



Stubbins
Primary School

Newsletter

Thursday 12th October 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week it was wonderful to see a school full of yellow as we marked #helloyellow World Mental Health Awareness day. As I walked around the school, it was super to hear the discussions being held in class in relation to mental health. Not only is it great for children to understand the importance of looking after our health in all its forms but also in reducing stigma related to mental health illness. The Anna Freud institute is a great website offering advice and guidance for parents who may need it- [World Mental Health Day 2023: Talking to friends and family first step to improve wellbeing rights | Anna Freud](#)

October 's core value is that of courage. Each Friday we are awarding one child who has demonstrated the core value in the school environment. We have also begun to award pupils who are showing the core values during the lunchtime period in the form of a lunchtime VIP. Children who receive the "Courage" award will receive a certificate and those who receive the Lunchtime VIP award, receive a sticker and are invited to sit at a special table in the dining hall with a friend during lunch. Even better- they do not have to queue up with everyone else! I have adjusted the way this is presented on the newsletter this week as I am aware this has caused some confusion in the last few weeks- apologies for this!

We have had some lovely feedback from parents about how the promotion of core values has impacted children's lives at home. One such message was from Emmy's mum in Year 4, who has commented on how the new values have prompted Emmy into retrying a skill at home which she had been reluctant to keep practising- well done Emmy- keep riding that bike!

We have also introduced a Dojo award. This is for the top scoring dojo winners in each class. These parents have not been invited to assembly, purely because of numbers- in some classes some weeks there has been a 6 way tie at the top of their leaderboard!

Please may I ask that if you have a child booked onto a club after school and they will not be attending for any reason, please can you let us know so that we are clear on who should be in clubs and who is ok to be dismissed at the end of the day.

As a final note, we are now featured in Tesco in Ramsbottom's Stronger Start poll. If you visit the store, please do get voting with the blue tokens- please spread the word to friends and family to ask for their support. We are currently being beaten by Woodhey- Every little helps 😊

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Cromey

Awards- Courage

Parents and carers of these children may join us in assembly tomorrow morning at 9am.

Year R: Bailey Thompson

Year 1: Lana Haque

Year 2: Hunter Gower

Year 3: Freya Peers-Holland

Year 4: Jack Marcroft

Year 5: Sebastian Hall

Year 6: Harry Loftus

Awards- Lunchtime VIP

Parents and carers of these children may join us in assembly tomorrow morning at 9am.

Year R: Jim Havers

Year 1: Teddy Rouine

Year 2: Kylah Iddon

Year 3: Suleman Hussain

Year 4: Eve Wright

Year 5: Elliott Davies

Year 6: Harry Heywood

Vouchers!

If you are in receipt of free school meals, you will receive a voucher for over the half term holidays.

If you are unsure whether you are entitled to a free school meal, you can check at [Free school meals - Lancashire County Council](#)

We are continuing our annual Harvest festival collection. We are collecting this year for Ramsbottom Pantry who provide a great support to many families in the local area. We welcome donations of packets and tins over the next few weeks which we will forward.

Dates for your diary!

Friday 13th October Netball Club

Monday 16th October 3.15pm Year 3 and 4 football @The Valley

Monday 16th October Reception Scarecrow singalong- Harvest 3pm

Tuesday 17th October 2023 Choir

Wednesday 18th October 2023 PGL

Thursday 19th October PGL

Friday 20th October PGL

Friday 20th October Flu vaccinations

Friday 20th October- Finish for half term- NO NETBALL

Monday 30th October Y6 Flu vaccinations

Tuesday 31st October Year 2 and 3 Football @The Valley

Tuesday 31st October 2023 Choir

Thursday 2nd November 2023 Fencing Taster Day KS2

Thursday 2nd November 2023 Autumn Disco

Friday 3rd November Y2 Fire safety talk

Friday 3rd November Y6 Road safety talk

Friday 3rd November Netball Club

