

24th October 2024

#### PARENTS, NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Carer

### **UPCOMING DIARY DATES**

Monday 4th November - School Re-opens After October Half-Term Holiday (8.45-8.50 am)

- → Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November Year 6 SHS Transition Visits Design and Technology CLICK HERE Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November - Year 5 Evacuee Day CLICK HERE
- → Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 1RP Movie Treat! (see separate letter)



# REMINDER: RECEPTION CLASSES: Change to the End of the School Day

From Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024, the end of the school day will be at 3.20 pm for the Reception classes rather than at 3.10 pm. This is to fall in line with the rest of the school.



## OPAL Half Term Challenge!!

Over half term the OPAL Team are hoping to revamp the mud kitchen area to make it accessible all year round!! Over half term, we would like to challenge the children to gather up items in order to fill it full of ingredients!! Perhaps you could go on an autumn walk and collect up some conkers, pinecones, acorns, pebbles, mixing sticks, or anything else you think would make the most delicious dishes for our children to create! If you have any plastic jars, outdoor lined baskets etc that could be used to store ingredients in, these would also be appreciated!!



Remember to keep OPAL in mind if you start any pre-Christmas decluttering, and contact <a href="mailto:opal@swanlandschool.co.uk">opal@swanlandschool.co.uk</a> if you have any questions regarding donations! Thank you!



### School Car Park

Parents/carers of children attending clubs before and after school should <u>use the pedestrian</u> gate whenever possible to enter the school grounds. If the pedestrian gate is locked and you need to cut across the car park, please be vigilant, as cars may be entering or exiting. Specifically, please do not allow children to walk through the car park unaccompanied as this is dangerous.



### Harvest Festival - Thank you!

Hull Foodbank wish to pass on a message of thanks for the generous support with all the Harvest Festival donations brought by the children in October (see separate flyer). Their Harvest Festival produced 423kg of food which will provide approximately 1000 meals. They are very grateful as their stocks were running low. Well done everyone!

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### School Meals - New Menu!

Please see new menu for: 4th November 2024 - 14th February 2025 by clicking here Information regarding school meals can be found by clicking here and they are payable in advance online via ParentPay.



### MyClothing - Uniform Offer

MyClothing are excited to offer free delivery on all school uniform orders this weekend only! Please use the code FREESHIP so you can enjoy the savings. Offer runs from 6.00 am Saturday 26th October 11.59 pm Sunday 27th October.



### Arts for our Families Make Some Noise! All FREE!

- 28th Oct, 1.00 pm Football Celebration Crafts, Street Life Museum. CLICK HERE
- 30th Oct, 1.00 pm Moonlight & Stars, Family Art Activity, Ferens Art Gallery CLICK HERE
- 31st Oct, 1.00pm Autumn Lanterns, Family Craft Activity, Hull & East Riding Museum of Archaeology CLICK HERE
- 1st Nov, 1.00 pm Scrap Sea Monsters, Streetlife Museum CLICK HERE



## ParentPay - Current Online Payments

 Year 3 Visit to The Deep - due before Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2024 Please note, deadlines for events will no longer be extended. Thank you.



### Flyers on the School Website

Community flyers added to the school website this week can be found by clicking on this link then looking under Autumn Term 2024-25, First Half Autumn Term Flyers.

Direct link to Trans Pennine Trail - Kids Activity Pack - click here

### TEO'S TENNIS @ SWANLAND LTC - AFTER SCHOOL JUNIOR SQUADS

After School Tennis sessions are the best way to keep kids healthy, happy and fit. Monday - Friday (for ages 4-11) 16:00 - 17:00 / Saturday (for ages 4-11) 10:00 - 11:00 Feel free to arrange a taster session ⊕ p and if you sign up, we will donate £5 per player every time you join the 10-weekly program.

For further information: www.teostennis.com / M: 07890783807 / teostennis@hotmail.co.uk

Disclaimer: Swanland Primary School does not endorse the following flyers; we are simply sharing the information.

### **CURRENT VACANCIES**

If you, or anyone you know, is/are interested in the following vacancies, please see further details (from tomorrow) on the Edukos Recruitment page or on the ERYC Recruitment Website Job Vacancy)

## MIDDAY SUPERVISORS

Deadline for receipt of Applications - Sunday 3rd November 2024 at 17.00 pm

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### **FORTHCOMING DIARY DATES**

Autumn Term 2024 Diary (→ New Diary Item)

Monday 11th November - Remembrance Day CLICK HERE

Monday 11th November - Reception Admissions Sept 2025 Information Meeting CLICK HERE

Tuesday 12th November - Odd Socks Day (information to follow)

- → Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November Year 6 SHS Transition Visits Design and Technology CLICK HERE
- → Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November Coffee & Chat (see separate flyer)

Friday 15th November - Children in Need Day CLICK HERE

- → Wednesday 20th November Year 6 SHS Transition Visits Design and Technology CLICK HERE
- → Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November Year 3 Visit to The Deep (see separate letter)
- → Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November Year 6 SHS Transition Visits Design and Technology CLICK HERE

Friday 29th November - Non-Uniform Day in exchange for Chocolate Tombola for the PTA Christmas Fayre

Saturday 30th November - PTA Christmas Fair, 10.00 am CLICK HERE (see separate letter)

Thursday 19th December - Year 6 Visit to the ERT to see 'A Christmas Carol' CLICK HERE

Friday 20th December - School Closes for Christmas Holiday (3.20 pm)

Wednesday 8th January - School Re-opens After Christmas Holiday (8.45-8.50 am)

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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