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Dear Parents / Carers

During our Open Morning last week for parents who are thinking of sending their child to our school, I was delighted with how well our children behaved. They were working studiously and their behaviour was impeccable. This isn't just something that is turned on for visitors to the school, we pride ourselves in having a school that has children who behave brilliantly and have a wonderful work ethic. Thank you to parents and carers for helping to instil these qualities in your children!

### Miss Price

We were delighted to hear of the wonderful news that Miss Price had a little baby girl at the weekend. I'm sure you will join us in wishing her and her partner Greg, a huge congratulations!

### Year 6 School Councillors

I am delighted to inform you that we have new Y6 school councillors for this academic year, voted for by the Y6 classes. Our new school councillors are:

<b>Jasmine</b>	<b>James P</b>
<b>Lilly D</b>	<b>Ajay</b>
<b>Lucy-Rose</b>	<b>Tom</b>
<b>Hollie</b>	<b>Connor</b>

Well done to all concerned! The children will act as team leaders for each team and meet with myself and Mr Joule, on his return, to decide on modifications to the school and charity fundraising. The rest of the school will now be voting on who they would like to have as their Head Girl and Boy and the Deputy Head Girl and Boy from this list - Watch this space!

### Virtual parents evenings

Your child's class teacher will be sending out the form for you to choose a slot for this term's virtual parents evening. This will be sent out on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October after 4pm. The form will then close on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm, so please make sure that you complete this before the closing date and time. On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October you will be contacted with the date and time of your parents evening slot.

### Morrison's Tokens

For every £10 you spend (in store or online) at Morrisons, you'll get a Grow Token to help school get everything they need to get growing. Download the MyMorrisons app to start collecting Grow Tokens and choose our school to donate them to.

The more vouchers we get we will be able to exchange these Grow Tokens for FREE gardening equipment to get our children growing.

### Helmets

Please can I remind all parents and carers that any child who arrives/ leaves school on a bike or a scooter must be wearing a helmet.



### **Y3 Anglesey Residential:**

The Anglesey parent / carers meeting will be held on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 4.45pm**. Before this meeting you will receive a link inviting you to this meeting. Miss Barwick and her Y3 team will lead you through the itinerary and requirements for the residential.

### **Covid Restrictions and illness:**

Just a reminder, the advice from the Local Authority is that if your child has Covid symptoms they are to get a PCR test. If a member of the household tests positive, but the child doesn't, then your child can come to school as normal, unless they display symptoms.

In addition to this, please can I remind you that any child who has been sick or who has diarrhoea must not come back to school until they are clear of symptoms for 48 hours. This assists us in keeping the spread of this to a minimum. Thank you for your support with this matter.

### **Vacancies:**

At present we have a cleaner vacancy and also a mid-day supervisor vacancy. Full details of the vacancies, together with the online application can be found at [Cheshire West & Chester \(jgp.co.uk\)](http://Cheshire West & Chester (jgp.co.uk)) and [Cheshire West & Chester \(jgp.co.uk\)](http://Cheshire West & Chester (jgp.co.uk)). If you have difficulties with the form and would prefer to complete a hard copy, please give us a call.

### **PTA cake sale:**

The PTA have organised a cake sale- please see the attached poster for more information. Please can you make sure if you're ordering cakes that you have up to the 29<sup>th</sup> October and then the cakes will be delivered from midday on the 30<sup>th</sup> October onwards by Vicky Raddy. Please remember that school closes for half term on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

### **Operation Encompass**

Please find an attachment to this letter explaining that we are part of the Operation Encompass initiative led by the police.

### **Diary Dates:**

Date	Information
4 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Day 3 1.30-3.00pm (for prospective parents/carers September 2022)
4 <sup>th</sup> October	Parent's evening form to be sent to parents form 4pm onwards
6 <sup>th</sup> October	Y3 Anglesey Parents Meeting at 4.45pm Parents evening form closes at 6pm
8 <sup>th</sup> October	Parent evening slots to be emailed to parents
Week beginning: 11 <sup>th</sup> October & 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Virtual Parents Evenings throughout both weeks further information to follow
13 <sup>th</sup> - 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Y2 Residential to Hartington
20 <sup>th</sup> October- 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Y3 Residential to Anglesey
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	School Closes for Half Term
29 <sup>th</sup> October	Deadline for PTA cakes to be ordered
31 <sup>st</sup> October	Y6 PARENTS: Deadline for applying for a secondary place
1 <sup>st</sup> November	Inset Day for staff
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	School Opens for Children

Finally should you need to make contact with school, please don't hesitate to email me on: [deputy@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:deputy@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk) or [returns@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:returns@highstreet.cheshire.sch.uk) and not forgetting the year group emails if you need to contact your child's class teacher.

Kind regards  
Caroline Lowe  
Deputy Head



# Winsford High Street Community Primary School



Dear Parent / Carer

I am writing to inform you that our school is to participate in a Police-led initiative called Operation Encompass, a scheme which will ensure that we can better support any child where a domestic incident has been reported to Police from their home.

Following a domestic incident, the Police will make contact with the school via telephone and communicate relevant information to nominated, fully trained school staff. This will ensure that we are made aware early enough to support children and young people in a way that means they feel safe, supported and listen to.

Each school has a member of staff called a key adult who is trained to liaise with the police, when required, whilst ensuring support is available to the child.

The initiative has already been trialled & is now live in our schools across the local authority areas of Halton, Warrington, Cheshire West & Chester and Cheshire East with success. You can find out more about Operation Encompass via the following site: <http://www.operationencompass.org/>

If you would like to speak to someone further about the initiative, or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Caroline Lowe or Tanya Lockwood.

We are committed to working in partnership with local relevant organisations to safeguard and protect children across Cheshire and provide the best possible care and support for our pupils.

Yours faithfully,

Caroline Lowe

Deputy Head



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