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Friday 20th October

Head Teacher: Mr M. Mountcastle Children's Disco

Tonight after school the Halloween Discos for the children take place. Early Years and Years 1 & 2 is from 4pm until 5.15pm and Years 3-6 from 5.30pm until 7pm. The charge is £3 each or £5 per family and the children will not need any additional money as they will receive refreshments as part of the entry fee. As in previous years the children enter through the hall entrance on the visitors' car park and are collected from the hall entrance in the staff car park. The small walk in gate will be open to pedestrians.

<u>Fundraising</u>

Thank you so much for your fabulous fundraising efforts this half term. This morning the school council delivered a 'mountain' of goods to an extremely grateful Cornerstone and last week we raised an unbelievable £973.36 for the Bone Cancer Trust. Two unbelievable efforts, thank you so so much.

Term Time Holidays

The Governing Body at school have always been very flexible and understanding when considering requests for holidays in term time. We understand the pressures of cost and shift patterns and try to support our families. Unfortunately though this term there has been a huge increase and we have lost a staggering number of school days since September. We have therefore reviewed our policy and moving forward we will not be able to authorise *any* requests of this nature. We are all very proud of our outstanding status but issues we are experiencing in our attendance could lead us to losing something we have worked very hard to achieve and maintain. Although I am sure some of you disagree with this policy I look forward to your positive support. Thank you.

School closes today for half term and we open again on Monday 30th October at 8.55am; I do hope you all enjoy a restful half term. Dinner money next term will be £86 or £10.75 per week.

Yours sincerely

M Mountcastle





