2015

Dear Parents / Carers,

What a great first week back!

The children have settled in well, and

House Points

House Points are awarded for positive displays of social and emotional behaviour.

This week's winners are Red Eagles with 58! (**Minion Madness** 50 **Dino Sam** 51) Well done to all the teams for their efforts in this week.

(Cumulative points: **Red Eagles**: 347 **Dino Sam**: 338, **Minion Madness**: 318)

Attendance

Our overall school attendance this week has been 95.9%!

Well done Class 1 for having 97.8% attendance this week! Amazing!

Please remember that the bell goes at 8.55am in the mornings and your child(ren) should be in school before this time.

Pick-it-up Tidy-up Award

This week Class 1 has won! Well done for looking after your classroom this week!

Merit Certificates

Class 1	Oliver Br for showing excellence in our 'Seasons' topic, Harry B for being determined to create fantastic homework
Class 2	Molly for excellent effort in Cross-Country, Jake for ' Xcellence ' when offering suggestions in Science Week, Ellie for a determined approach to Cross-Country, Joe for an outstanding effort in Cross-Country.

Behaviour

This week behaviour has been excellent! It has been great all half term! Let's do the same next half term!

Dinner Money

Please can I remind parents that all Dinner monies should be paid in advance on a Monday morning. A full week costs £10.50 (each day is £2.10).

Book Raffle

The Usborne Book, "See inside the Universe" was won by Emma Beattie! Well done

PTA Halloween Disco

What a great evening last night! Everyone really enjoyed themselves. Thank you to the PTA for organizing this event. The next meeting of the PTA will be on Thursday 12th November. It's not too late to join!!

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Thank You

We also need to say a huge thank you to Poskitts who donated 40 pumpkins which the children have carved in preparation for Halloween.

Bug-Busters!

With the colder weather arriving, the risk from headlice is increased due to them enjoying the comforts of central heating. As children are indoors more, the opportunity of them spreading from child to child is heightened. With this in mind, we have invested in some "Bug-Busting"combs. If any parent would like to collect one, please ask at the office. We can also access kits to assist in headlice removal if anyone requires them!

MENU CHANGES

There is one small change to next week's menu, as its Herbie's 30th Birthday Celebration

Monday - Party Pizza, Chips, Sweetcorn, Cucumber Sticks, Garlic Bread, Pudding: Ice cream and Fruit.

Key Dates

Yours sincerely,

Claire-Marie Habbishaw
(Head Teacher)

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