

Ladysmith Federation

Junior School News

Friday 14th October 2016

Exeter School Football League



Congratulations to the year 6 football team who played brilliantly on Monday evening. In an action packed 1st game, we went 1-0 up, only to find ourselves 2-1 down at half time. We fought back to equalise with a stunning goal from Charlie and in the final minute, Arif scored the winning goal to finish the game 3-2. Our second game against Tipton St John was postponed but we played a friendly game which we lost 4-2.

Ladysmith A and B now have a break before their next round of matches in November.

Exeter Food Action



they are within the expiry date.

On **Tuesday 18th October**, we will be holding a Harvest Festival assembly across the federation. We have invited children to bring in a donation of food which Charles, who we met in assembly last week, will collect to be used by Exeter Food Action. Almost any food can be accepted, including dry packets of food, tins and fresh fruit and vegetables, as long as

If you are able to donate some food, please send it in with your child on Tuesday 18th October and they can bring this to the hall before assembly.

Enrichment Days



Today was the first of year 3's half termly enrichment days. They had a great time playing Arrow Tag with Premier Sports and enjoyed learning about the recent Paralympic games. They had a go at reading braille, making an Olympic torch and playing goalball.



School Lunches

From 31st October, the week after the half term holiday, children will order lunches, in class, on a daily basis. Please continue to pay through ParentMail: £2.50 will be deducted from your account when a lunch is taken. Parents who do not use the online payment facility will need to send cash or cheque to the school office in a named envelope. Menus will be available on our website and from the office on request.

Open Afternoon

Please join us next Tuesday 18th October, 3.30pm – 5pm, for our half termly open afternoon. This is an opportunity to look through your child's work and meet informally with their teacher. All lost property will also be on display in the top playground – please do come and have a look to see if anything belongs to your child.

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Photos



come to the hall after school.

Your child will have their school photo taken next Friday 21st October. These will be taken during the day. If you would like your child to have another photo taken with a sibling, even if they are not in this school, you are invited to come to the hall after school. Photos will be taken on a first come, first served basis.

Christmas Celebration

We would like to invite parents and guardians of children in year 3 and 4 to join us on Tuesday 13th or Wednesday 14th December for a Christmas Celebration. The children will be singing Carols and year 4 will be sharing the story of Christmas. You are invited to join us from 2.15pm in the school hall for a 2.30pm start. Please join us for a mince pie at 3.30pm.



A separate letter has been emailed out to parents / guardians of children in year 3 and 4.

Save the date!

Year 5 will be learning songs to take part in a Christmas Carol concert, hopefully on Thursday 8th December, 6-7pm. More details will follow when we have confirmed the date.

SEND drop in session

SEND 'Working Together' Drop in session (Open to all parents and carers)

Tuesday 18th October 2016

9.10am – 10.30am

Health Centre Room in the Infants School

FUNdraisers Update - Fireworks Night Fri 4th November



Fireworks tickets go on sale to all from Monday 17th October, they can be bought from the Infant School office and the Junior School playground - they sell out fast so don't delay! Please consider carefully if you can sign up to volunteer in some way. Help is especially needed on the games, hot dog and chip stalls. It's a great way of getting involved and is a lot of fun! There are a limited amount of tickets available at last year's prices, on sale to volunteers only!

Dates for the diary:

17th October – Year 4 enrichment day

17th October – Wildlife Conference

18th October – Year 5 enrichment day

18th October – Federation Harvest Assembly – children are invited to bring in food donations

19th October – Year 6 enrichment day

20th October – Y3 healthy eating day – details out today.

21st October – Fraser Photography – individual and sibling photos.

21st October – Last day of the half term

31st October – Back to school

4th November – Fireworks Night – details to follow

11th November – Armistice Day service – Y6

15th November – Killerton Run

8th December – Y5 Carol Service at St Mark's Church
details to follow – 6-7pm

13th December – Y3/4 Christmas Celebration – 2.15pm

14th December – Y3/4 Christmas Celebration – 2.15pm



Community Advert

Come and join us for some autumn fun in Heavitree Park on Saturday 29th October 2-4pm. We will have coffee and cakes, pumpkin carving, story telling and seasonal treats and activities.

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