

# Scalford CE Primary School Newsletter

## Message from Mrs Waring

Years 4,5 and 6 had an amazing time; experiencing the zip wire, canoeing and many other activities. I am sure parents will enjoy unpacking their bags!



## Dates for your Diary

### SEPTEMBER

**Sat 30th** Primary schools cross country Prestwold Hall

### OCTOBER

**Weds 4th** Base 2 Conkers visit

**Fri 6th** Reading workshop for Y6

**Tues 10th & 11th** Parents evening

**Weds 11th** Leicestershire fire & rescue education sessions B1 & B3

**Thurs 12th** Open after-noon for perspective parents of children joining in 2018

**Fri 13th** Macmillan Coffee After-noon in church

**Mon 16th-20th** Half Term

**Sat 28th** Primary schools cross country Prestwold Hall

### NOVEMBER

**Fri 3rd** Flu immunisation day

**Fri 3rd** Keeping your child safe online and in the real world talk

**Thurs 9th** FOSS AGM meeting in school

**Fri 10th** Remembrance Day service

**Mon 13th** Yr6 warning zone visit

**Mon 13th** follow on talk: Keeping your child safe online and in the real world

## Parents Evening

Letters have been sent out for Parents Evening appointments for 10th and 11th October. Please return your preferred appointment time by Monday 2nd October to allow teachers to organise timetables.

**November 3rd 9.00am-9.45am**

### **'Keeping your child safe online and in the real world'**

We have invited David Barsby, Leicestershire County Council, into school to give an overview of **'Keeping your child safe online and in the real world'**. It is open to **all** parents and it is proposed that a deeper understanding of the topic will follow at 5.00pm on 13th November at a venue to be determined and dependant upon numbers. Please complete the slip being sent home today.



The first session will be on November 20th.

**We desperately need parent helpers so that we can run the club.**

If you're interested please let the office know.

## Reminder:

If your child has an appointment during school hours please inform the office either by email or by popping in.

## Base 2 Conkers Visit—Reminder

The visit to Conkers will take place on Wednesday 4th October. A reminder that your child needs to be in school by 8.50 am PROMPT and will require a packed lunch, drink and waterproof coat. The children will be back in school at approximately 3.30 to 3.45 pm.



## Seasonal Flu Vaccination

Your child will have received a letter this week. Please complete the consent form and return to the school office **TODAY**

The link here is aimed at giving parents/carers and their children more information:

<http://www.healthforkids.co.uk/staying-healthy/stopping-flu/>



During morning reading on **Friday 6th October**, there will be a reading workshop for the **Y6 children and parents**. We encourage parents to attend and learn more about how to support your child with their reading at home.

## Message from the School Council

Please join us to raise money for the Macmillan coffee afternoon at Scalford Church on the 13th October straight after Gold Book. We would be very grateful if you could make some cakes for this charity. Lets change lives with every slice



## ParentPay

Please may we politely remind parents to check their ParentPay balance.

Parents/carers must pay in advance for school lunches using Online ParentPay

### **THIS IS OUR PREFERRED METHOD**

Generally children will not be provided with a school lunch unless it is paid for, except those that are entitled to free school meals. If a parent genuinely forgets to pay in advance, the school may grant a debt allowance of 1 meal. However, this debt must be paid by the next day and future meals must be paid in advance before any meal is provided.

## SAFEGUARDING

- The school gate must be kept closed between 9:00am—3:15.
- School must know collection arrangements, if there are any changes to your plans, please inform the class teacher or office.

# Sport at Scalford



## School



### Primary Cross-Country Races



To All of our Runners who will be taking part on Saturday—Look out for Mrs Dickson with the Scalford Flag.

Below are the dates for the **Primary Cross-Country Races** which will take place at **Prestwold Hall**. More details to follow.

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2017