

CLINTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

FRIDAY ASSEMBLIES

As always, please join us any Friday morning at 9.00am.

BBC CHILDREN IN NEED APPEAL –

Thank you for supporting our non-uniform day and for your donations. We're able to donate £185 to the appeal, thanks to your generosity.

CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS – YR-Y2 AND Y3/Y4

This is to remind you that we need your ticket requests tomorrow. Please send yours in if you haven't done so already.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

These are being sent home today.

RECEPTION CLASS OPEN AFTERNOON

There will be an open afternoon for parents on Tuesday 27th November, from 2.30 pm. Please come along if you can to look round the classroom and share what your child has been learning. We know that not all parents will be able to get here because of work commitments; you're welcome to send a grandparent or other family member instead if that's a possibility for you.

SCHOOL COUNCIL WACKY HAIR DAY!

School Council have asked me to let you know that they are planning a 'wacky hair day' on Friday 14th December. Your children should wear school uniform as normal, but their hair can be as weird and wonderful as they want! In return, School Council are asking each child to bring £1 for the School Council Fund, to be used for the benefit of all the children at Clinton. Thank you!

2018 PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE

You should have received a copy of the results of the Governors' questionnaire by email earlier this week. Thank you for your responses to this.

SCHOLASTIC HALF PRICE BOOK FAIR

Please see the attached letter – we'd love to have your support for this event. It's a great opportunity to buy the 'released in time for Christmas' new titles at half price, plus lots of other popular books and stationery items. All children visiting the fair will have their names entered in a prize draw to win one of five book tokens being donated by Scholastic.

ANTI-BULLYING POLICY MEETING 29TH NOVEMBER

This is a reminder about this meeting from 7.30 – 8.30 pm on Thursday next week. Letters were emailed on Friday last week. Please let us know by email if you'd like to attend. Thank you.

BAG 2 SCHOOL

Please look out for information and bags coming home very soon.

RECEPTION AND Y6 HEIGHT AND WEIGHT CHECKS

Parents of children in these year groups should have received an email yesterday about these checks. Please note all children will be checked unless you opt out.

CHANGE4LIFE & DRAMA /PHYSICAL THEATRE CLUBS

There will be no Change4Life club on Thursday 6th December. This is also a reminder that no Drama and Physical Theatre club is planned for Friday 7th December because of the Christmas Fair that evening.

CHRISTINGLE CANDLE COLLECTING BOXES

Once again we've been asked to hand these out in the hope of raising funds for the Children's Society and the important work they do supporting children and families. We only have a limited number, so we're sending these home with KS1 children. If anyone else would like to make a donation you are very welcome to do so – KS2 children could always decorate an envelope or create their own collecting box! Donations can be handed back to school or can be taken to the Christingle Service at St Nicholas' Church on Sunday 9th December at 10.00 am.

CHATHEALTH PARENT LINE

Warwickshire School Health & Wellbeing Service and Warwickshire Young People Substance Misuse Service has launched a new way for parents and carers of school aged children to get confidential advice and support about child health related issues. ChatHealth is an award-winning school nurse messaging service and is available Monday to Friday from 9am to 5pm. There will be automatic bounce-back responses to incoming messages out of hours. Answering the text message will be a nurse who can assist with any queries about general health, child development, behaviour, toileting and emotional health and wellbeing issues. The text number is **07520 619376**.

The opportunity to discuss any health issues relating to your child is always available and the School Health and Wellbeing Service can be contacted on 03300 245 204.

TEEM CLINTON NEWS FROM SIMONE ROYLE

There will be a **non-uniform day next Friday, 30th November** In exchange for wearing their own choice of outfit, please could children or parents bring in any of the following for our stalls at the Christmas fair:

- Year R and 1 – Items for an adult tombola (any unwanted unopened items e.g. make up, chocolates, a hairdryer, a bottle of fizz, stationery – the choice is yours)
- Year 2 and 3 - Toys for a soft toy/children's tombola
- Years 4, 5 and 6 - Bottles (shampoo, wine, soft drinks... anything in a bottle) for pull a bottle

Please note that children should not be sent in with bottles of alcohol for the pull a bottle – please drop these off at the office instead. Any other items can be dropped off here too. The children will be doing Christmas crafts on Friday 30th so please be aware that clothes may get glue/paint on them (hopefully not!).

Many thanks, Simone Royle (TEEM Clinton Chair)

Yours sincerely,

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HEADTEACHER