

2<sup>nd</sup> November 2021

### Welcome Back!

We hope you have all had a super half term break and are refreshed and ready for another busy term ahead. There is a lot happening, so please ensure you check the website newsletter page and you are signed up for the MarvellousMe app too as we are going paperless with the newsletter to help our planet at the request from our Eco Club children.



### Diwali Day and Disco

We will be celebrating Diwali across the school **THIS Thursday**. As this is a special day for many of our families, please come dressed in your party clothes with shoes that will withstand playtime on the field/ playground. If you are making special Diwali snacks for your family, you are welcome to send some into school for your child's class, it must be vegetarian AND nut free. The children will also spend some time in our Diwali Disco in school time, not after school as previously mentioned and so will not need to bring a £1.00

### Parents Evening

You will get a slip home this week asking you to sign up for a meeting with your child's class teacher next week after school, either **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 3.35pm to 4.45pm** or **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 3.35pm to 5.55pm**. Please return the slip by FRIDAY so that a time can be allocated and returned to you.

The meetings will be face to face in the classroom. You can come a few minutes early to look through the books your child has been working on and see all their fabulous work. You will be asked to enter through the fire door and wait at the back of the class, only two families at a time. Please bring a facemask to wear in the classroom, some teachers may ask you to wear it. Thank you, it will be great to talk about how well your child is doing and how you can help at home.

### Science Workshop Day – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November

As we start our learning this term, children in Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 have the fabulous opportunity to participate in some science workshops led by a scientist in school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Please send your child with £2.00 on the day, to support with the cost of this exciting opportunity.

### Exotic Animal Roadshow – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November

As we start our learning this term, children in Y1 and Y2 will have an amazing time at the Exotic Animal Roadshow that is visiting school Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November, please send your child with £2.00 on the day to support with the cost of this super first hand learning experience



### Children IN Need 2021

This year Children in Need day is Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021. We will be collecting pennies for Pudsey on the day and children can come dressed as Pudsey Bear or in anything spotty!



We are supporting this charity for Christmas, providing bags of Christmas gifts to underprivileged children, please bring any donations to the school office, Many thanks

### Diary Dates

Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	<b>Diwali Party Day /Disco</b> Wear your party clothes to Celebrate! If you would like to bring some Diwali party food in - no nuts and vegetarian only.
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> November	Year Six residential – see separate letters
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	Science Workshops for Y3,4,5 and 6  After school clubs start this week
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	4 Delegates from Hogarth School will be attending the Nottingham City Children’s Parliament to discuss climate change with council members – a fantastic honor!
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> November Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Evenings for all classes
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	Year Six children will be visiting the Mosque at the Islamic Centre, Curzon St Nottingham as part of our RE Curriculum- see separate letter.
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Exotic Animal Visitors for Year One and Two as part of their science learning this term.
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Day
Week beginning 13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Productions will be planned for this week. More information will follow in the next newsletter.  Christmas Dinner will be on Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December – please book a dinner for your child ,if they don’t usually have one !  Christmas Party Day , Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2021.  School closes for the Christmas break Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December and reopens on Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2022

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