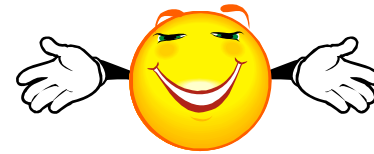


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TENACRES FIRST SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER  
SEPTEMBER 2009



Welcome to the new term and thank you for your support in making it such a lovely start to the year. The children look so smart and are arriving on time and ready to learn - long may it continue!

One of our major targets this year is to further encourage your involvement in your child's education so here goes with a few suggestions which we hope will interest you:-

Year group curriculum information meetings for parents

The two teachers from each year will be hosting an informal meeting for parents each term to explain:-

1. the topics that term
2. any special events, etc.
3. how you can help at home
4. answer any questions you may have



The meetings will be held at 2.30pm (see dates for your diary) and will finish in time to collect children at the normal time.

Macmillan coffee morning : Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September

Please let Miss Shillaker know if you are willing to help organise this event for us this year. We sell cakes and hot & cold drinks from 9 - 11am in the school hall. All proceeds are for Macmillan Cancer Support.

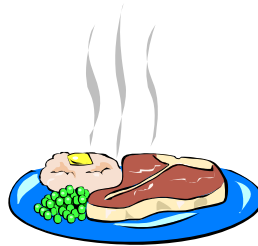


Open Morning : Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September

To encourage a high turn out we are hosting our Open Morning on the same day! So do try to join us for a tour round the school and of course refreshments! Pupils are employed to host guided tours so you will have a frank and honest insight into the school day.

Reception parents hot dinners

Parents of our new Reception children are invited to have a hot meal with their child any day during the week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> September. The promotional cost is £1.70 and dinners are served in the school hall at 12.00. Class Catering will be sending details home.



Adult Learning

We are keen to develop Adult Learning here at Tenacres and are pleased to offer the following course:

**Paediatric First Aid Course**  
*Thursdays 17<sup>th</sup> September - 22<sup>nd</sup> October*  
*12.45 - 2.45*  
*Free course & crèche*  
*Provider : First Response*

Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis so please return the reply slip as soon as possible to reserve your place.

We will notify you of further training opportunities as and when they are confirmed.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_  
I am interested in attending the paediatric first aid course.  
I do/do not require \_\_\_\_\_ places at the crèche.  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



We are in the process of completing a calendar of dates for the school year 2009-10, but in the meantime here are some dates for your diary:

September

- Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> 12.45 Paediatric first aid course (Thursdays for 6 wks)
- Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Standard photo R classes
- 2.30 Curriculum meeting for R parents
- Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> 2.30 Curriculum meeting for Yr 1 parents
- Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> 2.30 Yr 4 swimming (on Wednesdays for 10 weeks) \*
- 2.30 Curriculum meeting for Yr 2 parents
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Yr 4 trip to Severn Valley \*
- 2.30 Curriculum meeting for Yr 3 parents
- Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Open morning
- Macmillan coffee morning
- 2.30 Curriculum meeting for Yr 4 parents
- Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Yr 2 trip to Bishops Wood \*

October

- w/c 5<sup>th</sup> National children's book week
- Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Choir performing at St. Stephens Church \*
- Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Individual photos
- Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.30 Yr 2 Harvest assembly
- Parents evening
- Break up for half term (Fri 23<sup>rd</sup>: closed: training)

Return to school : Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

\* more details to follow

With very best wishes for the coming school year

