# SANDFIELD CLOSE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2015 www.sandfieldclose.leicester.sch.uk @SandfieldClose

#### This week's news from Sandfield Close.

Health and Safety is Outstanding at Sandfield Close

This week the Health & Safety team from Leicester City Council visited the school to audit all aspects of health and safety. Our last audit was in 2013 when we were graded as Outstanding. We were delighted to be judged as having maintained our high standards and received an **Outstanding judgement** for the second time.



Thank you to our whole staff team for ensuring that all our children, staff and visitors are safe and secure.

## **Golden Rules for the half term holiday**

- ✓ Stay safe whatever you are doing.
- ✓ Be kind to your family and friends.
- ✓ Make sure you get some rest.
- ✓ Do something active and spend some time outdoors.
- ✓ Read lots of books.
- ✓ Have fun and enjoy yourselves.

And, if you see someone from Sandfield Close, remember to say "Hello!"

We look forward to seeing you all safely back at school on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October and hearing all your news.





## **Charity support**

The final total collected on our non-uniform day in support of Jeans for Genes Day and Wear it Pink for Breast Cancer was £266.41. The money will be divided between the two charities, with each receiving £133.21.



## **Cinema trips**

We have managed to secure tickets to take the whole school to the cinema again this year during the Into Film Youth Film Festival.

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> November Year 1

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November Year 6

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November Reception and Year 2

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5

Letters with more details will be sent home with the children.



# **Diwali and New Year arrangements**

As in previous years, Sandfield Close will remain open. One day's religious observance leave will be authorised provided that a leave request form is completed and returned to the office by Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at the latest. Please collect a form from the school office.



The kitchen will be cooking a special Diwali lunch on Wednesday  $11^{th}$  November. All children are welcome to join us. If your child does not usually have a school meal, please speak to the school office about booking.

Our Diwali assembly with Year 3 and Year 6 is on Friday  $6^{th}$  November. It will be a non-uniform day and there will be parties in the afternoon. If you would like to donate £1 we will be collecting money for Rainbows Children's Hospice.

# **Individual school photographs**

The photographer from Tempest will be in school on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> October to take individual portraits. Proofs and details of how to order will be sent home with the children.



#### **Sponsored fitness event**

Thank you to everyone who sent in sponsor money. The school office is in the process of checking and counting the money and we will let you know how much we raised in the next newsletter.



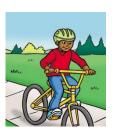
# **Children's Navratri Dancing**

Thank you to the PTA for organising Navratri dancing this week. All the children who took part enjoyed the session. Thank you to all the parents and staff who helped make the event a success.

PTA events rely on volunteers. Look out for details of future events and volunteer to get involved.



The cycle trainers were back in school again this week to develop children's skills and confidence. Thank you to all the Year 3 parents who managed to get their children's bikes to school. Sessions will be continuing in KS2 during the year.





# Tag Rugby coaching

The coach from Leicester Tigers delivered more coaching sessions with Year 5.

Two teams from Sandfield Close are out at Willowbrook Primary School this afternoon competing against teams from other primary schools.



The children in Year 1 were delighted to welcome so many visitors to their classroom last week. A total of £40 was raised in support of Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital. Thank you to all the parents and relatives who were able to join us.

## Have you registered with ParentMail?

As well as sending text reminders, we also use ParentMail to send e-mails to parents. Our weekly newsletter is e-mailed to parents every Friday afternoon. There are still some families who are not registered to receive e-mails. If you have any problems or queries relating to ParentMail please speak to Mrs Tailor.





#### **Halloween Cake Sale**

Calling all the talented bakers in our community. The PTA are organising a Halloween Cake Sale on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October. 3.00pm in the school hall. There will be chocolate splodge.



If you have any questions or are available to help out on the day please contact Tina Shah on 07854886998.

#### Next week's lunch menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Arad Bean Curry	Mixed Dhal Curry	Chick Pea & Potato	Toover Dhal	Paneer & Sweetcorn
Rice & Naan	Rice & Chapatti	Curry	Rice & Chapatti	Curry
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Cheese & Sweetcorn	Quorn Fillet			
Pizza	Roast or Creamed	Vegetable Nuggets	Gardeners	Cheese & Vegetable
Jacket Potato	Potatoes	Tomato Pasta	Shepherds Pie	Bake
			Crusty Bread	Chips
Ham & Mushroom	Gammon	Flaky Topped Chicken		·
Pizza	Roast or Creamed	Pie	Cheese Flan	Fish Goujons
Jacket Potato	Potatoes	Creamed Potatoes	Creamed Potatoes	Chips
Macaroni & Mince	Shepherds Pie	Breaded Salmon Fillet	Pork Meatballs in	Sweet & Sour Chicken
Gratin	Crusty Bread	Tomato Pasta	Spicy Tomato Sauce	Rice
Malted Baguette				
	Broccoli	Mixed Vegetables		Baked Beans
Coleslaw	Baked Beans	Sweetcorn	Carrots	Mushy or Garden Peas
Garden Peas	Mixed Salad	Mixed Salad	Broccoli	Mixed Salad
Mixed Salad			Mixed Salad	
	Fruit Salad	Lemon Muffin		Festival Shortcake
Custard Biscuit	Iced Sponge	Traybake	Fruit Crumble	Ice Cream
Apple Crumble Bar		Cherry Dot Cookie	& Custard	
			Chocolate Haystack	
White Bread	Brown Bread	White Bread		White Bread
	Parsley Sauce/Gravy	Gravy	Brown Bread	Tomato Sauce
Milk				Vinegar
Fruit	Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk
Yogurt	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit	Fruit
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For those of you who find it more convenient to pay dinner money in advance, the total for next half term is £68.25. If you have any queries about your child's dinner money account please contact the school office.

Hope your half term goes according to plan.