



# NEWSLETTER

## **Autumn Disco**

Thank you to FOLS for organising a fantastic evening and Jamie and Holly's dad for the disco. We made a brilliant £229.98 profit as well, which is a great boost to FOLS funds. If you would like to be part of planning the next events or have any great ideas, come along to the next FOLS meeting at 7pm on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November at the Royal Oak. We are also looking for some star raffle prizes as we are hoping to sell our raffle tickets wider than just school. If you know anyone who would donate something special... then please let us know.

## **Operation Christmas Child**

Thank you so much to all those families who have made a box. We haven't had a date for collection yet, so if you still want to do one you have a couple of days to get it in.

## **After School Fun Club and homework**

We are sending a separate letter to children who regularly attend After school fun Club to let parents know that as part of Fun Club, children will be able to complete homework, have access to the computers for Mathematics and use the library. If you would like a copy of this letter, please ask Wendy.

## **Our new App**

Wendy tells me that the App is now working and parents that I have spoken to who have downloaded it are saying that it is really useful. Over the page, I will copy the information about downloading it, in case you missed it the first time.

## **Open afternoons this week!**

We are having open afternoons, particularly for parents looking for a school for their child going into Reception or Nursery next September. These are Monday 6<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November. Parents can bring their children and spend the afternoon in our Early Years class. Please remind friends and neighbours.

## **Parent governor**

We need a new parent governor. This is a really important role in school and particularly important that parents' views are represented. You would be joining a really committed team. I will be sending a separate letter, but if you would like to know more, please speak to me or to Becky Davies, parent governor.

## **PTO for APP details**

**Please see the website calendar and App for dates. Keep checking this term.....there is lots on!**

Best wishes,

*Sarah Coleman*



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Dear Parents/Carers

## Re: OurSchoolsApp

To make our communication with you easier, quicker and more efficient, we have introduced a new app service to the school.

OurSchoolsApp is a personalised app for our school and will allow us to keep you all updated with school information, news, calendar events and contact information.

If you have a smartphone (Android or iPhone) you can download OurSchoolsApp from Google Play Android or the Apple Store for FREE. Access is also available on a tablet and iPad by following the same download process.

When we update OurSchoolsApp with new information or news about the school, a push message notification will automatically be sent to your device to inform you of this update. You can then view the notification which will then take you directly to our app.

### Instructions for download:

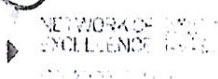
1. Using your device (iPad, iPhone, smart pad, tablet or android phone), visit the relevant marketplace for your product (Apple Store or Google Play).
2. Search for 'OurSchoolsApp' and download the app.
3. Once downloaded, use the search bar within the app and enter the postcode or the name of the school.
4. Hit the search button.
5. Once you see the school name displayed, just touch the screen on the school name.
6. Confirm your choice by pressing 'OK'.
7. You will now be presented with the correct app for your chosen school which contains news, information, calendar events, contacts and any other relevant details.

Would you let me know if you think this app will be useful? You will be able to open up newsletters directly to your mobile device instead of having to look at the website and calendar notifications should come automatically. If you would like to see other items on the app let me know and I will endeavour to link them.

Many thanks



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