

# Dolphinholme Dispatch

Monday 9th October 2017

Email: [head@dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk) [bursar@dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk)

[www.dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.dolphinholme.lancs.sch.uk)

## Harvest Service

Join us in St Mark's at 9:15am this **Wednesday 11th October**.

We will be joined for our service by Annette Smith from Morecambe Bay Foodbank and our collection will be for this worthwhile cause.

They have requested small chocolate treats for children, sponge puddings, rice puddings or anything else that has a long shelf life. Thank you for your continued support.

This Friday during Celebration Worship we will be joined by Philip Riley who will tell us about Fairtrade.

Fairtrade is a simple way to make a difference to the lives of the people who grow the things we love.

## Message from Rev Cindy

In order to better suit families, please note that we are making some changes to services and times at St. Mark's as from this month.

The new times are as follows:

**1st Sunday of the month: 9.30am Holy Communion**

**2nd Sunday of the month: 11am Morning Prayer {Modern Service}**

**3rd Sunday of the month: 10am All-Age {Formerly called 'Family Service'}**

**4th Sunday of the month: 11am Holy Communion**

**Please also note that Sunday School is moving to the 1st Sunday of the Month at 9.30am.**

**Forest Church runs once a month, usually on a Saturday and it is an opportunity to learn more about the world around us and the nature of our local area. The next event for Forest Church will be River Dipping, with Allen Norris, on Saturday 21st October at 11am. Meet outside St Mark's.**

## Ball Skills

This is a polite reminder to parents that Ball Skills finishes at 4pm. Please make sure that you arrive promptly to collect your child or make sure they are booked into ASC. Thanks.



The next PTA event will be the AGM on Friday 10th November in the Fleece. Further details to follow. The next meeting will be held after school on Thursday 23rd November (3:30pm). The main aim of the meeting will be to plan the Christmas Fair which will be held on Saturday 9th December. A more detailed letter regarding the planning of this next event will be following shortly...watch out for it.

There will be a **mufti Day on Friday 20th October** to collect items for the Chocolate Tombola.

**Week beginning 16.10.17 ~ Menu Week 3.**

## **OPEN DAY**

**We are holding an Open Day on Wednesday 18th October**

**This is for parents of children who are due to start school in September 2018.**

**There will be tours of the school and a chance to meet the staff. School will be open to receive visitors from**

**9:30—12:00 and from 1:30—3pm.**

**Please spread the word!**

## Parent Forum

Mrs Cross and a Governor representative will be holding a Parent Forum on Monday 16th October at 9am. Come along for a cup of tea and a discussion to help the school find out what parents and carers think about important issues. The aim of the forum is to promote and support children's learning and to improve outcomes for all.

During half term, Mrs Baines will be taking part in her annual walk in aid of The Institute of Cancer Research. This year the theme is "30 years, 30 Mountains 4 ICR". If you would like to sponsor Mrs Baines, please put sponsor money into a named envelope (so she will know who to thank), and drop it off at school. Alternatively, just pop in and put your name on her sponsor form and she will collect the sponsor money after the event. Many thanks to all those who regularly support this fund raiser.

## Children in Year 5 and 6 trip to Isle of Man.

To secure a place on this trip please pay your deposit of £85.00 online by Thursday 20th October.

Deposits must be made to secure a place.



Well done to the Athletics team who did a super job on Friday. They finished second in this meeting.

Be proud of yourselves!

Thanks to Mums and Dads for getting them there and to Mrs Baines and Mr Lee for their continued commitment to Running Club.



## Community Takeaway

See the attached flyer for details of the next Community Takeaway which will be held on Friday 20th October. Orders need to be received by Monday 16th October.

