

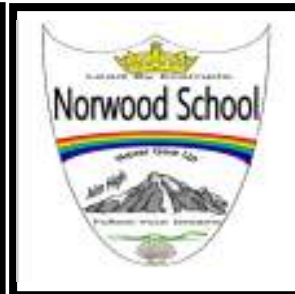


# Norwood Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

September 2012

Head Teacher—Mrs D Reynolds



### Reception Class

Well done to all of our wonderful Reception pupils, who have settled in nicely to Norwood School and are now with us on a full time basis.

It was wonderful to see all the children return looking very smart in their uniform and eager to start their learning in their new classes.

### Individual and Family Photographs

On Thursday **18<sup>th</sup> October 2012** we have a visit from the photographer who will be taking both family and individual photographs.

### Money Pockets

We do sell money pockets in school, which very clearly help to distinguish what payments are for. Please contact the school office if you would like to purchase any money pockets. They are priced £2.00 for 30 pockets.

### Parking

Unfortunately again we have had several complaints from local residents and businesses about inappropriate parking. Residents living on Coniston Road and Gunthorpe Road are being blocked in on their own driveways. May we **again** just remind everyone to please to be considerate to the local community when parking your car at the beginning and end of the school day.

### Crossing Patrol

The Local Authority has appointed Mrs Anne Pell as our crossing patrol person before and after school. The Local Authority has advised the school that the front pedestrian access, by the disabled entrance, will need to be permanently locked. Please access the school via Coniston Road or Elter Walk entrances. Please use the Patrol crossing or risk losing it!!

### Update Contact Details

In the coming weeks ahead the school office will be sending out student update forms.

Please could these forms be amended if need be and returned back to school.

In the meantime if contact details and numbers have changed, please could you send in written confirmation to the school office for amendment.

### Water Bottles

Please can we remind parents/carers that drink bottles brought into school should only contain non-carbonated water. No fruit squash or fizzy drinks are allowed.

### Consultation Evenings

Our Autumn Term consultation evening dates will be

- **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2012**
- **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2012.**

Consultation letters will be issued on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2012**. Appointment confirmations will be sent out on **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2012**.

### Diary Dates

- **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October-** NSA AGM Meeting at 3.30pm. All welcome to attend.
- **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October-** Jeans for Genes Day.
- **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October-** Halloween special meal.
- **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October-** NSA Halloween Disco. Further details to follow near to the time.
- **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November-** NSA Christmas Market. Please look out for the posters and leaflets around school for further details.

### School Garden

The redeveloping of the school garden is starting to come together. We have raised themed beds, installed fencing/screening, created beds for the sensory garden, and planted fruit trees in various locations around the school ground. Thank you to Mr Steve Johnson for arranging 12 volunteers from the Cost Optimisation Team from Perkins who worked very hard in wet conditions.