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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we reach the end of a very busy first half term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support and for attending Parent's Evening. It was wonderful to see so many families, and your support is truly appreciated.

Please find below some important information and updates for the coming half term.

Dates for the Diary

Monday 2nd November – Staff Training Day

School will be closed to all pupils due to this being a staff training day.

Tuesday 3rd November – Return to school following the Half Term

Thursday 5th November – Year 4&5 – Swimming Lessons

Dosbarth Miss Gabriel will resume their swimming sessions at Gwyn Evans Leisure Centre on Thursday 5th November and will continue to attend each Thursday throughout the half term.

Monday 16th November – Active Journeys – Be Bright, Be Seen

With the darker mornings and evenings now upon us, Active Journeys will be visiting school to deliver workshops on staying safe when walking, scooting or cycling.

Friday 13th November – Children in Need

Pupils can come to school in non-uniform or anything Pudsey related to support Children in Need, with a voluntary donation.

Friday 20th November – Individual School Photographs

Tempest Photography will be in school to take individual pupil photographs.

Thursday 26th November – Flu Vaccinations

The school nurse team will be in school administering flu vaccinations.

Wednesday 9th December – Trip to the Pantomime

All children in school will attend a Christmas Pantomime at Theatre Clwyd in Mold. The cost of the trip will be £13 per child, with payments able to be made via ParentPay after half term.

Thursday 10th December – Christmas Dinner Day

Christmas dinner will be available for all children on this date. Orders can be made via ParentPay.

Thursday 10th December – iRock Concert

Pupils who have been participating in iRock Band lessons will be putting on a concert for the rest of the school. Invites will be sent out to parents of those involved.

Friday 11th December – Nightingale House Reindeer Run

Children are welcome to wear Christmas jumpers to school on this day if they wish. All pupils will be taking part in the annual Nightingale House Reindeer run. Further information will be sent out closer to the time.

Week Beginning 14th December – Christmas, Show Share and Celebration Day

Due to the ongoing building works and the limited space currently available within school, we will not be holding our traditional Christmas concerts this year. Instead, each department will be hosting a Christmas Show and Share Afternoon. This will give families the opportunity to come into school, spend some time in the classroom with their child and enjoy a short festive performance or song from the children. Further details, including dates and timings, will be shared after half term.

Friday 18th December – Staff Training Day

School will be closed to pupils on this day.

Seedling and Oaks Extra-Curricular Clubs

Extra-curricular clubs for next half term will start on the second week back. Please see the below timetable for the clubs that are available and book your child a place using the link below:

Please note that there will be no clubs running in the last week of the half term.

	Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday	
	Club	Staff Member	Club	Staff Member	Club	Staff Member
Autumn Term 2	Christmas Choir Club	Mrs. Evans-Jones	Drawing Club	Mrs. Humberstone	School Council Club	Miss Harris

NB: The School Council Club is open to all pupils, not just members of the School Council. Pupils will have the opportunity to work together on a range of projects and initiatives to help further develop and improve our school.

[Extra-Curricular Clubs Autumn Term 2 – Fill in form](#)

Ongoing Building Works

The refurbishment work in the Year 1&2 classroom is taking longer than originally anticipated. Once work began, it became clear that the project was much more extensive than first expected. While the additional work means a longer wait, we are really excited about the end result. The classroom is receiving a complete renovation, including a new floor, ceiling, walls and heating system, which will create a warm, modern and welcoming learning environment.

Year 1&2 will continue to be based in the hall of the Early Years Building (Community Centre) while the work is completed. I know that the temporary classroom arrangements have not been ideal, but I would like to thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. We will continue to keep you updated on progress and will let you know as soon as a return date to the classroom is confirmed.

If you have any questions about the information above, please do not hesitate to get in touch. I hope you all have a wonderful half term break, and I look forward to welcoming everyone back after the holiday.

Yours sincerely,



Miss C. Harris
Acting Headteacher