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Red Nose Day

Thank you for supporting this worthwhile appeal. Altogether we raised £248.63. Thanks to your donations, Comic Relief continues to make a difference to the lives of millions of people across the UK and around the world.

They believe that a just world, free from poverty, is possible, and that those closest to the issues have the best solutions. So they partner with amazing projects and organisations that are working to tackle some of the biggest challenges society faces today.

The money raised in previous years has been committed to organisations, including those supporting older people, women who are facing rising levels of domestic abuse and communities who are experiencing racial inequality who are disproportionately affected by coronavirus. Organisations supporting frontline workers also received funds. The Covid-19 pandemic has made people's lives even harder, so your support is as important as ever.

Covid Free School

As I am sure you will be aware, the school is working so hard to keep Covid away from the school doors and for all our children to be in school and learning. We are so close to getting back to some sort of normality and we are therefore asking all our parents to please stick to the rules as laid out by the Government. A small number of children are coming into school telling us that they have visited this person's house for a playdate or are having a sleepover. There is still a stay at home order and I really do not want to have to be closing a bubble and asking parents to once again home school their children for 10 days. The staff are following the rules and many of them have also not seen their loved ones for a long time. If we all work together and stick with it for just a bit longer, the end is in sight and we can start looking forward to visiting family and friends again.

Breakfast and Beehive Invoices

If your child attends breakfast club, you should by now have paid your invoice in full. If your child attends Beehive a substantial payment should have been made. Final outstanding amounts **(not first payment)** should be made by Friday 26 March. Please note that if you miss the dates as specified that you will be charged a late payment fee of £25.

Nearly New Uniform for Sale

A reminder that we have lots of uniform (including summer dresses) which are available for a donation from the reception foyer. *We do have some new size 30 polo tops and a variety of PE tops which are available from the school office. These are cheaper than those from Skoolkit.*

Music Tuition

If you have not yet paid for your child's music tuition for this half term, please can you do so as a matter of urgency.

Reporting Absence

A reminder that as well as telephoning the school, you can also report your child's absence via a company called **Studybugs** which enables you to go online via a phone or computer to report your child's absence securely. To get the free Studybugs app, or register on their website go to (<u>https://studybugs.com/about/parents</u>). If your child is unwell it is your responsibility to inform the school of this.

Forest School Sessions:

Timetable for this half term has been sent out. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door. You are also able to check the timetable by clicking the following link: <u>Spring B Timetable</u>

Lunch Menu

Please click on the following link to access the menu online: <u>menu</u>. Paper copies are on the notice boards by the North Door and the South Door and in Wagtails' Class window.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L A de Carteret Headteacher