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# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER Friday 31st January 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

## Headteacher Post

The interviews that were planned for this week for the Headteacher post did not go ahead. The field of applications was not wide enough so the advert will go out again in a couple of weeks. Please do spread the word and encourage any prospective headteachers to apply.

## **ParentPay**

Next term, we are looking to make all school payments via ParentPay – to include school meals, trips, wrap around care etc. Please can you ensure that you have set up your ParentPay Account. All children in Reception, 1 and 2 received a letter last week. Thank you for your help.

# Parents' Evening Appointments

On Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February we will be making appointments for KS2 Parents' Evenings which take place on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February and Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February. If you wish to see me, I will be available on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> during Parents' Evening but not available on the Thursday evening. I am available in school most days if you wish to discuss your child's progress or development.

#### Gambia Visit

Next Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February we will be having our own clothes day and cake sale to help raise money to take some of the children from Mandinary on a day trip. Please can children in houses **Doves** and **Robins** bring cakes to sell on Friday morning. Donations of £1.00 for wearing own clothes and cakes will sell at 50p each.

### PTA Events

Next Thursday 6th February the PTA will be collecting clothes which will be weighed. Money raised will go into PTA funds. PTA are looking to provide more ipads for school in the next year. Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February - PTA Meeting at the Woodberry at 7.30 pm - all welcome. Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February - Family Chocolate Bingo - please see separate letter.

















# School Lottery

This week's winner is Mrs Wright.

#### Safer Internet Week

The week before half term - Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February is Safer Internet week. We will be learning about e-safety in school. Please make sure you have all the parental controls necessary on your children's devices and do speak to your children regularly about e-safety.

## Brownies in Bridgnorth

Bridgnorth Brownies have spaces for girls aged 7-10 years. They enjoy having fun, doing crafts, games and challenges whilst working for badges. Further information can be found on <a href="https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents">https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents</a>

If your daughter is interested, please contact <u>firstbridgnorthguides@gmail.com</u> or register your interest at <u>www.girlguiding.org.uk</u>

I cannot believe we are already at the end of January 2020. It will be good when we start to see some lighter evenings ahead of us. Have a restful weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Hampson Headteacher















