

Dear Parents/Carers,

Attendance Figures

| <u>TARGET SET</u> | <u>W/e 13/10/2017</u> | <u>This Year</u> |
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| 96.5% | 93.5% | 96.2% |

After School Club Activities

On Monday 30th, Tuesday 31st October & Wednesday 1st November Angie is going to be hosting Halloween themed after school club activities ranging from crafts, games and party teas. If your child would like to attend any of these days we have 12 places available each day at a cost of £5.00 per session on a first come first served basis. If your child would like to attend, please send your payment together with dates in an envelope.

Year 5 & 6 girls Football - Some of our year 5 & 6 girls took part in the annual football primary school tournament on Wednesday 11th October. They came second in their group of schools, Mrs Robson and all at Fylingdales School are very proud of their attitude, behaviour and success during this event.

Year 5 & 6 tag rugby - Some of our pupils took part in the annual tag rugby tournament at Whitby Rugby club on Thursday 12th October. The children all enjoyed taking part in this event and had a fun afternoon with Mrs Robson who was proud of their efforts.

Harvest Festival Friday 20th October 1.30pm

Our Harvest Festival service will take place on Friday 20th October at St Stephens Church at 1.30pm all are very welcome to attend, the service should finish at approx. 2.30pm-2.45pm. We are asking for donations to be brought into school on the morning of 20th October of tinned/dried goods/items with a long shelf life which will be sent to Whitby food bank. If you are attending, at the end of the service you will be able take your child/children home with you at the end of the service. Alternatively, you can collect your child from the church. **Please make sure you let your child's teacher know as you leave the church that your child is leaving with you. For parents who are not attending your child will be taken back to school for normal collection.**

Please complete sign and return the attached permission slip (**overleaf**) to school **no later than Wednesday 18th October**, if we do not receive a slip we will assume your child will be collected from school as normal and not St Stephens Church.

Miss McDermott We have some fantastic news to share about Miss McDermott who has just had a baby boy. Eugene was born last weekend and mum and baby are doing well. We look forward to meeting him some time soon.

Mrs C Barber - Headteacher

P.T.O. for dates for the diary & permission slip for our Harvest Festival

Dates for Diary

- Thursday 19th October: No year 4 & 5 swimming session (pool closed for maintenance)
- Friday 20th October: Whole school Harvest Festival at St Stephens Church @ 1.30pm all welcome to join us
School closes for half-term holiday and re-opens to pupils on Monday 30th October
- Tuesday 31st October Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 pupils visiting Stephen Joseph Theatre during the day for Tavaziva
Dance workshops (letter sent out 11/10)
- Wednesday 1st November NHS Nurses in school in the morning administering flu vaccines for Reception/Y1/Y2/Y3/Y4 pupils whose parents have consented via website provided in previous letters/texts.
- Thursday 2nd November All key stage 2 pupils Cross country event at Caedmon College (letter sent out 13/10)
- Friday 3rd November NSPCC Assemblies in school and workshops for Year 5 & 6 pupils
- Wednesday 8th November Parent consultation meetings in school (letter to follow)
- Thursday 9th November Year 5 & 6 Swimming session 1.30pm
- Wednesday 15th November Sports hall Athletics Year 5 & 6 at Whitby Leisure Centre (letter to follow)
- Thursday 23rd November Year 5 & 6 Swimming Session 1.30pm
- Friday 8th December Victorian Weekend celebrations begin in RH Bay.
- Week of 11th December Christmas Nativity for pupils in Miss Clarkson's class (to be confirmed)
- Friday 15th December Whole school trip to Scarborough Spa for the panto Jack & the Beanstalk (letter to follow)
- Friday 22nd December School closes for Christmas holidays and re-opens to pupils on Tuesday 9th January 2018

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Harvest Festival Friday 20th October

Child's name

I confirm I will be attending/coming to collect (please delete) my child from St Stephens Church after the Harvest Festival service on Friday 20th October.

Signed.....Parent/Carer