BUSHFIELD ROAD INFANTS NEWSLETTER - OCTOBER 2024

MILK MONEY

(Milk will start Wednesday 30^{th} October) Total whole $\frac{1}{2}$ term = £13.30 or weekly £1.75

Milk money must be paid on the <u>first day of each week by 9am</u>. If payment doesn't arrive by this time we will not be able to give your child milk for that week. All monies must be sent in a <u>named and sealed</u> <u>envelope</u> or money bag and must be sent with your child into their classroom where they will put it into a box.

HALLOWEEN DISCO

Nursery /Reception classes -Tuesday 29th October 3pm-4.30pm <u>Ticket only</u> Year 1/Year 2 -Thursday 31st October 3pm-4.30pm <u>Ticket only</u>

If your child is <u>not attending</u> these events please collect them at normal school leaving time, 3.15pm.

CHILDREN IN NEED

Takes place on Friday 15th November 2024 and will be a non-uniform day. For a small donation, children may come to school in their own clothes, but please remember it must be warm and suitable to wear all day. All money raised will go to Children in Need.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

A big thank you to everyone who kindly sent in donations for our harvest festival. All donations will be sent to our local Children's Centre, where they will be gifted to many vulnerable families within the community. Thank you.

ATTENDANCE/TERM TIME ABSENCE

The Department for Education (DfE) released new statutory guidance in February 2024, 'Working Together to Improve School Attendance' which came into force from 19th August 2024. All schools in England will be required to follow the guidance, therefore we have published further information and guidance on our school website so that you understand what this means. Please read our attendance policies and information. Please DO NOT book any holidays until you receive a response from your leave of absence form. You can download a leave of absence form from our website. An unauthorised absence could lead to a fine of £80 per child per parent.

PARKING REMINDER

Please be aware that parking is not allowed in the spaces provided for The Queensway Flats as these are designated for the residents only. We ask that you respect this and if you are travelling to school by car, please be respectful when parking outside resident's properties or within the 'No Parking' zone around school. Please do not park vehicles on the corners of roads around school as this is proving to be dangerous. Only people with a blue badge should use our school carparks. No Taxi's allowed.

School will close for half term on Friday 18th October at 3.15pm and re-open on Monday 28th October at 8.45am