



FRIDAY 4th October 2019

Parent Consultations

Apologies to parents who have had any difficulties/confusion with the new Arbor App. We are working through the issues and hope to have everything resolved soon.

Appointments are still available via the Arbor App.

If you would like assistance, please do contact the school office and our admin team will be happy to help.

Welcome to Miss Stone



We would like to introduce you to Miss Stone who has joined the Whitemoor Academy team. Miss Stone has joined us as a Teaching Assistant and works with the children in Class 1.

Contact Details

With regards to the Arbor App you can now update your contact information and any change is address, phone number, emergency contacts or situation changes.

School Photos

School Photos will be on Monday 7th October!

Please remember to send your children looking the smartest they can.

We will be doing sibling photos and children with siblings in pre-school will be first to go in the morning.

WAFA News

Dates for your diary:

17th October – Straight after school a meeting in the hall to talk about the Spooky disco and anything else that you would like to discuss. Please come and support us.

18th October – Non-school uniform day at school with donations of unwanted gifts for the Christmas secrets room or chocolate for the tombola.

1st November – Spooky Disco from 5pm – 7pm. £1.50 entry which includes hot dog and drink (veggie options available).



Emma Gardner—Chair



Natasha Trethewey— Treasurer



Holly Hocking—Secretary



Amy Sergison—Committee

Parent Surveys

Thank you to all the parents who have completed and returned the Parent Surveys. They are a great way of checking on how you, as parents, feel the school is doing—and getting some of your ideas for the future too.

We remind you that they need to be back to us by Monday 7th please.

First Aid

We would like to congratulate our KS2 pupils who completed their First Aid training this week. First Aid will be compulsory for schools from September 2020. We are pleased to already be offering this to our pupils.

School Dinner Payments

We would like to remind parents who have children in Years 3,4,5&6 that payment of school dinners (£2.30) should be made via Parent Pay.

With the exception of pupils who are eligible for Free School Meals, please ensure that payment is made prior to the day that your child will be eating with us. We thank you for your cooperation with this.

Reception Parents

A reminder for parents/guardians of Reception children, that we are inviting you into school on **Monday 7th October at 2:30pm** as we will be talking about 'Early reading' and what you can do at home to support us with this. We look forward to seeing you then.

Open Afternoon

Open afternoon - **Friday 11th October at 2:45pm.**

A chance to look at children's books with your child ahead of parent's evenings.

We hope to see you all there.

Clubs cancelled

Due to Parent Consultations taking place on **Monday 14th** and **Tuesday 15th October**, after school clubs on these days will be cancelled.

Attendance

Class 1— 99.5%

Class 2— 96.6%

Class 3— 98.9%

Class 4— 91.0%

Remember—the National Average is 96%