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12th October 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Harvest Presentations and sale of produce - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

Just a reminder, unfortunately, we are not in a position to have the whole school and parents together inside due to the Covid 19 restrictions, therefore on this coming Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October we will be holding Harvest Presentations from the children outside on the playground in front of the stage.

The presentations will be at staggered times before the end of the school day and you can take your child home when your child's class have finished. If you are unable to join us, your child will return home at the normal time.

We will also have a sale of produce for parents of the school. Money raised will be donated to the Congo Children's Trust who we continue to currently support in building a new school. I would be grateful if you could donate any gifts for the Harvest Table this week. Any fresh produce, please send in on Thursday or Friday morning. Thank you. **Please note if the weather is poor, we will record and show the class presentations on Facebook.**

### **Times for Harvest Presentations on the Playground**

2.00pm- Reception & Infant Assessment Class  
2.15pm- Key Stage 1  
2.30pm- Year 3&4  
2.45pm- Year 5&6 & Junior Support Base

### **Mrs Baker**

On Friday, Mrs Baker will be leaving us for a couple of terms to join the staff at New Marske Primary School, one of the family of schools in our Trust. Mrs Baker will be teaching at the school whilst continuing with the next stage of her teacher training. We wish her all the very best in her new role.

### **Marske United FC**

The school is working in partnership with Marske United FC with teams playing and training at St. Peter's. They have kindly offered a free adult ticket to home senior league games during the season. If you wish to use the ticket, please get in touch with the school office.

### **School Photographer- Monday 8th November 2021**

The school photographer will be in school on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November and this year photos will be taken in the Main School Hall from **8:30am**.

Due to the increase in pupil numbers and the tight schedule, I would be grateful if parents would only come to school if they have a younger child, who is **not** yet attending school nursery or the Ark, or an older sibling who is in secondary school (please seek consent from your child's secondary school to attend), who needs to be photographed with their brother or sister. It would also be helpful if you could indicate on the slip below if you will be bringing siblings (not currently attending St. Peter's) to be photographed with their brother or sister in school so that we have an estimation of how much time this will take. This has been very helpful in the past for our planning of the day and from the slips we are able to collate a list of which families we are expecting to arrive on the day.

As you arrive at school with younger siblings you can make your way to the school hall and will be issued with a number which indicates the order in which the photographs will be taken. Once you have received your ticket you

will be asked to sign your school aged child in with Katy to ensure they receive their morning mark.

Once the family photographs have been taken we will begin as in previous years, with the younger pupils in Nursery and St. Peter's Ark. Any children who attend afternoon sessions will have their photograph taken at the beginning of their session. If your child is absent on the day, your child and their siblings will have the opportunity to be photographed on the re-take day which will be confirmed at a later date.

Please make a choice from the options below, you will receive a form for each of your children that attends St. Peter's and will need to complete each one as necessary

Hopefully these arrangements should alleviate some of the large queues and delays we have had in the past.

**Please note the school will close for half term on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October and will re-open on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021. Our next Professional Development Day will be on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021.**

*If you require further information relating to these or any other issues please contact the school.*

Thanks for your continued support

Richard Unthank  
Headteacher