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Stanton Harcourt School

Newsletter October 2016

Thanks from The Besom for Harvest gifts

We have received a letter of thanks for the harvest gifts which were brought into school and taken to Church at our Harvest Festival Service. If you'd like to find out more about where the items went, please take a look at the website www.besom.com/local-besom

Water bottles

We would ask you to ensure that you only fill your child's water bottle with water, not squash, please.

PE

With the colder weather returning please ensure your child has a warm tracksuit in black or blue for outdoor PE. Children may also need to bring trainers rather than black plimsolls as the grass is sometimes damp during PE sessions.

Drama Club

We are hoping to be able to continue our Monday Drama Club but nothing has been confirmed yet. We will keep those involved informed.

Science Club for Class Three

We are hoping that we will be able to start a Science Club after school on Fridays after half term. As usual it will run from 3:15 pm to 4:15 pm and we have two expert Scientists to run the club. The children will be doing the fun parts of science from exploding rockets and acid indicators to experiments with racing cars and aeroplanes. Please complete the form if you'd like your child to attend. We will send payment information to those who sign up.

Invoices for clubs and dinners for the Autumn term.

These will hopefully be sent home before half term.

Panto

All permission slips received! Thank you! A few payments are still outstanding - please send in to the office asap.

Author visit donations

We would like to remind you that we still need your help to pay for our Author visit - not many donations have been received.

This is a really exciting opportunity for children to work alongside a published author and have a real purpose for developing their story writing skills and listen to her share her so tires and experiences as a writer. We would like all children to benefit from this experience. The whole school has begun to prepare for Pippa Goodhart's arrival and we are all working on a school display to welcome her and celebrate her books.

Eco-committee

Congratulations to our new Eco committee! We met for the first time on Wednesday and organised the fruit waste and began the pond clear out. The children have lots of great ideas and I look forward to our weekly lunchtime meetings.

Mrs Hemming is the coordinator for Eco-committee



School Council

The new School Council is very enthusiastic, and they have already met to share ideas on how to make our school even better. Each class is now going to select a single focus for discussion at the next meeting.

Mrs Clark is the School Council coordinator.



Shoebbox appeal

Don't forget to drop off your filled box, together with the £2.50 donation to pay for it's transport to the child who will receive it, by 4th November. If you haven't started already, why not make it a half-term project?

The October Newsletter will be in your email inbox.

Please take a look at our website - changes are made at least once a week!

<http://stantonharcourtschool.org.uk/>

Dates for the school year 2016-17 are now available on the website.

Dates for your diaries: Parents are invited to items in bold

30.10.16 5 - 7 pm FOSHS Hallowe'en Disco at the Village Hall

03.11.16 Whole School have a visit from Pippa Goodhart, Author, for the day

06.12.16 EYFS and Class One Nativity/Christmas Performance 9 am. and evening 6 p.m. Village Hall

12.12.16 Class Christmas events and

14.12.16 Whole school Christmas Dinner (please note change of date)

14.12.16 Hosanna Rock Class Two and Three in Church 2 pm

15.12.16 Playhouse Panto visit for Reception - Year 6 12:45 - 5 pm.

16.12.16 Autumn term ends at 1:15 pm - early finish time

04.01.17 Children return for Spring Term

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Science Club - Years 5 and 6 only Fridays 3:15 - 4:15 starting 4th November

Please reserve a place at Science club for.....

I agree to pay £3 per weekly session on a termly basis.

My child will be walking home alone

My child will be picked up after the club

Signed.....Date.....