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News & What's coming up

Dinner money

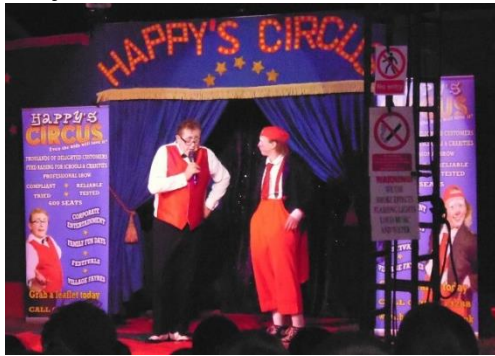
Please note that dinner money has increased to £2.10 per day (£10.50 per week).

ParentPay – Cashless system

Thank you to everyone that has signed up to ParentPay. If you have any questions using ParentPay please do pop into the office where one of the Finance team will be able to help you.

Happy's Circus

Here are a few photos from Happy's Circus visit to the school yesterday. It looked like a wonderful evening was had by everyone.



What's on next week

Monday 12th September

3.30-4.30 – Year 2 Parent Information Session

Tuesday 13th September

12-12.30 – Early Years Try out lunch No 1

1-3 – Bikeability (Year 6 Group 1 only)

2.15-3.15 – Appleton Roadshow (Library)

3.30-4.30 – Year 3 Parent Information Session

Wednesday 14th September

3.30-4.30 – Year 4 Parent Information Session

6.30-7.30 – Parent Information session for all years (if you are unable to attend your year specified one)

Thursday 15th September

12-12.30 – Early Years Try out lunch No2

3.30-4.30 – Years 5&6 Parent Information Sessions

Friday 16th September

1-3 – Bikeability (Year 6 Group 1 only)

PTA News

The PTA would like to say a very big thank you to everyone that came along and supported Happy's Circus. The evening was a great success and we hope you all enjoyed it. As soon as we know a figure, we will let you know how much we raised.

Adventure Island tickets can be purchased from Hayley Wright on 07958 930579 or hwright72@sky.com. Prices £15(big) £11(Junior/Mini)

We also have available tickets for the following:

Adventure Golf – 2 rounds - £3 each

Sea-Life tickets - £5 Adult - £2.50 Child

Future dates for your diary

The dates below are for your information only – full details of events will be sent via a separate letter or mentioned in the main weekly newsletter.

Thursday 22nd September – School photos & open evening

Friday 30th September – Parents Forum & Macmillan Coffee morning

Friday 2nd December – PTA Christmas Bazaar

Star of the Week

Well done to the following children who are Stars of the Week

Green class – Tori
Gold class – Tom H
White – Isabelle
Silver – Rosie
Red class – Kacie
Bronze class – Gracie
Aqua class – Maxwell
Purple class – Sasha
Ruby class – Whole class
Lime class – Whole class
Blue class – Whole class
Yellow class – Whole class



Well done and keep up the good work.

Attendance – w/e Friday 9th September

The **Key Stage 1** classes with the best attendance are **Jade & Yellow** Classes. Their attendance was **100%**

The **Key Stage 2** classes with the best attendance are **Green, Gold & Red** Classes. Their attendance was **100%**

Well done all classes

Other Key Stage 1 attendance is as follows:

Amber Class – 99.3%

Blue Class – 98.7%

Ruby Class – 96%

Lime Class – 97%

Other Key Stage 2 attendance is as follows:

White Class – 99.3%

Bronze Class – 99.3%

Aqua Class – 99.3%

Silver Class – 98.7%

Purple Class – 98.7%

Menu for next week

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sausages	Homemade Chicken Korma	Roast of the Day	Build your own Chicken Wrap	Harry Ramsden Fish
Quorn Sausage	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans	Quorn Fillet	Build your own Quorn Chicken Wrap	Vegetable Dippers
Creamy Mash/Baked Beans	Fluffy White Rice	Roast Potatoes	Wedges	Chips
Crusty Bread	Salad Bar Naan Bread	Seasonal Vegetables Yorkshire Pudding	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Peas / Salad Bar Crusty Bread
Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Sauce	Pancake with Fruit	Ice Cream with a wafer	Homemade Cookies	Selection of Yoghurt



BENFLEET TEACHING
SCHOOL ALLIANCE

Do you want to train to become a Teacher?

Learn more about the teacher training opportunities available through the Benfleet Teaching School Alliance. Their next Information and Recruitment Event is on **Tuesday 27th September from 6.30-8.00pm** at The Appleton School, Croft Road, Benfleet Essex SS7 5RN.

This event will include a presentation about the various routes into teaching and how the teacher training programme works at BTSA, a chance to hear from past and present trainees describing their experiences and an opportunity to ask any questions you may have. To register an interest, please email mhoward@theappletonschool.org (Please state your subject specialism for secondary teaching)

Don't Forget!

New 'Parent Year Group Information' Sessions

These are taking place next week at 3.30pm. We hope that these sessions will provide you with specific information about your child's year group as well as important whole school information, e.g. staff, homework and learning themes. We envisage these meetings will last approximately 45 minutes.

These meetings will take place in the school hall and dates for these sessions are as follows:

Year 2 – Monday 12th September

Year 3 – Tuesday 13th September

Year 4 – Wednesday 14th September

Year 5 – Thursday 15th September

Year 6 – Thursday 15th September

Early Years (EYFS) – Thursday 22nd September (3.30pm and 6.30pm)

In addition to these sessions, which are being held straight after school, we are also offering a later opportunity to attend a meeting on Wednesday 14th September at 6.30pm. This will be a meeting open to parents who cannot make the time offered for their year group above. Teaching staff from all year groups will be attending.

Please note, there is not a meeting for new Year 1 parents at this time as this meeting took place back in July as part of transition.