



MILTON CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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November 16th 2007

Number

8

Dear Parents/Carers

Phonics Session 19th November

Please can I remind Foundation Stage / Year 1 parents of the phonics session Mr Taylor is running on Monday at 2.30pm It will be held in Class 3. Entry will be via the main entrance in Humphries Way or through the fire door directly into Class 3. Please can I remind you that this session is not suitable for pre-school children.

School Photographs

Van Cols will be collecting proofs on Monday 26th November 2007. In order that we can have everything ready and checked, please make sure pupils return the proofs with payment by Friday 23rd November. Please note: **Only return proofs if you are ordering a photograph.**

Tesco Computer Vouchers

A big thank you to everyone who collected the Tesco Computer Vouchers for the school. All your hard work has enabled the school to buy the following:

- Laptop Computer
- Digital Camcorder
- 10 pairs PC speakers

60 pairs Stereo headphones to use with the Laptop trolleys.

Samuel

Samuel (Class 13) was recently selected (via a trials process) from amongst over 100 of the region's young Colts Mini League footballers to represent the Cambridgeshire Colts Under 11's at County level. Samuel has been a Milton player right through from Under 7 and remains a mainstay of the current Milton 11-a-side squad. He will now train with both squads and play a variety of matches at County level throughout the remainder of the season. Well-done Samuel.

Christmas Lunch

I know it is early to start thinking of Christmas but it is creeping up on us fast!

Christmas lunch will be on 18th December. All children may have a Christmas lunch even if they normally have a packed lunch. The cost is £1.85 – payable by **Tuesday 4th December**. Since the food has to be ordered well in advance, **late payments cannot be accepted.** Unfortunately, a few children are disappointed every year because payment is sent in late. Please send in the slip overleaf with the correct money in a **named** envelope to the class teacher. (Please complete even if your child usually has a school meal). The menu is:

Roast Turkey, Sausage, Stuffing & Gravy

Roasted Vegetable Lasagne

Roast & Duchesse Potatoes

Selection of Seasonal Vegetables

A range of Festive Desserts

Yours sincerely

S.J.Dorrington

Head Teacher

European links for Milton School

Last week, I travelled to France for an Anglo-French schools conference supported by the British Council. Teachers from Histon and Impington, Oakington and Girton Glebe schools were there, supported by our French teacher, Mr. Hicks, as well as teachers from other schools up and down the country. I was really lucky to have the opportunity to visit a primary school in France and to note the similarities and differences in our education systems. The main goal for the visit was to create a partnership with a school in France and, from this, to have a real audience for our French language learning.

I can now happily inform you that we have a link with Jules Verne Ecole Primaire in Laval, a town south west of Paris. I am now waiting to hear back from the school before the children start communicating in what promises to be an exciting new partnership.

Mrs Cutts (Y5 teacher)

MSA Christmas Fayre Thurs 29th November 2007 from 5.45 to 8.30pm

With just 13 days to go to the Christmas Fayre we are still very short on parent volunteers to help on stalls - we have over 100 half hour slots to fill! We really do rely on you to make this big fund raising event a success so if you can help, but haven't got round to filling out the slip please do so. Alternatively, give the school office a ring on 508783 and leave a message, or see me in the Key Stage 2 playground after school to volunteer.

Many thanks **Debbie Karram Rota Co-ordinator**

Create for Christmas

Try your hand at a range of festive crafts, enjoy mulled wine and mince pies and make new friends. Monday 26 November 19:30 - 21:30 in All Saints Church Hall. For men, women and accompanied young people (11+) Tickets (£4): 01223 441007 or office@allsaintsmilton.org.uk **Pay on the night but please book by 19/11/07 to help with planning**

.....PLEASE RETURN TO THE SCHOOL BY FRIDAY ^{4th} DECEMBER.....

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Name _____ Class _____

I would like to have a Christmas Lunch and have enclosed £1.85 total

I would like the Vegetarian Option

I usually have a school meal

Please make cheques payable to Milton Primary School