



Moor First School

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OCTOBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents / Carers,

Our Harvest Festival – We hope you have enjoyed our Harvest Festival at Christ Church, it was wonderful to be able to celebrate Harvest and to see so many Parents/ Carers there. The children recited their poems beautifully and I think you will agree that they sang beautifully. Thank you for all the kind donations for the Food Bank.



Laches Wood – Reminder can all deposits be paid for on ParentPay by the 21st October to secure your child's place on the Laches Wood trip.

Walk to School Month – October is 'Walk to School' month. Please upload pictures of your child walking, scooting/ cycling school on Tapestry or SeeSaw for your child to earn a badge and to help us win either a new scooter rack or theatre performance at school.



Biddulph Moor Firework Spectacular – This will be taking place on the 5th November at Biddulph Moor Village Hall, you will be able to buy tickets from the office and Moor Stores. Money raised on the night will be split between the village hall and school.



Christmas Fayre – Our Christmas Fayre will be held on the 18th November at school from 3.30pm – 5.30pm. We will be selling stalls for the event at £10 per table. Please get in touch with the office if you would like to secure a table.

A letter will be coming out with more information, but any donations for raffle/ tombola prizes will be greatly appreciated.

Christmas Plays – We look forward in welcoming Parents/ Carers back in to school to watch your child's Christmas Plays. Here are the dates for the plays –

Emerald & Garnet – 7th December at 9am – 'Angel Express'

Sapphire – 9th December at 9am – 'Prickly Hay'

Amethyst – 13th December at 9am – 'Stable Manners'



School Photographs – Academy photographers are in school on the 22nd November to take individual and family photos. If parents have other children who do not attend Moor First and would like them to be included in a family photo, please can we ask that you arrive at school for 8:30am. If you are not intending to arrive early, children go to class as normal for registration and they will be collected when it is time for their photograph. Siblings in school are always photographed together.

Twitter – Don't forget to follow our schools' Twitter page @MoorFirst Child of the Week and other school activities are put up on here.



Keeping you in the know...

We send you information by various means:

Website: All letters, Learning Enrichments, Newsletters & Dates for your Diary, School Policies and events on the School Calendar can be found on our website which is www.moorfirstschool.co.uk.

We also send home paper letters in your child's book bag if a reply slip is needed to be returned.

E-mail: letters and newsletters are also emailed (please ensure we have your up to date email address; paper copies can be sent home if you do not have the facilities for email – please inform the office.)

Text messages – Urgent information and reminders will be sent via the text messaging service.

Copies of letters and newsletters, Premier Sports after school club information, school dinner menus and uniform information are also available **outside the school office in the blue pockets.**

Seesaw & Tapestry – continue to contact with regard to learning issues only.

Change of details – Please can you let the office know if you have changed your address/ phone number, e-mail address or any other details.

Easyfundraising - Moor First are now registered with easyfundraising, which mean you can raise FREE donations for us everytime you shop. Over 4000 shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no cost to yourself! These donations mount up, so we'd really appreciate it if you could take a look at the sight and sign up and support it. You can find it on <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk> - Thank you.



Black History Month – The children have enjoyed taking part in the Black History Month.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Mayes & Mrs V Atherton
Co - Headteachers

2022	
October	Walk to School Month
Monday 31 st October	School opens
November	
Saturday 5 th November	Biddulph Moor Firework Spectacular and Parade
Friday 18 th November	Children In Need
Friday 18 th November	Moor First Christmas Fayre 3.30pm - 5.30pm
Tuesday 22 nd November	School Photographs - individual & siblings
December	
Wednesday 7 th December	Emerald and Garnet Christmas Play 'Angel Express'
Friday 9 th December	Sapphire Christmas Play
Tuesday 13 th December	Amethyst Christmas Play
Friday 16 th December	School closes for Christmas