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Wednesday, 4 November 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the half term holiday, I hope that you all had a lovely break.



Parent Governors

As you are aware, before the half term holiday we held an election for two new Parent Governors, and I am delighted to tell you that our two new Governors are Mrs Nicola Hudson and Mr Duncan Stamp.



FSA News

Pub Quiz:

On Friday, 13 November, the FSA are hosting a Pub Quiz night at the Wheatsheaf pub, on King Street. Tickets are £10 each, and a cheeseboard is included. There is a flyer with this newsletter about the Pub Quiz.

Christmas Card Project:

A reminder that we need all designs for the Christmas Card Project returned by **Friday, 6 November**, thank you.

School Social Media

Our school has a Facebook group, which we use to celebrate awards, such as Reading Awards and Special assembly nominations. We also use the page to share information and celebrate children's work. This group is for parents and carers only (not extended family members). To join this group search for "Lowe's Wong Infants" click on "Groups" and answer the three membership questions to be accepted.

We also have a school Instagram page, which anyone can follow, our username is: lwi_school



Christmas Jumpers

A reminder that we would appreciate donations of pre-loved Christmas jumpers/tops/dresses for the stall at Southwell's Late Night shopping Event.

If parents and carers have any jumpers or tops to donate, please could they be handed in to the School Office before Thursday 26th thank you.



Parents' Evenings

On Tuesday, 10 November and Thursday, 12 November we are holding our Parents' Evenings, to allow you the chance to meet with your child's teacher, see their work and discuss their progress.

The children will bring home a letter today letting you know how to book an appointment, please be aware that this is an evening for parents and carers, please do not bring your children to the meetings, thank you.

Nottinghamshire Mental Health Support Team (MHST)

As a school, we are really pleased to continue our work with the Mental Health Support Team (MHST). The MHST is a team of professionals who help bridge the gap between health and education, working closely with Senior Mental Health Leads in schools across Nottinghamshire. The team provides early intervention support for children, young people and families experiencing emotional wellbeing difficulties, such as anxiety, low mood, managing emotions and sleep difficulties. They also work closely with Nottinghamshire Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS).

At both Parent's Evenings next week, the MHST will have a stand in the dining room. You will be able to meet a member of the team, find out more about the support available for children and families, and learn more about support with emotional wellbeing, anxiety and sleep. There will also be information available about how to access the service, including how to make a self-referral if needed.

We encourage parents and carers to pop along, have a chat, and find out more about the support available.



Christmas Visits

The children will bring home letters today about their Christmas visits. Y2 are going to Southwell Minster for "Exploring Christmas" on Wednesday, 2 December, Y1 are visiting Bestwood Park for a nativity trail on Friday, 4 December, and the Foundation children are taking part in "Little City" Christmas Workshops in school on Friday, 4 December.

Finally, with this newsletter there is the flyer from the FSA about the pub quiz, and the Sticky Knowledge Sheets and Newsletters for this half term.

Thank you for your continued support,

A.E. Speed

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Headteacher



Dates for Your Diary

Tuesday, 10 November	Reverend Peter in school to lead assembly
	3.45pm – 6.30pm Parents' Evening
Thursday, 12 November	3.45pm – 6.30pm Parents' Evening
Friday, 13 November	Children in Need Day
	FSA Quiz Night
Monday, 16 November	Anti-Bullying Week – Odd Socks Day
	Road Safety Week
	NCMP checks for F2 pupils

Friday, 20 November	Country Dancers performing in assembly
Tuesday, 24 November	4pm – 5.30pm Open Evening for parents & carers of children starting school in September 2027
Thursday, 26 November	Choir performance at "Late Night Shopping"
Tuesday, 1 December	Christmas Craft Day (Christmas jumpers may be worn)
Wednesday, 2 December	Y2 visit to Southwell Minster
Friday, 4 December	Y1 visit to Bestwood
Monday, 7 December	"Little City Christmas" visiting Foundation
Monday, 14 December	5.15pm Y1 Christmas Concert
Tuesday, 15 December	2pm Y1 Christmas Concert 5.15pm FS Christmas Concert
Wednesday, 16 December	2pm FS Christmas Concert 5.15pm Y2 Christmas Concert
Thursday, 17 December	2pm Y2 Christmas Concert
Friday, 18 December	Party Day! *Break up for the Christmas Holidays*
Monday, 4 January 2027	School re-opens for the Spring Term

Artsmark Silver Award Awarded by Arts Council England

Bumblebee Conservation Trust
Bumblebee-friendly Schools Gold award October 2024

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