



Swannington Autumn Newsletter 2

School News from Mrs Maybury.

We had a very busy fun-filled half term before October break, with gardening supported by the Food for Life team, Mary kindly coming in to help us celebrate diversity and Black History month, Oak class taking part in a multi-skills morning and Sycamore class having playcoach training.

The excitement continues this half term in the run up to Christmas, with Chestnut class going on their class trip to New Walk museum, the whole school panto trip, our Santa fun run and the EYFS/KS1 nativity. All the dates are found on our newsletter and in events on class dojo. Reminders are sent out before also.

We are in the midst of showing round new starters for the September 2026 intake; please do tell your friends and family about us and ask them to contact the office for a viewing. We are proud of our school and children and would love to showcase this to potential parents.

Collective Worship

In Worship we have been looking at Peace this week. We have reflected upon what peace looks and feels like, and listened to the story of Jesus crossing the Sea of Galilee in which there was a storm 'Peace, be still' he said and the waters calmed. Before half term, we explored our school values of 'Forgiveness, Respect, Enjoyment and Friendship & Belonging. The Christian Ethos team did an excellent job of planning some worships linked to these, with the Christian Ethos team at VB.



Relish

Please can you regularly check your Arbor accounts and ensure that all payments are up to date. If your child exceeds £15 in debt, they will be offered a duty of care meal which is beyond the schools control.

PE Kits

As a reminder to everyone, please can we ask that PE kits are in school on Monday morning ready for the week ahead. We have a number of students forgetting on their PE day and we feel this may eliminate this issue. Please ensure your child's PE kit is suitable for colder weather.



Colder Weather



As the weather is set to get colder please could you ensure your child comes into school in a 'named' coat. We have many cardigans and jumpers that we are unable to reunite with children as they are not named so this would be really helpful.

Key Dates

- 1st November - Cross Country at Sir John Moore
- 14th November - Dress in Spots or Yellow for Children in Need
- 20th November - Chestnut Class at New Walk Museum
- 28th November - FOSS Break The Rules Day
- 5th December - School Santa Fun Run
- 9th December - EYFS/KS1 Nativity
- 12th December - FOSS Christmas Disco
- 13th December - Cross Country at Moira Primary School
- 15th December - FOSS Winter Warmer
- 17th December - Whole School at Pantomime
- 19th December - School Closes for Christmas

