

Weekly Note – Monday 7th September 2020



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Date	Event	Year Group	Time (if relevant)
Great to say that we have all made it through the first 2 weeks of school and the 'new normal!'. The children are very well settled and have fitted into the routine of school extremely well. Please note that this week brings the longer school day so please read the pupil arrangements below carefully.			
Monday 7 th September	After-school club available: please book		
Tuesday 8 th September			
Wednesday 9 th September	Socially Distant Harp Lessons recommence 2- 3pm	Harpers	
Thursday 10 th September			
Friday 11 th September	PE DAY*all children to come dressed in their sport's clothes. Remember:simple leggings/shorts and t-shirt only.	ALL CHILDREN	

Pupil Arrangements WB Monday 7th September

Year1: Monday-Friday 9am-12noon (collected at infant gate)

Year2: Monday-Thursday 9am-2pm (collected at infant gate) Friday 9am-1:45pm

Year 3: Monday-Wednesday 9am-2:45pm Thursday & Friday 9am-1:45pm (Collected at main gate)

Year 4: Monday-Thursday 9am – 2:45pm (Collected at main gate) Friday 9am-1:45pm

Year 5: Monday-Thursday 8:45am – 3pm (Collected at main gate) Friday 8:45am-2pm

Year 6: Monday-Thursday 8:45am – 3pm (Collected at main gate) Friday 8:45am-2pm

Year 7: Monday-Thursday 8:45am – 3pm (Collected at main gate) Friday 8:45am-2pm

Please remember no parent is permitted onto the school grounds without an appointment. Please email Rachel at rhamilton130@c2kni.net

SeeSaw

Please ensure you download both the family and class Seesaw apps. Every Thursday there will be a little digital homework set. Any issues with IT devices please speak to Mr Burns.



COUCH TO 5K



Mr Burns wants to take advantage of the bright evenings and offer a 6 week, socially distanced Couch to 5k! Lots of you will have been walking, jogging and cycling throughout the lockdown....now is the time to put that training to good use....We will meet at the car park in Christie Park on Thursday 10th September @ 6.30pm. This event is open to the whole community, so if you know of someone who would like to exercise in a safe environment tell them to come along. A fee of £10 will apply for the 6 weeks and will go towards school funds. Look out for the information letter next week!



Free School meals

It is vitally important that all parents who are entitled to apply for FSM do so, even if your child normally takes a packed lunch. It is helpful for our school budget so please ensure that you avail of this:

eani.org.uk/financial-help Please speak to Rachel if you need assistance.

Spanish Lessons Y4 – Y7

Spanish lessons will commence on Wednesday 23rd September. The topics being taught to begin with will be 'all about me, colours, counting, family, snacks & food and hobbies'. To contribute towards the cost of this fantastic learning opportunity for your child, we will be asking for a monthly contribution of £2 per pupil. First contribution w/c Monday 21st September.

Zomba Action Project

Here in St. John's we will collect any old, outgrown or unwanted uniforms and send them to Malawi, where they will be greatly appreciated by Zomba school children. Please place any unwanted uniforms in the boxes in the assembly hall.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

We are proud of how smart our pupils look. Please ensure your child is dressed in full school summer uniform. Pupils **MUST** wear black school shoes.

PE: We wish to commence a 'PE Day' on Friday 11th September. This would mean that all children would come to school dressed in their sports' clothes. We are asking for children to wear simple leggings/shorts/white polo shirt and a warm top on this day. We will trial this for September to see how it works.

P.T.A.

Everyone is already bursting with fun ideas to help raise funds for our school community! Please come along to our first meeting for a cuppa, a chat and to share fundraising ideas!

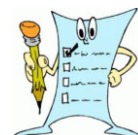
First meeting Tuesday 15th September at 6pm.

We need your support! We will be electing the PTA committee, to lead our group.

DATA CAPTURE FORMS TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL

It is essential that we have updated medical information about your child. Also check that the details we hold in relation to contacts, including phone numbers and addresses, are correct.

Please complete/check and sign the form. Return to school ASAP.



After Schools Club

1:45pm-5pm daily

Please book and pre-pay for this service on a weekly basis. Paying in arrears is not an option.

£2 per hour in a clearly labelled envelope

**** From Tuesday 1st September, hot meals will be available in the canteen. Please place £2.60 into a labelled envelope.**

**** PAID BREAK will be available from Monday 7th September....all items 30p.**



Breakfast Club

8-8.50am is available from Tuesday 1st September

£1.05 in a labelled envelope to be paid to Ray daily

No booking required

Healthy Eating & Nut-free zone

Please help us to promote our healthy eating school and nut-free zone.

Any items containing nuts will be sent home unopened.



RECYCLING UNWANTED ITEMS

Help to raise money for school funds and have an end of summer clear out at the same time.



Collection will be Monday 21st September

We accept all clean clothes, house hold textiles i.e. paired curtains, paired shoes, handbags and belts