Wednesday 21st June 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Attendance

Congratulations once again to Year 6 class who had 99% attendance last week. They get to have "Cuddles" the bear in their classroom again this week. Y6 - 98.8%, Y4 - 98.3%, R - 96.3%, Y2 - 93.6%, Y1 - 91.7%, Y3 - 89.3%, Y5 84.8%, N - AM - 88.3%, N - PM - 89.4%.

#### Parent Conduct

Unfortunately, there has been an increasing amount of incidents of abuse from parents to staff in the school. This will NOT be tolerated in anyway whatsoever. Staff are not abusive to parents or children and regardless of any issues, we expect the same in return. The Governors are now taking this matter very seriously. Threats will be reported to the police and legal advice will be sought to ban parents from the premises if their conduct is such that we feel this is necessary.

All the staff here, including myself, will happily listen to any concerns and deal with any issues in a calm and rational manner.

Please be mindful of what you are posting on Facebook. It has come to our attention that parents are posting pictures and discussions are taking place regarding events in school. In the event that any communication contains threatening or malicious comments then referrals will be made to the police. As parents, contained in the Staying Safe Online signed agreement, children have signed to say that they will be responsible online, parents countersign this. We too expect that you are responsible online and your child learns from positive model behaviour. Next year, parents will have to sign a parental agreement.

#### 30 Hours Provision in Nursery

From September, we are hoping to offer some places in our school Nursery for the extended entitlement of 30 hours. Parents can check eligibility for three and four year olds on the Guidance document which is now on our school website.

http://www.stoswaldsnetherton.com/page/key-information/30511

## Sponsored Walk

Thank you for your support with the sponsored walk last Friday, the weather held and we managed to get it completed! All monies raised will go towards school funds and more play equipment for the children to use at playtime. I will be meeting with the school council to discuss what it is they would like to buy with the monies raised. We are collecting money in from now until the  $30^{th}$  June.

# Uniform and Shoe Donations

If you have any items of old school uniform or school shoes that no longer fit your child, that are in a good condition, we would gladly accept any donations. Thank you

## Whole School Photograph

The date for the photograph has been changed as the company taking the photograph had vehicle problems! The new date is next Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2017. Afternoon Nursery children will need to come into school in the morning to be included on the photograph. The photograph will take place as near to 9.00AM as possible, all children will need to be on time on this day as any children who are late will not be able to be included.

### Our new App

The way we communicate with parents is changing and our new design website will also have an app. However, to enable parent access to the app, all parents will need to provide an email address. Please complete the attached slip at the bottom of the newsletter and return to school as soon as possible. Thank you

# Charity Fundraising Day Saturday 17.06.17

A big thank you to you for your support at the event. In total on the day £898 was raised.

# Forthcoming Dates June 2017

22<sup>nd</sup> June - Tri-golf Tournament for invited KS2 pupils. Y5/6 Maths Challenge at Netherton Moss.

23rd June - Week 2 of Sporties. Year 5 trip to Liverpool.

26<sup>th</sup> June - Years 1 & 2 to Liverpool Philharmonic Hall

27th June - am Rescheduled date for whole school photograph

pm - Year 6 Leaver's Service at Liverpool Cathedral

28th June - Year 2 & 6 Children's University Graduation ceremony at Edge Hill University

Wally Cain Dance Festival

30th June - Week 3 of Sporties

## July 2017

3rd July - Mufti Day for PFA

 $5^{th}$  July - 3.30pm - 5.30pm - Open evening for all parents and families to walk around school and meet the teachers of the classes your children will be moving into

 $6^{th}$  July - 2.30pm Dance Show for parents. 3.40pm After school music club performance for parents of children who have attended an after school music club

7th July - Transition morning for all children into their new classes

Last Sporties for new Reception children & families and pupil reports to go home

10th July -Sports for All Day, Year 5 Peer Mediator training

11th July - Competitive Sports Day

12th July - World Cup Day and Meet the Teacher pm.

13th July - Stay n' Play - Reception.

14th July -Last Year 3 swimming.

17<sup>th</sup> July - Leaver's Barbeque/party for Year pupils 4.00pm

18<sup>th</sup> July - Attendance Awards at Litherland High & Public Speaking Event. Last Year 2 swimming.

6.30pm - Leaver's Service for Year 6 families

19th July - Golden Apples Treat for Golden Apple Winners and 3.00pm - Summer Fair after school

20<sup>th</sup> July - 9.45 am - End of Term Service. Finish at 2.00pm for end of term.

Yours sincerely,

Miss E. Murtagh Headteacher		
Our new App.  Name of child	Class	 
Email address (please print in a	apital letters)	
Signed Parent / Carer	Date	