

Dear Parents/Carers,



Well done year 3 for leading our Harvest Festival, it was such a treat to hear the songs sung so beautifully and the children speaking so well. As always our behaviour was respectful in church, I was so proud of all of our children. Thank you for your donations of food for the food bank. That will be appreciated by many of the local community and families.

Please note that all children will need to be accompanied by an adult for the Halloween Disco, children cannot attend by themselves. Children can bring a change of clothes to change into at the end of the school day.



The Parent Governor election closes on Wednesday 18th October, please do apply for this if you are interested in helping us to continue to improve our school, we want Ladybridge to be the best school in the country! We would really love to have input from more parents, your views are very important to us.

We are saying a fond farewell to our lovely chicken Shelly, she is quite elderly for a chicken and since her sister Midge sadly passed away she has been very lonely. Chickens need to be with other chickens and we have managed to find her a home where there are several chickens, we think that she will be much happier in her new home.

Parents/Carers who use the carpark must apply for a carpark permit, please note that the carpark is only used by families who have a disabled blue badge for themselves or their child. The safety of the children must come first. Please pick up an application from reception, Resource families will automatically be given a permit. The carpark at All Hallows church can be used which is just across the road or the carpark for Adswold Park.

Please make sure that your children are on time for school, we have several children who are often late and this is really affecting their learning which begins promptly at 8.55 every day. We really want to get the best from every child and we can only do that if they are on time and ready to learn.

Children break up for half term on Thursday 19th October, we hope that you all have lovely break and look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 30th October.

Best wishes

Mrs Hill and Mr Bolan- Ashworth

Diary Dates

- Friday 20th October – INSET day for teachers and support staff
- Monday 30th October – children return to school
- Monday 30th October- 3.30 Halloween Disco
- Tuesday 7th November – School Nurse drop in
- Friday 10th November – Non school uniform day for donations for the Christmas fair
- Friday 17th November – Non school uniform day for donation for the Christmas fair
- Tuesday 21st November – 3.30 until 6.00 Parent consultations
- Thursday 23rd November - 3.30 until 6.00 Parent consultations
- Monday 27th November – Flu vaccination
- Friday 1st December – Christmas fair 3.30 – 5.30
- Wednesday 6th December – Christmas dinner day and Christmas Jumper day
- Monday 12th December – 9.30 Key stage 1 nativity dress rehearsal
- Wednesday 13th December – 2.00 KS1 nativity performance
- Thursday 14th December – 9.30 EYFS Dress rehearsal for Christmas Sing-a-long
- Friday 15th December – 2.30 EYFS Christmas sing-a-long
- Wednesday 20th December – All Hallows Carol Service
- Thursday 21st December – Christmas parties/children break up from school
- Friday 22nd December – INSET day for teachers and support staff

This Week our Class Captains are:

Mrs Woodworth – Noor, for always aiming high in her work and improvement in her handwriting.

Miss Evans – Corey, for aiming high in his work this week and his fantastic singing in the harvest assemblies.

Mrs Burke – Lottie, for always being respectful and following all of our school rules.

Miss Brownrigg – Leo, for aiming high in all aspects of school.

Mrs Davies – Muhammed, for trying hard to show respect all week.

Miss Irving – Hazel, for aiming high across all subjects.

Mrs Parker – Zayyan, for good contributions about 3D shapes in group topic maths

This week Mrs Hill's award goes to Willow for aiming high in orchestra

Mr Bolan-Ashworth's award goes to Blake for being helpful and respectful when I was struggling with a door stop.

Mrs Burke's class won the best attendance this with 95.4%, well done year 3.

Children will be given a treat for being on-time for school every day and for 97% - 100% attendance each week. Please ensure that children arrive at school before the bell goes at 8.55 each day.

Good attendance is vitally important for all children in order for them to make good progress.

Please ensure that your child is in school on time every day.

School Uniform

There will be termly rewards for children who consistently wear the correct school uniform from September. Children must not wear sportswear of any kind. May I also remind parents that children should be wearing black school shoes. Trainers can be worn during playtime and lunchtime, but these must come to school in a separate bag and be stored in lockers.

PE Kits

PE kits are provided by school for all children from year 1 to 6, parents only need to provide pumps or trainers. PE kits will be washed regularly (as needed) by school in non-biological liquid. If you do not wish to use a school PE kit please let your class teacher know and provide a PE kit for your child.

Year 5 will have swimming on Monday each week, all other classes from year 1 to 6 will have two lessons each week where PE kits are used.

The school website address is www.ladybridge.stockport.sch.uk

The school twitter address is @LadybridgePS

The school phone number is 0161 428 5445

The school text number is 0161 850 1262

School uniform can be ordered from <https://mcsstores.co.uk/>