



# Cotherstone Primary School

Autumn Term  
Number 6  
13th Oct '17

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## Hand Hygiene

As well as reinforcing the need to regularly wash hands we are also encouraging the children to use an anti-bacterial gel in school. If you would prefer your child not to use the gel, please inform a member of staff.

## Photos

On Tuesday, children will be having their individual school photos. Please ensure they are in their school uniform. Children will have an individual photo taken and one with any siblings. If you have pre-school children whom you would like to be part of the sibling photo these will be done at the start of the school day.

## Class 2 Rugby Festival

On Monday the children in Class 2 will be taking part in a tag rugby festival at Staindrop Academy. They will leave school shortly after lunch and return in time for the end of the school day. They will need their school P.E. and trainers suitable for outdoor field use. A warm waterproof coat would be useful to wear between matches.

## Hallowe'en Afternoon

Children may bring in their costumes for our Hallowe'en afternoon on Friday. They will change into their costumes at lunchtime. Morrisons have kindly donated some pumpkins which we will use as part of the afternoon's activities.

## Newspapers

Please send in any old newspapers for Class 1 to use in their art lessons. Thank you.

## Staff Offsite

Mon am - Dr Jellis

Wed - Miss Thomas & Miss Lee

## Homework

Class 1 - Year 1: Create a list of things related to Hallowe'en. Year 2: Create a list, (remember to use commas), of things related to Hallowe'en

Class 2 - Year 3: 6 times table. Year 4: 7 times table. Literacy: Adverbs and spellings

Class 3 - To be issued on Monday

## Cool Kids

New for next term will be the following activities:

Monday - Country dancing with Miss Lee

Tuesday - Art Club with local artist Jane Young

Wednesday - Wii Night

Thursday - Gymnastics/Dance

Friday - Film Fun

Please book your child's place with Alison or Claire.

## News from The Friends of

## Cotherstone School

Many thanks to Jennie for all of her hard work and dedication over the years as chairperson of FOCS. She has been a fabulous chairper-

## Dates for your diary

Dates in bold are new additions from the last

## Newsletter

16th Oct - Class 2 to Tag Rugby Festival

17th Oct - Individual school photos

20th Oct - Hallowe'en activity afternoon

20th Oct - School closes for half term break

30th Oct - School re-opens

30th Oct - No swimming

*Don't forget to book your child's place at Cool Kids!*

*Contact Claire on 0751 2917262*



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son and we're so sorry to lose her but wish her all the best for the future.

We hope you like the Christmas cards that the children brought home this week. If you would like to order any of the cards or other items available please complete the order form and return to school, with payment, by Friday 20th October.

Also a reminder to please use *easyfundraising* when ordering on line, we have raised over £500 over the two years that we have been signed up with them. If you have not used it previously then you can find it by going to [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk). Thank you.