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**24<sup>th</sup> October 2014**

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am sure you will agree that we have had a really busy half term. The children have had many excellent opportunities which support their learning. You can view pictures of these activities on the school website. Below you will find a reminder of the dates for the next half term. These dates are also on the website, hopefully they will not change, but sometimes we have no choice in the matter.

I would like to say a big thank you to Mrs Edwards for organising a fantastic Dinosaur Maths Week and Mrs Mavin for all her hard work in organising Inter-Faith Day. Both were excellent experiences.

Can I take this opportunity to thank you for your donations to the Harvest Festival; these will be donated to the church to distribute in the community.

When we return after the week's holiday can I remind you that children should not be dropped off before 8:50am as there is no supervision on the yard. If children are dropped off early and put into breakfast club, there will be a charge for this.

For safeguarding reasons can children use the children's entrance and parents the parent entrance. Only parents dropping children off in our Early Years classroom should be in school. If you have a message for a teacher or you would like to speak to a teacher, or drop something off into school, you can do so by speaking to Sofia on the reception desk. Unfortunately there are too many adults walking around school on a morning and this can lead to safeguarding issues. I know you will be supportive and pass this message on to grandparents, aunties and uncles etc. as it is your children we want to ensure are safe in school.

All children entitled to free school meals will automatically receive a packed lunch if they are going out of school and need a one. Only children in Key Stage 2 who pay for their lunches will need to order a packed lunch if they would like one from school. A pro-forma will be attached to any letters where needed. Please ensure you return any pro-formas before the cut-off date.

Please find below dates for your diary:

26 <sup>th</sup> October:	School stall at Frosterley Village Hall- Autumn Fair
12 <sup>th</sup> November:	Team 3 coffee morning and assembly, all welcome ( 10:10am)
13 <sup>th</sup> November:	Parents Evening- 2:30pm-5:45pm (last appointment 5:45)
14 <sup>th</sup> November:	Christmas school stall at Wolsingham Christmas Market
19 <sup>th</sup> November:	Team 1 and EYFS coffee morning and assembly,all welcome (10:10am)
24 <sup>th</sup> November:	Christmas Fair activities- All welcome to help- 1:pm-3:30pm
26 <sup>th</sup> November:	Team 2 coffee morning and assembly, all welcome ( 10:10am)
28 <sup>th</sup> November:	School Christmas Fair at School Hall- 3:00pm-5:00pm
5 <sup>th</sup> December:	KS1/KS2 Gymnastics Festival at Frosterley 9:30am-11:45am
6 <sup>th</sup> December:	School stall at Frosterley Village Hall Christmas Fair
8 <sup>th</sup> December:	Simbad the Jolly Sailor pantomime at Frosterley Village Hall 1:30pm-3:30pm
12 <sup>th</sup> December:	Carol Service- chapel 1:30pm
16 <sup>th</sup> December:	Christmas Play - School Hall 6pm
17 <sup>th</sup> December:	Christmas Lunch-12:00noon
18 <sup>th</sup> December:	Whole school party
18 <sup>th</sup> December:	End of term
05 <sup>th</sup> January 2015:	Return to school

Toddler group takes place every Thursday morning at 9:30am in the hall and outdoor area, cost £1.50, please come along.

Hope you all have a safe and enjoyable holiday.

Yours sincerely

**Ms S Rogan**  
**Head Teacher**

