

# Melsonby Methodist Primary School Newsletter

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**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

## **A warm welcome to everyone**

I hope you all had a lovely summer and what a well needed break it was. We have all returned to school rested and ready to go. I would like to welcome back all our children, parents and staff as well as saying hello to our new staff, children, and their parents. It has been a very positive start to the year. Please remember that, as always, the door is always open to you and if you would like to come in for a chat then please do.

## **Melsonby School Macmillan Coffee Morning**

You are all invited to a coffee morning, on Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> of September between 10.00am and 12.00am to help us raise money for this well-deserved charity. This year, to be a little different, we are working with Elaine at the pub and so will be holding our coffee morning at the pub. The coffee morning is the perfect opportunity to catch up over a cuppa and a slice of something delicious for a great cause. Any donations, especially of the baked variety will be gratefully accepted.



## **Harvest Festival**

This year we are doing something a little different for our Harvest Festival. We have been invited to join in a Harvest Festival service at St James' Church on Sunday the 24<sup>th</sup> of September at 3.00pm. We all are really looking forward to this and everyone is most welcome.





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## Swimming and PE

Classes 1 and 2 will be swimming on Monday afternoons. Please return the form to Miss Rush ASAP. PE for Class 1 and 2 will be on a Tuesday afternoon for the autumn term. Please ensure your child has their swimming or PE kit with them on the correct day.

## Term and Holiday Dates Academic Year 2017/2018

### Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 5th September	School re-opens to pupils
Friday 20th October	Break up for Half Term
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October	School re-opens after Half Term
Friday 22nd December	End of Term

### Spring Term 2018

Monday 8th January	Training Day
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	School Re-opens to pupils
Friday 9th February	Break up for Half Term
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	School re-opens after Half Term
Thursday 29th March	End of Term

### Summer Term 2018


Monday 16th April	Training Day
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	School re-opens to pupils
Monday 7th May	May Day Holiday
Friday 25th May	School closes for Half Term
Monday 4th June	School re-opens after Half Term
Friday 20th July	End of Term

## Secondary School applications

All parents of pupils in our current Year 6 were issued with North Yorkshire County Council application letters on 4th July. Please note that the deadline for your preferences is 31st October 2017.

## Celebration Assemblies

Every Friday we will hold a Celebration Assembly at 3.10pm to celebrate what our children have accomplished during the week. All parents and members of the community are more than welcome to attend.



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## Lingotot

Please bring your toddlers along to our Lingotot Language session on Wednesdays between 10.00am and 11.00am. If you require further information, then please contact Lucy on the e-mail below.

**lingotot** Languages for Life



Would you and your child like to learn a language in a fun and interactive way, through play, singing and storytelling in a friendly and relaxed environment?

Our classes during the day are suitable for babies, toddlers and pre-school aged children.

**NEW** Weekly French classes running through term-time at **Melsonby Methodist Primary School, West Road, Richmond, DL10 5ND (All welcome)**

These will be **Wednesday 10-11 am** as of September 2017.

Contact me directly at [lucy@lingotot.com](mailto:lucy@lingotot.com) to find out more or follow us on Facebook.

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## Dates for Diaries

Whole school swimming lessons every Monday afternoon until the end of autumn term

Celebration Assemblies every Friday at 3.10pm - everyone welcome

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017 - Harvest Festival at St James' Church at 3.00pm - all welcome

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September - Macmillan's Coffee Morning starting at 10.00am at the pub

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October - Parents' Evening

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October - Year 5 / 6 Residential trip. Returning on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October - Half term holiday

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October - School re-opens



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