

## Wednesday 20th October 2021

## Dear Parents/Carers



## Pumpkin Carving Competition

Don't forget to start carving your pumpkin ready to be judged on Friday 22nd October. Just £1 per entry on Parent Pay or cash on the on .

There is a hamper of Halloween goodies up for grabs by the overall winner and a box of 'haribo' to be won by every class.

Your entries last year were awesome - I wonder can they be beaten?

## Testing Times

Thank you to the 120 families that took the opportunity to attend the mobile covid testing center in school.
I cannot put into words how much we appreciate your support. Our school is truly blessed with the most supportive parents.

## Harvest Collections

In assembly today we talked about where our breakfasts come from and Harvest. The ethos of our school is to be the best you can be. We have talked a lot about the goodness inside all of us and how we let that light shine through small acts of kindness.

With this in mind, I have asked the children to support those in our local community who are struggling to make ends meet by donating food and old uniform for the local food and uniform banks

Any uniform that your child has grown out of will be gratefully received and available at very low cost from Lingdale's Worship Centre.
It is open after half-term from 10am - 2pm on Monday 15th and Tuesday $16^{\text {th }}$ November.

All food donations will go to our local foodbank for local people. No fresh food please, tins and dried food that can keep: cereals, long-life milk, biscuits. Anything you feel you can donate that another family would benefit from.

We will collect until November $12^{\text {th }}$. The class that donates the most will have an additional playtime.

## Photographs

Miss Langley has been able to rearrange the photographer for Wednesday $3^{\text {rd }}$ November. All children should wear school uniform on that day and any class having PE will have lessons adapted to allow for this.

## Christmas Card Competition

Simon Clarke (MP) has sent out his annual invite to all children to enter a design for his official Christmas card. The winner will have their design printed as his 'official card' which will be sent to among others the 'Prime Minister' himself.
He will also come into school to present prizes. I would love to see one of our talented children win this year. The theme is togetherness.
I am attaching Simon's invitation to enter with this Newsletter.

Children in Need This year we are selling ears for $£ 2.50$, wrist bands and pins. The theme is togetherness, so together we will wear a onsie on 'Children in Need 'day.
Have a lovely half term week - we look forward to welcoming you all back after a well-deserved rest.
Mrs Lawson

