

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018

## Weekly Newsletter

I am sure you will join me in congratulating every Year 6 child at Fosse who took the Kent Test for senior schools. All these children have worked very hard and achieved higher than the total mark required. We are extremely proud of each individual.

On **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October** we welcomed over 30 grandparents to experience a tour of the school with their respective grandchildren and enjoy some tea and wonderful cakes, kindly supplied by the Fosse Association. It was wonderful to see so many happy faces and the children were so proud to show off their school.



On **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** we held the first school music recital of the year. It was a great success, with a variety of confident solo performers on piano violin, flute, guitar and voice, and ending with the school choir singing an expressive rendition of Monsters! The standard was very high and everyone enjoyed the range of music. Thank you to all the parents who came to listen.

Also on **Wednesday** the U11/U10 Football team hosted two home matches with Hilden Oaks. One we lost and the other we won 3-0. Well done to all who played.



On **Thursday** the U9/8 netball girls played Beechwood Sacred Heart. Unfortunately they were beaten 3-0 but the team played well together. Fingers crossed for next time!

There are still some Holiday Club payments on ParentMail to be actioned. Please log in and clear this before **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** to ensure your child's place is booked. We have a new policy now that holiday club bookings need to be cleared prior to the club occurring, so that we can ensure we have the appropriate staffing in place. Your assistance with this would be much appreciated.

Please be advised that on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** we holding a non-uniform day in return for chocolate and bottles for the Fosse Association's Christmas Market. Please leave these in the conservatory in the morning at drop off.

Just a reminder that the KS2 Swimming Gala is also taking place on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** at Tonbridge pool from 2.00pm – 4.00pm, with all children participating. It promises to be an exciting competition and spectators and siblings are most welcome to attend. Please be advised that no KS2 children need to bring their school bag on this day. Please collect your children from Tonbridge pool unless your child is due to attend Phoenix Club and needs transporting back to school, in which case please make the School Office aware and they will be brought back in the school minibus.

Please note there will no clubs (including Orchestra) on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** due to the Swimming Gala but Phoenix Club will be available should you need childcare.

In light of the recent situations in the press regarding allergen information, Pollen (our caterers) have worked through all their menus and applied the relevant allergen information to each dish. Moving forward, allergens will be displayed on menus and also on the website shortly. Should you have any dietary concerns you would like to discuss, please contact the School Office.

On the subject of food, please note that we are a nut free environment and refrain from including any nuts in snacks that are sent in. This is for the protection of children with severe nut allergies.

Although the weather has been changeable this week, please do send your child in with a coat as they will be outside at playtimes whenever possible. Winter uniform including caps and hats will be worn after half term.

Finally, please can we ask that you sign your child in at the School Office if they are late arriving. This is so we can note those who have missed being included in the classroom register, essential should there be an emergency evacuation.

Best wishes

Alison Cordingley  
Headmistress

## Diary Dates

Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	Fosse Holiday Club
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> October	School reopens
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	Inter Hockey Y3/4
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Kent Test and Common Entrance Coffee Morning
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Diwali Workshops Reception to Y6
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	U11/U10 Netball v Beechwood (away)
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Y1 Class assembly (parents invited)
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Y3-6 Remembrance Service at Hildenborough Church - 10.00 – 11.30am
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Reception Celebration assembly - 1.20pm
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	Flu jabs for Reception to Y5 - 1.30pm – 3.00pm
12 <sup>th</sup> to 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Parliament Week – School Council Activities
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Inter School Science Competition (Hilden Grange) – 4.30pm
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	U11/U10 Netball v The Mead (home) – 2.30pm
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Y4 Class Assembly – parents invited – 9.00am
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	U10/11 Football v Beechwood (away) - 2.00pm – 4.00pm
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Celebration Assembly – Y5 - 1.20pm