



Stalham Infant & Pre-School

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Newsletter for Friday 28th September 2018

Harvest Festival: For our Harvest Assembly we will be collecting food donations for the Foodbank at Tesco who then donate it to the local Foodbanks for people who are struggling. If you can help with this worthwhile cause, please bring in any of the items detailed on the little Foodbank hand-out to help these families in crisis. Your kindness is very much appreciated. The Harvest Assembly itself will be held at **9:15 on Thursday 11th October** at the Stalham Baptist Church. We hope you can be there to join in the celebrations. Many thanks.



Special Themed Lunch : On **Thursday 4th October** Norse are offering the children a Street Food Thursday Themed Lunch. The kitchen will be serving Meatball subs with chips and dips. Look out for the menu's around the school to see the details in full. There is no need to pre-order for this.



Meet and Greet : On **Thursday 11th October at 2:15pm** our new Executive Head Teacher Mrs Mules is holding a meet and greet session to welcome all parents. Please come along to have a chat and feel free to ask questions or raise concerns that you have about the children, the school or some of the policies and processes that we follow. Or just come along to say hello. This session will be held in the School Hall.



PTFA: The PTFA are holding their Annual General Meeting (AGM) on **Thursday 1st November at 7:00pm**. The more people that can join in, the more we can do for the children in this school. Everyone is welcome, not just parents, but other family members too. Without the PTFA there are no funds for school trips, classroom parties, Christmas discos Foxes leavers presents. So it makes a big difference to the children if you can help with this. Please come along and help make a difference. Location TBC. Thank you.



EDP Sports Vouchers – Can you help us?

We are delighted to be taking part in the EDP Books for Schools Tokens scheme. The EDP have a campaign starting up which will see schools collect tokens to win a share of a **£20,000** books to share cash pot. Special tokens will be printed in every edition of these newspapers and we need to collect as many of these vouchers as possible from as many people as possible!. For every 1000 vouchers we get £100 worth of books. Collection point is in the office.



Gymnastics After School Club: This will take place 3pm – 4:30pm every Tuesday until half-term. This club is now full. When collecting your child from after school clubs, please use the iron gate into the playground and be prompt. Thank you.



Do you have a child who will be 5 between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020?

If so, your child could start school next September and you should complete and return an application form to Norfolk County Council by 15th January 2019. Families should receive an application pack through the post in September/October. Application forms can be obtained from the Council Customer Service Centre on 0344 800 8020 or apply on line at www.admissionsonline.norfolk.gov.uk If you already have a child at school, please do not assume that no further action is required on your part. You still have to apply for a place in the normal way.

DINNERS for Stalham Infant School w/c Monday 1st October 2018:

Subject to alteration

Week 1 of 4

Meal	Meat-Free-Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pasta	Cheese Pasta Bake	Sausages with Yorkshire pudding and Gravy	Meatball sub with Grated Cheese	Breaded Fish Fingers
Option 2 (veggie)	Cheese and Tomato Pasta	Vegetable Risotto	Quorn Sausages with Yorkshire pudding and Gravy	Vegetarian sub with grated cheese	Chickpea fritter
Served with	Pasta salad	Carrots and sweetcorn	Mashed Potato, Broccoli and Cauliflower	Chips and dips & corn on the cob	Chips and Garden Peas or Beans
Dessert	Chocolate Brownie	Waffles with Chocolate sauce	Ice-cream tub	Mini ring doughnut with jam sauce	Shortbread biscuit
School Packed Lunch	Cheese Roll Carrot Batons Cucumber Sticks Apple Wedges Ice-cream tub Fruit Drink	Egg Mayo Roll Popcorn Fruit Bag Brownie Fruit Drink	Tuna sandwich Cheese Bar Vegetable batons Fruit Salad Pot Fruit Drink	Sorry no packed lunches!	Cheese Topped Pasta Pot Cucumber sticks Fruit Bag Peach Cupcake Fruit Drink
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato with Beans & Crunchy Salad	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Crunchy Salad	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise & Crunchy Salad	Sorry no spuds today!	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Crunchy Salad

Dates for your Diaries:

Thursday 4 th October	midday	Street Food Special lunch
Thursday 11 th October	9:15am	Harvest festival assembly at the Baptist Church
Wednesday 17 th October	ALL DAY	Non-uniform Day (£1 donation)
Thursday 1 st November	7pm	PTFA AGM – venue TBC
Mon 5 th & Tues 6 th November	3:15 onwards	Parents Evening*
Friday 16 th November	ALL DAY	Children in Need*
Thursday 22 nd November	9am	School Photographer in*
Thursday 29 th November	TBC	Flu vaccination available to all pupils
Friday 14 th December	ALL DAY	Christmas Jumper Day (£1 donation)*
Friday 14 th December	9:15am	Christmas Performance at the Baptist Church*
Friday 14 th December	midday	Christmas Dinner*
Tuesday 18 th December	ALL DAY	Non-uniform Day (£1 donation)

* More details to follow

School Term Dates for your calendars:

Term	Start Date	End Date	Half term dates
Autumn 2018	Thursday 6 th September	Tuesday 18 th December	Thursday 18 th October – Friday 26 th October
Spring 2019	Thursday 3 rd January	Friday 5 th April	Mon 18 th February – Friday 22 nd February
Summer 2019	Tuesday 23 rd April	Wednesday 24 th July	Mon 27 th May – Friday 31 st May Monday 6 th May – BANK HOLIDAY

New Pre-School Fees (for non-funded pupils)

Session	Times	Fees
Morning	8:45am to 11:15am	£8.00
Lunch	11:15am to 12:15pm	£3.00
Afternoon	12:15pm to 2:45pm	£8.00

Remember: You can always ask for a copy of the newsletter in the school office if you need one.

Next Newsletter due out: Friday 5th October 2018