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## PARENTS' NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Carer

### **Reminder – Nasal Spray Flu Vaccination Forms for Reception, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4**

The immunisation nurses will be in school on Friday 17th November to give the nasal spray flu vaccination to those children that have parental consent in Reception, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4. If you have not yet done so, please return your form to school by Friday 13th October at the latest so it may be collected and processed by the NHS Immunisation Team.

### **PTA Halloween Pumpkin Contest – Monday 23rd October**

If you would like to take part, please bring your carved or decorated pumpkins to school by 8.45am on Monday 23rd October. There will be a table set up outside the front of the school for your entries.

They will be judged on two categories: most original and most humorous. Pumpkins can be carved or decorated. Prizes will be awarded to each category for KS1 pupils and KS2 pupils. There will also be a prize to the class with the most pumpkin entries! Remember to mark the pumpkin with your name and seeing your creative entries!

### **Swanland School PTA on Facebook**

The PTA has created a group on Facebook. It is a 'closed' group, which means that anyone can find the group and see who is in it but only members can see the posts. You have to request to join it and PTA admin has to 'accept' your request. This way we can ensure that only people linked to our school can become members. This Facebook group is to help build community among Swanland School PTA and parents/carers. By joining this online group, it will give you an immediate connection to the PTA, allowing you to pass on ideas to support our school, offer your time or services to the PTA, share ideas, view upcoming events etc. Please find us on Facebook and press 'Join Group'.

### **Bag2School**

Thank you for supporting the PTA Bag2School collection on 10th October. You have raised £178.00!

### **Reminder – PTA Race Night on Friday 20th October 2017 at 7.00 pm**


Swanland School's PTA are organising a fund raising 'Race Night' in the school's Great Hall on the evening of Friday 20th October. If you would like to join us for a fun evening please complete your order form (available on the school website under 'Letters') and return it to school by Friday 13th October. Thank you!

## Diary

Wednesday 18th October – Year 3 Visit to Tropical World  
Wednesday 18th October – Year 6 Meet and Greet for Parents (5.30 pm)  
Friday 20th October – PTA Race Night (7.00 pm)  
Monday 23rd October – PTA Halloween Pumpkin Contest – Front of School (8.45 am)  
Thursday 26th October – Year 1 Toy Sale (parents/carers invited, more details to follow)  
Thursday 26th October – School Closes at 3.30 pm for half term holiday  
Monday 6th November – School Re-opens at 8.50 am  
Wednesday 8th November – Travelling Book Fayre (3.00 – 4.00 pm)  
Thursday 9th November – Travelling Book Fayre (3.00 – 7.00 pm)  
Thursday 9th November – Open Day for Parents/Carers (2.30 – 7.00 pm)  
Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November – Macmillan Coffee Morning in the Great Hall (10.30 am – 12.30 pm)  
Tuesday 14th November – Year 1 Visit to Yorkshire Wildlife Park  
Tuesday 14th November – Travelling Book Fayre (3.00 – 4.00 pm)  
Tuesday 14th November – Year 4 Viking Day  
Tuesday 14th November – Reception 2018 Prospective Parents Meeting (7.00 pm)  
Friday 17th November – Nasal Flu Vaccination for Reception, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4  
Saturday 25th November – PTA Christmas Fayre  
Monday 27th November – M & M Theatre Productions ‘Aladdin’  
Tuesday 12th December – Year 5 & 6 Play (6.30 pm)  
Wednesday 13th December – Year 5 & 6 Play (1.30 pm and 6.30 pm)  
Tuesday 19th December – Reception Nativity (10.00 am)  
Tuesday 19th December – KS1 Christmas Party  
Tuesday 19th December – Year 3 and 4 Christmas Party  
Wednesday 20th December – Reception Nativity (10.00 am)  
Wednesday 20th December – Years 5 & 6 Christmas Party  
Thursday 21st December – Children walk to Christmas Service at St Barnabas Church  
Friday 22nd December – Christmas Dinner (12.00 pm – 1.10 pm) – NB no salad bar today  
Friday 22nd December – School Closes at 3.30 pm for Christmas holidays  
Tuesday 9th January – School Re-opens at 8.50 am

Thank you for your continued support, now and into the future.

Yours sincerely



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