

27th September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

The month of September seems to have flown by and the children are settling into their new classes and year groups. The Key Stage 2 classes enjoyed a wonderful performance by Tempus Fugit to start their World War 1 topic earlier this week and I know that there is an exciting Key Stage 1 visit planned to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park in October. Thank you to the Friends of Hookstone Chase for their continued contribution towards the costs of visits.

I am pleased to inform you that following a successful bid application we are having a new roof covering on our old flat roof as well as new boundary fencing around the site. Automatic gates are also being installed across the car park entrance. As a result, our children's safety will be improved. Work is due to begin on Monday 1st October. There will be a welfare unit for the contractors placed in the car park and I would ask you once again not to park in the car park unless you have a blue badge.

All areas of the school building that are affected by the works will have appropriate safety measures in place, but I would like to request that no child should arrive in school until 8.40 am (unless they are attending Kids' Club) and that they are collected promptly at 3.15pm. Parents should not allow their children to play on the school grounds or climb on the play equipment. I would be grateful if **ALL** parents co-operated with these requests. We are all responsible for ensuring the children's safety.

Tomorrow we are holding a Coffee Afternoon in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support from 2.30pm to 3.15pm. Please do join us. If you would like to contribute cake/biscuits, please drop off at the school office tomorrow morning. Thank you.

Don't forget it's Individual School Photographs tomorrow. If you have pre-school children and would like a family photograph, please arrive at 8.30am and not before due to limited waiting areas in the school.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely

Ann L Wheatcroft
Headteacher