



**'Let your light shine'**

**13th October 2023**

**Autumn Term Newsletter 3**

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Harvest Festival Thursday 26th October**

Please join us at 1.30pm in school for our annual Harvest Festival Assembly on **Thursday 26th October**. We would appreciate any donations of tins, packets or non-perishable items for Wansbeck Valley Food Bank and would be grateful if you could send these into school by Wednesday 25th in that week - Thank you.



**Disco - Monday 23rd October**

Our Autumn Disco is in school from 3.15 - 5pm. Please come in Fancy dress if you wish - there will be prizes for the best dressed. There will be hot dogs, a drink and a treat for the price of the ticket £3.50. We will also have a tuck shop if your child would like to purchase anything else to eat. Please send money into the school office to reserve your place.

# WEAR RED DAY 2023

**Show Racism the Red Card - Wear Red Day 2023**

We will be supporting Show Racism The Red Card Day on **Friday 20th October**. The children can wear red to school on this day in exchange for a £1 donation which will be sent to this important charity. On the day, teachers will promote anti-racism through age appropriate activities for the children.



**Forest School Holiday Club**

Great Oak Adventures, who runs our Acorns Toddler and Seedlings After School club, is holding their first forest school holiday club during the October half term holiday.

There are two days in the woodland at Tritlington School on the 31st October and 2nd November with a Beach Day at Cresswell on 1st November. Please follow the [link](#) to book your child's place.

If your child would like to attend the Seedlings After School club in Autumn 2, after the October break, please [book](#) their place as soon as possible as places are limited and in demand!

**Raising Funds for Tritlington School**

As thoughts may be turning to a certain big event in December, we would like to remind you about Easyfundraising [Easy Fundraising.org.uk](https://www.EasyFundraising.org.uk) When shopping

online, you can raise funds at no cost to yourself, that go directly to the school. The EasyFundraising app is free to download and you will find most of your favourite stores on there too! Simply select Tritlington Friends PTA as your chosen charity.



## Tritlington Friends

The school's Parent Teacher Association - Tritlington Friends - will be holding their AGM on **Friday 20th October in school at 2.30pm**. All parents are automatically members of the PTA and everyone is welcome to attend the meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to vote in a Chair, Secretary and Treasurer. If you would like to be involved and help to organise events to support the children, please come along and share your ideas.

Autumn Term 1 After School Clubs	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Didi Rugby</b> £4 per session 3.15 - 4.15 pm Starts 5th September to October 24th
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Forest School 'Seedlings After School Club'</b> £5 per session 3.15 - 4.45pm Starts 6th September - 25th October
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Art Club</b> with local Artist Mrs Jobson £3 per session 3.15 - 4.15pm Starts 7th September - 19th October
<b>Friday</b>	<b>P.E Club</b> with specialist P.E teacher Mrs Williamson - £3 per session 3.15 - 4pm starts 15th September - 20th October

Dates for your Diary - Autumn Term 1	
Friday 20th October	Show Racism The Red Card - Wear Red Day
Friday 20th October	Tritlington Friends (PTA) AGM 2.30pm
Monday 23rd October	Autumn Disco, Fancy Dress 3.15 - 5pm
Thursday 26th October	Harvest Festival in School 1.30pm All Welcome
Thursday 26th October	Last day of Autumn Term 1
Friday 27th October	Teacher Training Day - School Closed to pupils
Monday 30th October	Half Term Holiday - 1 week
Monday 6th November	Return to School
Friday 17th November	Children in Need - Non-uniform day in exchange bring a donation
Monday 20th November and Thursday 23rd November	Parental Consultations - further details will follow after the half term break
Thursday 7th December	School Photographer in school
Friday 8th December	Christmas Fair in school
Friday 8th December	Christmas Jumper day in school
Tuesday 12th December	Christmas Lunch in school
Monday 18th December	Christmas Nativity - afternoon performance
Tuesday 19th December	Christmas Nativity - evening performance

Wednesday 20th December	Christingle Service at Hebron Church
Thursday 21st December	Children's Christmas party day
Friday 22nd December	Christmas Carol Service in school
Friday 22nd December	Break up for Christmas
Monday 8th January 2024	Return to school

**Communication**

Please keep an eye on our [school website](#) and our school [facebook page](#) for additional information.

As always we greatly appreciate your partnership and support and we are confident that we can look forward to another successful year for our children to grow and flourish and to let their lights shine.

Have a lovely weekend,  
Mrs O'Dell and Mrs Stephenson