



**Oct 14th 2016**

## Diary Dates

**17.10.2016** - Football match v St Mary's Primary (at home) 3.30 pm kick off

**18.10.2016** - Vocational Day in school for Years 4, 5 & 6

**24.10.2016 - 28.10.2016** - Half Term (school closed)

**31.10.2016** - INSET Day (No children in school)

**02.11.2016** - Halloween School Disco

**03.11.2016** – Children's Class Photos

**10.11.2016** - Year 5 - Cinema Trip

**17.11.2016** - Year 3 - Black Country Museum

**23.11.2016** - Year 4 - Cadbury World

## FONS News

Thanks to Mrs Bowen, our FONS members and pupils who took part in bag packing at Tesco. They have raised sufficient funds to purchase a defibrillator for the school reception area.

## Well Done

Well done to Jackson Knowles-Smith for Swim up to Cubs from Beavers on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2016.

## Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have lots of sporting news to share with you this week!

Congratulations to the KS2 Football team who won their game against Russells Hall Primary 9-1 in the Campbell Cup. The team played a great match and displayed fantastic team work.

Also, congratulations goes to Mrs Barfoot and Mr Hanson for gaining Silver Games Mark Award for Sports and Games in school.

All our after school sports clubs are now up and running. If your child would like to attend one of our after school clubs, then please contact Mrs Barfoot.

Monday –	Years 4, 5 and 6 Football	Full Waiting List.
Tuesday –	Years 5 and 6 dance	Places available
Wednesday –	EYFS Fundamentals Multi Sport	Full Waiting List
Thursday –	Years 4, 5 and 6 Mixed Netball	Full Waiting List
Friday –	Years 1, 2 and 3	Places available.

If your child has achieved any out of school sporting achievements, then please let us know.

### Other news

If you have any donations for the Food Bank, then please send them in at the start of next week.

Discos letters have now gone out for the FONS Halloween disco for Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November. Please return all slips by next Friday, the last day of term.

Years 4, 5 and 6 will be taking part in National Restart a Heart next week as part of our Vocational day for Upper School. Our children will have the opportunity to experience and discuss different jobs. These will include a visit to Tesco, the 'Learning to Lead' dance programme, cookery, hair and beauty and many more.

## Students of the week w/c 10.10.16

### A BIG well done to -

**Year 1 -Orla R, Tyler KS**

**Year 3 -Summer C, Ethan S**

**Year 5 -Angel P, Keira D**

**Year 2 - Paighton B, Sophia J**

**Year 4 - Ryan S, Millie P**

**Year 6 - Zacharia P, Isobel H**




# Free School Meals

If you get any of the following support payments your child may be entitled to receive Free School Meals\*

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit Run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

\*If you have moved into the area you will need to complete a Free School Meals Application form

If you need further information or wish to apply for Free School Meals, you can contact Benefit Services by:

-  Telephone - 01384 814988
-  Email – [freeschoolmeals.benefits@dudley.gov.uk](mailto:freeschoolmeals.benefits@dudley.gov.uk)
-  Visiting – Dudley Council Plus, Castle Street, Dudley  
Between 8am and 5pm Monday to Friday,  
9am and 12 noon Saturday.