

## Informer Number 2

Term 1 — 21st October 2016

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**Welcome:** A warm welcome to Erikas Pinskis who joined us this week. We also welcome Emily Chu who joins us as administration assistant for The Pathway Academy Trust. Emily will be based in the school office on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

**Harvest Festival:** Thank you for all your donations to the Gravesham Food Bank. We delivered 132kg of food and other items to support the local community.

**Phil the Bag:** The next collection will be on Friday 4th November. Please bring bags to the school office during the week after half term. We collect adult and children's clothing, shoes, handbags, belts, hats, curtains, towels and bedding. Plastic bags are available from the school office.

**Stand Up To Cancer:** Unfortunately we had to cancel the Comedy Night as we did not sell enough tickets. Please do try to support our events through the year as profits will go to the Stand Up To Cancer charity.

**Kent Cooks Competition:** The challenge: To create a savoury or sweet dish. The budget is £2.50 per portion and children must be able to cook this dish by themselves. If your child would like to enter the competition, please email a photo of them with their dish and a copy of the recipe to Kerry by Friday 28th October. Kerry's email address is [goodeak@aol.com](mailto:goodeak@aol.com).

**Toys:** We have always advised that children may only bring one pocket sized toy into school. Please monitor this from home.

**After School Clubs:** Clubs will continue after half term and run until w/c 5th December. As we have a waiting list for most clubs, please advise the office if you no longer require the space so we can offer it to another child. Please use the side gate when collecting from clubs.

### Dates for your diary:

Fri 21st Oct—End of term 1

Mon 24th Oct to Fri 28th Oct—Half term

Mon 31st Oct—Start of term 2

Wed 2nd Nov— Reception Coffee Morning—9am

Thu 3rd Nov—Yr1 trip to Historic Dockyard Chatham

Fri 4th Nov—Nature Day 2

Fri 4th Nov—Phil the Bag collection

Fri 11th Nov—Yr3 & 4 Cinema trip

Fri 11th Nov—Yr5 & 6 production—7pm

Mon 14th & 15th Nov—Class photos

Tue 15th Nov—Yr5 assembly—9am

Wed 16th Nov—YrR, 1 & 2 Cinema trip

Thu 17th Nov—Yr4 assembly— 9am

Thu 17th Nov—School lunch food tasting—2.30pm

Tue 22nd Nov—Yr3 assembly—9am

Wed 23rd Nov—Yr5 & 6 Cinema trip

Thu 24th Nov —Yr2 assembly—9am

Wed 30th Nov—Yr1 assembly—9am

Thu 1st Dec—Movie night—4pm

Wed 7th Dec—R & KS1 nativity—2pm

Thu 8th Dec—R & KS1 nativity—9.30am

Fri 9th Dec—Christmas Fayre

Thu 15th Dec—Christmas lunch

Thu 15th Dec—Yr3 & 4 Panto—7pm

Fri 16th Dec—Class parties

Fri 16th Dec—End of term 2

Tue 3rd Jan— Start of term 3