

Diary Dates

- 04.09.2017 - INSET DAY
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- 06.09.2017 - Children back to School
- 13.09.2017 - Year 3 Swimming
(Weekly)
- 23rd - 27th October - HALF TERM
- 07.11.2017 - Individual/Sibling Photo's
- 20.12.2017 - 12.30pm Children Break up.

Parents of current year 2 pupils, are reminded that their current universal free school meals entitlement will cease.

If you are entitled to claim for Free School meals please contact the office for a form or apply online at

<http://www.dudley.gov.uk/resident/your-council/council-tax-and-benefits/benefits/free-school-meals/>

Dinners cost £2.20 currently, there is likely to be a price increase from Dudley in Sept. Various drinks are available from 16p - 45p

Students of the Week W/c 17th July 2017

- Year 1 - Ruby H, Lorelai-Jazaine E
Year 2 - Imogen P, Bethany B
Year 3 - Lauren W
Year 4 - Connor K, Logan W
Year 5 - Ellie W, Chelsea L
Year 6 - Evan R, Brodie S

Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents/Carers,

And so ends 2016-17! What a year it has been. The school continues to go from strength the strength due to the fantastic teamwork of parents, staff and most importantly our amazing pupils. I am really very proud of our superb Year 6 pupils, they have been such an asset to the school for such a long time. I will really miss them all and wish them all the success in the world as they take their next step in their young lives.

Sadly we are also losing some staff this year. After 25 long years **Mrs Beesley** is retiring to spend more time with her children, grandchildren and many friends – and our beloved Wolves 🐺! Mrs Beesley is a 'Local Legend' and has taught many of our parents in years gone by. Her influence and impact is spread over 1200 pupils during her time here and I know how much love and affection there is for her. I would like to formally thank her for her many years of commitment and steadfast service to the school and its youngest pupils. She is simply irreplaceable.

We are also sadly losing **Mrs Spencer** in Nursery who has worked here for three years. She is moving to live nearer family in Newcastle and we thank her deeply for her hard work, commitment and enthusiasm over the last 3 years.

Miss Jones in Year 3 is also leaving us to move to live with family in Lancashire. She has worked in Year 3 and 4 for 4 years and has been an excellent member of our Netherbrook family. We wish her all the best in her future career and will really miss her.

We are also losing **Mrs Davenport** in the office. She has been appointed as Business Manager at The Ridge Primary School. We wish her all the best for her new role and thank her sincerely for the hard work and effort she has shown over the past 12 months.

Netherbrook's journey continues in September where we will be watching the building of our new Time for Twos centre take shape, see a new Year 6 chosen as prefects and Head Boy and Girl etc. We will be taking part in many and varied competitions, organising a new school council and continuing to develop and improve our partnership with parents. So I would like to thank you all for a great year and wish everyone all the best for a lovely relaxing summer break. We will see you all again on Wednesday 6th September at 8.45am. Take care.

100% Attendance Achievers, Sept 2016 - July 2017

- REC - Jack R, Skye S
Year 1 - Orla R, Lily S, Lily W, Mamadou B, Lily-Anne R
Year 2 - Ozine B, Thomas B, Cassie M, Kelsie W
Year 3 - Esther J
Year 4 - Chelsey K, Phoebe C, Samuel D, Alfie H
Year 5 - Angel P, James P, Lucas K, Olivia S, Caitlyn S
Year 6 - Hannah B, Kieran D, Kirsty D, Tapiwa M



Year 6 message

Thank you all for being so great. We are all so proud of you and we will miss you all deeply. Please come back and see us when you can. Work hard, have fun and remember where you have come from and where you want to go in life. You will do brilliantly.

From Mr Rawlings

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Dance Dep0

We now have a few spaces available for ages 3 - 6 to join our Dance group.

Classes run every Thursday 5.00pm - 5.45pm, £3 per session.

Please call the School if your child is interested in joining

TODDLER GROUP



Cole Street Methodist Church

Wednesday 1pm - 3pm
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We hope you have a lovely Summer Break and we will see you all back in September