

'Let your light shine'

18th October 2024 NEWSLETTER 4

Dear Families,

Music Mark

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded the Music Mark for 2024 -25 by Music Partnership North who we work closely with in school. This award recognises the value that we place on music at Tritlington. We are proud that the children are taught weekly by Mrs Chinnery, a specialist music teacher,



from Music Partnership North. The children are taught from Nursery upwards and Class 1 are currently learning singing and playing percussion instruments. Year 3 and 4 are learning to play the cornet and reading music notation. Many of our children also have either one to one or small group instrumental tuition - if your child is in Year 2 or above and would like to learn how to play an instrument - please get in touch with school.

Wraparound Care - started Monday 14th October

Tritlington Explorers After School Club got off to a great start this week! The club provides wraparound care Monday to Friday from 3.15pm until 6pm. If you need care for your child after school ends, please email the school office to book your child in. Your child has brought home a leaflet today with a Wanted poster, if you can help us in any way with any of the resources please send them into school.

Autumn Disco - Monday 21st October

We are holding an Autumn themed disco in school. Your child can bring a change of clothes to school with them. Let the office know if your child would like to attend. There will be a breakout room for anyone who needs a break. Don't forget, wrap-around care will still be on until 6pm on this night. If you need it, please book your child in. There will be music and food and the cost is £3.50 per child from 3.15 till 5pm.

REMINDER: Non-uniform Day - Thursday 24th October

Your child is invited to wear clothes of their choice to school in exchange for a **donation for the tombola** at the Christmas Fair.

REMINDER - END OF HALF TERM

We break up for the half term holiday on Thursday 24th October. Friday 25th is a teacher training day.oney

SchoolMoney Parent payment system

We are moving to a new payment system called SchoolMoney, this is a secure online payment system where school dinners, milk, clubs, wrap-around care etc can be paid for remotely using this app. A separate email and letter is being sent out soon with further information. Please bear with us, as we get started. If you have any problems, please get in touch.

Additional Dates For Your Diary

Some extra dates have been added to the diary below. Please check this regularly so you don't miss anything!

Autumn Term 1 After School Clubs Please note clubs will change next half term		
Monday	Lego Club	
Tuesday	Art Club	
Wednesday	Forest School 'Seedlings After School Club'	
Thursday	Multisports Club	
Friday	PE Club with Liam	

Please check the **Dates For Your Diary** carefully. Dates may be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances and if an opportunity presents itself, we may add extra dates to the calendar. These are also available on the school website.

Dates for your Diary - Autumn Term		
Monday 21st October	Autumn Disco 3.15 - 5pm	
Wednesday 23rd October	Year 3 and 4 visit to Arbeia, South Shields	
Thursday 24th October	Non-uniform Day in school	
Friday 15th November	Children in Need - non-uniform day	
Tuesday 19th November	Parental Consultations - Virtual/phone calls	
Thursday 21st November	Parental Consultations - Face to face	
Thursday 28th November	Non-uniform Day (details to follow) in exchange for a bottle donation for the Christmas Fair	
Friday 29th November	School photographer in school	
Friday 6th December	Christmas Fair in school 2pm start	
Thursday 12th December	Christmas lunch in school for pupils	
Thursday 12th December	Nativity - Evening performance 6pm	
Friday 13th December	Nativity - Afternoon performance 2pm	
Wednesday 18th December	Christingle / Christmas Service at Hebron Church 9am	
Thursday 19th December	Christmas party in school for pupils	
Friday 20th December	BREAK UP FOR CHRISTMAS	
Monday 6th January	START BACK AT SCHOOL	

Kind regards, Mrs O'Dell and Mrs Stephenson