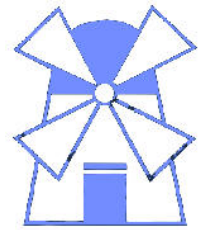


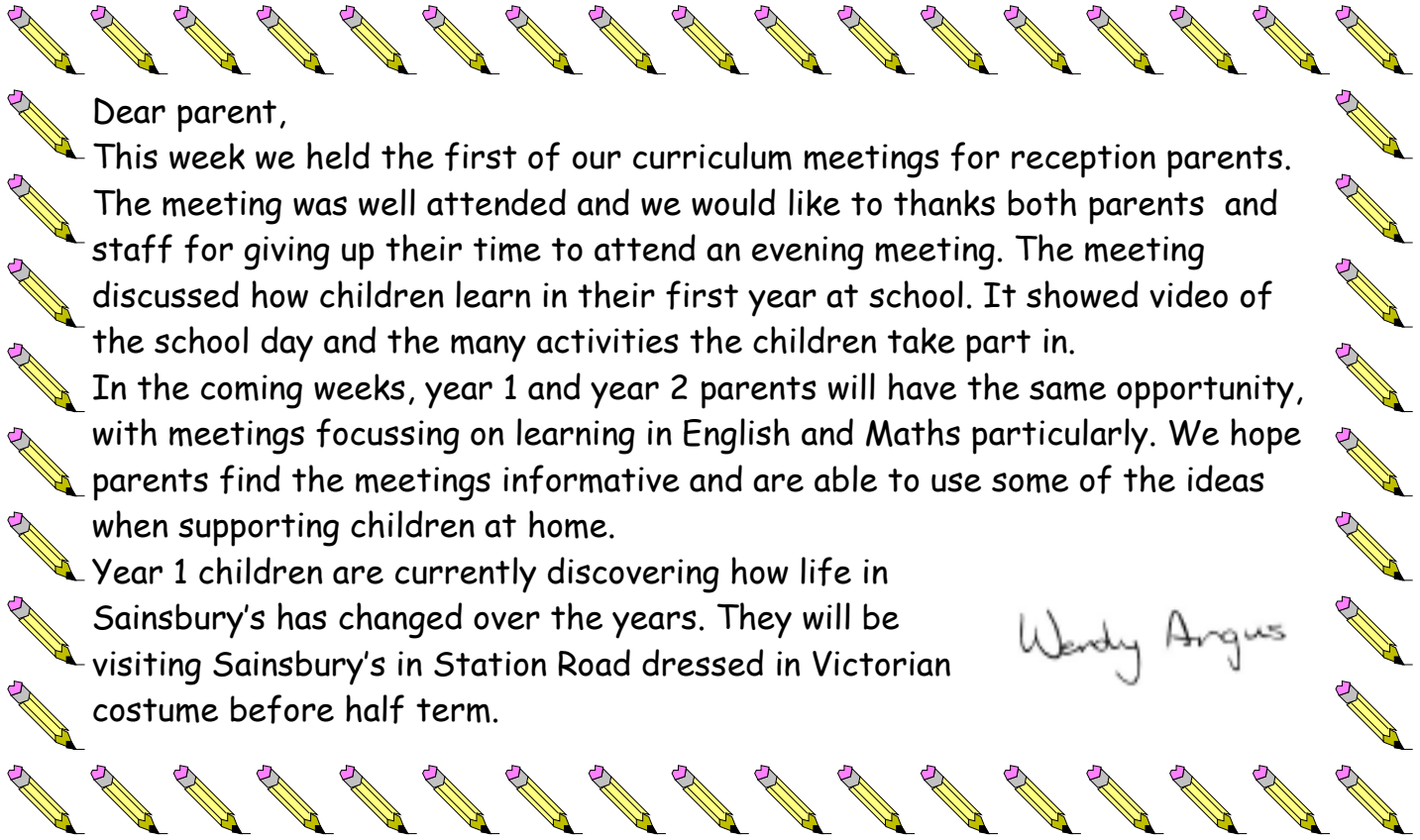


Little Miller's News



The Newsletter of Fulwell Infant School Mrs Angus's message...

Number 3
12th October 2012



Dear parent,

This week we held the first of our curriculum meetings for reception parents.

The meeting was well attended and we would like to thank both parents and staff for giving up their time to attend an evening meeting. The meeting discussed how children learn in their first year at school. It showed video of the school day and the many activities the children take part in.

In the coming weeks, year 1 and year 2 parents will have the same opportunity, with meetings focussing on learning in English and Maths particularly. We hope parents find the meetings informative and are able to use some of the ideas when supporting children at home.

Year 1 children are currently discovering how life in Sainsbury's has changed over the years. They will be visiting Sainsbury's in Station Road dressed in Victorian costume before half term.

Wendy Angus

School attendance figures...



ATTENDANCE

Parents are politely reminded that attendance at school is monitored. Our school attendance has been historically very good. However, in July 2012, our % attendance dropped to 95.5% for the academic year 2011-2012.

Children are encouraged each week, through the award of Spike to the class with the highest attendance.

Whilst we appreciate that young children are often poorly, and must be off school whilst ill, we would encourage parents to send them back to school as soon as they have recovered.

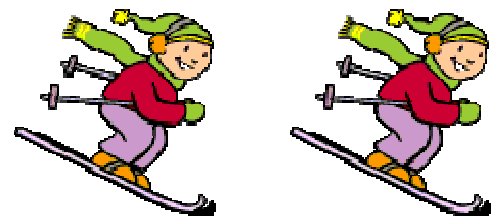
Holidays are always an issue for school attendance. Again, wherever possible, please take holidays in official school holidays..

Many thanks for your support.

Skiing Lessons

Sebastian Kedziora in class 6 would like to know if any of his friends would like to join him at Silksworth Ski slope for lessons. Information is available by clicking on the link below.

www.visitsunderland.com/documents/ssclearntoskileaflet.pdf



Trip into town

Devan Dixon and Lexi Roper, both from class 7, travelled by taxi to Tesco's Sunderland to an event recognising our participation in the voucher collection scheme. Mrs Shadforth went with them.

They had a great time—you can see them waiting to go in the taxi! They brought some gifts and sweets back to school that they are sharing between the classes.



As we move towards academy status, this update is just to let you know that your elected members of the governing body will transfer to the academy trust for the duration of their term of office. Your parent governors are:

Kathryn Graham until September 2012
 Laura Middleton until December 2015
 Lorraine Scott until December 2015
 Louise Kennedy until July 2014

If you have any comments to make, please contact me at school.

Coming Events:

17th October 6pm phonics, reading and maths meeting.
 25th October Harvest festival
 26th October School finishes

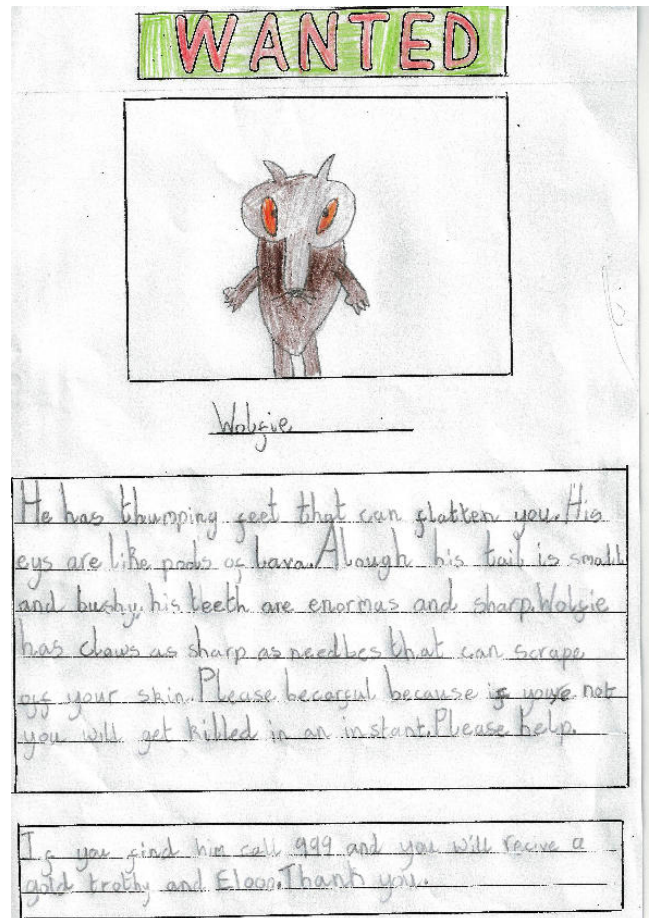
25th Banner

19th October 2-3pm Banner group meet
 26th October 2-3pm Banner group meet

Please join us if you have time to spare.

Year 2

Little Red Riding Hood Be ware of the wolf...



Gina Class 3

October Birthdays (up to 26th)

Congratulations children. We hope you have a very enjoyable day!

Devan Dixon
 Gina Elliott
 Harrison Hardy
 Jessica Leonard
 Alexander Rowlings
 Skye Hamblin
 Skye Price
 Anis Sarhani
 Ava Whittingham
 Ava Hall
 Thomas Davie
 Ella Kempster
 Lily Kempster
 Oscar Dockwray

