# Ladysmith Federation

# Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 Infant and Nursery Newsletter

# **School Council**

The School Council have been elected and their badges were given out in assembly. Each class in Key Stage One has two representatives who bring ideas and issues from the children in their class to the notice of the Senior Leadership Team. The Senior Leadership Team works with the children to develop areas within school for the benefit of the whole school community.



"Don't forget! Premier Transition (part of the Premier Education Group) will be running their FREE fitness sessions, 'Fit-Trition', starting on 7<sup>th</sup> November, 9am in the Infant School canteen. Pre school children are invited! There is a small play area for them within the

canteen so parents can keep an eye out for their little ones. For more information and booking, please call us on 07711 788525."

**Dance Club:** We do not have confirmation yet that the After school Dance club will be restarting on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Please keep an eye open for a text from Emily who will advise everyone who is on the list whether or not it is on.



### SCHOOL GROUNDS

Please respect the school grounds. A few parents are allowing their children to run on the gardens, swing on the branches, climb on the sheds and stamp/jump on the sandpit covers. Please don't turn a blind eye - we need your support to help keep the school grounds free from damage.

SHUT THE GATE Unfortunately, many parents/visitors are leaving the school gates open when coming into the school during the school day. Please remember to SHUT THE GATE – we have very young children in school and we need to keep them safe at all times!

### SCOOTERS/BIKES

**REMEMBER NO BIKES or SCOOTERS to be ridden in the playground.** Scooters left in the playground will be removed. Please lock them in the scooter park (opposite the play trail) or take them home. *Thank you* 



# Year 2 Visit to Plymouth Marine Aquarium



Year 2 are looking forward to their trip on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November to the National Marine Aquarium in Plymouth as part of their current topic. Please remember to complete and return your permission slip with payment without delay. Children will need to arrive promptly at 9am so that the coaches can leave on time.

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Year 2 started making their delicious Christmas Cakes this week. Please remember to complete your form and make a donation of £2 towards the ingredients. Thank you.  $\bigcirc$ 

Year 1 It was good to see so many parents at the sit down talk on 'How Phonics is Taught in School' this week. We hope you found it useful. The feedback was positive and it is hoped to run another session later in the term.

# School Photographer

The photographer is coming to school on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2016. Please remember to return your slip

### **Remembrance Day Poppies**

Poppies are available in school to raise money for the **British Poppy Appeal.** There is no set contribution for the normal paper poppies, but the metal poppies (*for adults*) are £1 - £2 each. *All donations will be appreciated*.

### **Keeping us informed**

If you have any concerns or queries about school, please do not hesitate to come and speak to a member of staff, rather than posting comments on social media. Speaking to us directly is a positive way to ensure any matters can be dealt with, improvements made or questions answered.





Children in Need (Non Uniform Day)

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2016 For a donation wear spots for the day and raise lots



## **SECONDHAND UNIFORM SALES**

The PTFA will be holding Secondhand Uniform Sales on the following days after school (3.30pm): Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2016 Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2017 Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2017 Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2017 Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Finally, See you all tonight at the PTFA Firework Extravaganza!



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