

Dear Parents,

We have had such a busy start to the school year already!

Our new reception classes have settled in beautifully, our year one and two classes are off to Fleetwood Museum this week, year 3 and 4 have had a visit from owls and hawks and year 5 and 6 have been to Williamson Park! We have also had a singing day and a languages day all in the first month!

We have a number of events coming up

### **Harvest Festival**

At this time of year, we like to think of others and we collect donations of tins and packets to give to the food bank. Each class will have a donation box in the outdoor area at the beginning and end of the day and we would like all children to bring in one item of food that we can take to the Mustard Seed group which supports families in Fleetwood. Thank you for your support.

### **Harvest Lunch**

Our wonderful chef Paulo is making a special treat Harvest Lunch on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** so any children who are usually on packed lunches may order a meal on that day. It's a great chance to give school meals a try!

### **Parents Evening – Week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> October**

Appointments can be made through the App. ***If you do not have access to the App, please contact the office and they will make an appointment for you.*** Please try to attend to find out how your child is doing in school and how you can support them with their learning at home.

### **PTFA meeting**

The first PTFA meeting of the year will be on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 6.00pm. Our after school club will be providing free child care if you need to bring your children but please let us know if you need to book a place. We are particularly looking forward to welcoming any new parents or parents who haven't been before. We will be planning the Halloween Discos, but any other ideas for fundraising or social events would be very welcome!

### **Open Day**

If you know anyone who has a child due to start school in September, please let them know about our open day on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October. We have two sessions, one during school time 9.30-11.00am and one later in the day at 5.00-6.00pm. Everyone is welcome!!

### **REMINDERS**

- Please can I remind you that the children should not use the front door unless they are late, in which case they need to sign in, or a special arrangement has been made with school. Children have been using the entrance as a short cut and it is becoming very congested in the mornings.
- There are spare coats by the front door if any child needs one. These have been in lost property since last year and have no names in them
- We already have a pile of cardigans and jumpers which have been lost this year. None of them have names in so cannot be returned. Please can you make sure your child has all of their clothes CLEARLY labelled.