



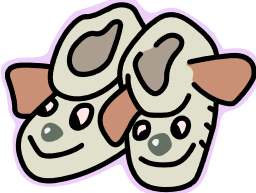
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Dear Parents/Caregivers

It is so good to see so many children bringing slippers or soft shoes to wear in our nice warm classrooms. They can leave their gumboots or wet shoes out in the cloakroom.

FREE FLU INJECTION

We have had a note from the Canterbury District Health Board advising us to inform parents:

“To help avoid winter ills and colds, all children under the age of 18 are entitled to have a free flu injection (only available until 31 July). Make an appointment with your local doctor to arrange for your child to be immunised”.



ATTENDANCE

Once again with winter nearly upon us there will be times when your child/ren will be absent from school, so please call us on our 24/7 answerphone (3497561 Option 1) and leave a message telling us why your child/ren are away. If you don't ring us, we are required by law to contact you, and having at times to ring up to 10 families takes such a lot of our time.

Also if there is no message from you (the message must be from an adult) your child/ren will be marked as a Truant and this will stay on their records for the rest of their schooling.

‘PLEASE, PLEASE RING US’



REPORTS

On **Friday 10 June** you will be receiving a written progress report on your child's achievement in literacy and numeracy. Full information will be given in the next newsletter.

SCHOOL DONATIONS

Along with this newsletter there is an invoice for school donations for families who have yet to pay. Thank you to all those families who have already paid, your donations are helping with the upgrading of our swimming pool.

CROSS COUNTRY

It was nice to see so many parents supporting their children at the cross country held last week. A team was selected to represent the school at West Zone Sports on Tuesday and once again they did South Hornby proud with their good behaviour and effort.

HAGLEY SPORT – SENIOR SYNDICATE

Hagley Sports team competition begins on Friday 27 May and runs through until August. Children involved in this competition will have received a separate notice, but please note with the disruption to the grounds and traffic we cannot guarantee they will be back by 2.50 p.m.

REMINDERS

- Hot Dog Day – Friday 20 May. A separate notice will be sent home on Thursday.
- Middle Syndicate Trip to Ferrymead on Thursday 26 May.
- Term 3 – Teacher Only Day on Tuesday 25 October, therefore Term 3 will not commence until Wednesday 26 October 2011.

Thanking you

Lindsay Penman
Principal



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After School Programme – Vacancies available

After school programme based at Hornby Primary School from 2.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. Monday to Friday. Afternoon tea provided, homework space, craft activities and lots of fun. For further information please contact Kirsty PH: 349 3905 or 021 1748499

JUNIOR SYNDICATE - FERRYMEAD TRIP RECOUNTS **BY ROOM 6**

Samantha Room 6

On Thursday the Junior Syndicate went to Ferrymead. First some people got dressed in old day clothes. Next the teachers called groups out. We made lolly cake. It was very wicked.

Chelsy Room 6

On Thursday the Junior Syndicate went to Ferrymead. First some children put on some dresses. Next we went to school. It was awesome.



The School House



The Movie Theatre