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Friday 25th November

Dear Parents and Carers,

A busy half term draws to an end. We are all feeling very proud of the children for their fantastic attitudes towards their learning, their kindness towards each other and their brilliant behaviour. Thank you to all the staff across the school for their hard work and to all the families for their support in making the half term so successful for the children.

A few of the half term's highlights follow: Our Harvest Singing Assemblies were lovely and it was marvellous seeing children in different year groups working so well together; Reception have settled very well into school and this week completed their Bikeability balance bike training; Year 6 spent three fun filled days and two nights at the Conway Outdoor Centre in Anglesey; Year 4 visited Chester and learnt about the city's Roman heritage; Year 1 went on a local walk learning about our houses and homes; Nursery have enjoyed weekly visits from Northwich library for storytelling and singing; Year 5 visited Northwich Mosque and had great fun preparing South American food in Design and Technology; Year 3 dressed up like Ancient Egyptians for their theme day; and Year 2 have been busy growing all sorts of different plants in their classroom.

Stars of the Half Term Very well done to all our Stars of the Half Term. What a fantastic achievement! Congratulations to: Miles, Dexter, Noah, Corinna, Aria, Jasmine, Gaia, Eli, Cody, Harry, Zach, Ellie, Harry and Archie.

Sports Event Update Year 6 Football Tournament: *On Tuesday we won a football tournament held at Hartford High School. There were eight other teams and we won seven of our games making us the champions! Ollie, Axel and George scored most of our goals and Salma scored a screamer from the halfway-line! We all showed great teamwork and communication in our matches and really enjoyed ourselves. Thank you to Mrs Ford and Mrs Oldreive for taking us to the competition. Axel, Ollie, Salma and Cerys*

Attendance and Punctuality Congratulations to all the children who achieved the Gold and Silver Attendance Awards today. You should feel very proud of yourself. We know that sometimes absences can't be helped if you're poorly, but don't worry, there is always next half term. Thank you to everyone for making such an effort to organise morning routines and travel to accommodate the earlier start to the school day of 8.45am introduced this September.

Staff Car Park Please do not use the staff car park in the mornings. There are two car parks on Moss Farm.

PTA Tasty Treats Tonight A reminder that the PTA are selling tasty treats on the playground tonight!

Mid Cheshire Foodbank Thank you very much for all the donations sent into school for Mid-Cheshire Foodbank. Your generosity will make a big difference to many families across Northwich. If you would like to access their food hubs, we can refer you, so please contact the school office for a confidential chat.

Staffing Update Welcome to Mrs Spencer who will be joining school as a midday assistant and Mrs Owen who will be joining school as a teaching assistant. Mrs Spencer and Mrs Owen both have experience in their roles and we know they will be great assets to the team. There is further recruitment in school and all job adverts can be found on [Cheshire Jobs](#).

School Dinners Edsential are the catering company that provide school dinners at Winnington Park. Please complete the surveys to share your thoughts and opinions with them about the meals provided: [School Dinners Parents' Survey](#)

St Luke's Church The volunteers at St Luke's Church have been working with school for several years providing workshops for the children to support our RE curriculum. They have asked us to share that their Harvest Festival is this Sunday at 10.30am and all families are welcome to attend.

Have a super half term break. School reopens to the children on Monday 4th November.

Yours sincerely,
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