# School Snippets

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# Hemingbrough CP School Gearn Laugh Succeed

# **Happy New Year!**

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas break, although I know a few families suffered from COVID 19. We hope you are all safe and well again. Let's hope this year brings a little more normality – we certainly deserve it following the past few years.

# The School Day

We will be returning to normal school routines from Monday (10<sup>th</sup> January), although please be aware we may need to return to further protective measures, should we experience a spike in COVID cases. Should this happen, we contact Public Health and the Local Authority and follow their guidance.

Therefore, for all classes school starts at 8.55am

School finishes at 3pm for Apple, Oak and Willow, and 3.05pm for Beech, Cedar and Sycamore.

Our latest COVID risk assessment can be viewed on the school website under the COVID 19 tab.

#### **FAN Club**

A FAN Club EGM was held over Zoom this morning. As we have been unable to 'recruit' a Chair person, we have had to take the unfortunate step to dissolve the FAN Club.

Existing funds in this account will be transferred to Hemingbrough School Fund and will continue to be used to enrich the children's experiences and enable us to provide much needed resources for school (such as laptops).

Fundraising events will still take place and will be organized by school, with the help of any parent volunteers that are able (!)

I would like to thank all the FAN Club members for their hard work over many years, but look forward to working with you on events in the future.



# A message from Miss Richardson (EYFS Apple Tree Class):

# Hemingbrough CP School needs your help!

Our Early Years outdoor area is in need of being developed and updated. Our outdoor provision is a vital part of our learning! We are looking out for any of the following items and objects to enhance our outdoor area. Do you have any of these items lying around at home? Do you know of any local business that might donate some of these items? Please share this information with friends and family in the community.

Please contact the office or Miss Richardson regarding any donations you may have. Thank you so much for your continued support and we look forward to sharing our new and improved outdoor area with you in the near future.

- Steering wheels
- Mud kitchen with a sink
  - Gravel
- Tyres (must be new due to Health & Safety regs)
  - Large containers
    - Cones
    - Crates
    - Guttering
  - Water containers
    - Bright paint
  - Tall storage containers for planks and poles
    - Buckets, jugs and funnels
      - Large dinosaurs
- Weaving threads such as ribbon, felt, wool etc.
  - Large boxes with lids
  - Large chalkboards
  - Safe wooden planks
    - Wellingtons
  - Small resource shed/role play corner
    - A new stage
    - Play sand bags
    - Compost bags
      - Plant pots
      - Welly wall

# **Upcoming Events...**

#### Wed 12th Jan

Florence Nightingale
 Visit to Year 2

#### Fri 21st Jan

Panto (in school) –
 Cinderella

## Mon 24th Jan

ECO Theme Day

### Tues 8th Feb

• Safer Internet Day

# Wed 16th / Thur 17th Feb

Parents Eve

# Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Feb

- Non-Uniform Day
- Finish for half term