SWINEMOOR
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday, 17th October 2025

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

We have one week left of this rather long first half term! School breaks up for the half term holiday a week today (Friday 24th October). We return on Monday 3rd November. Thank you very much for your efforts to ensure that children are here in school every day, unless they are ill and really should be at home. I am sure you understand that the children who have very high attendance levels have the best chance of success in their learning. Every day really does count. Thank you for helping us to get the very best from your children.

We are all looking forward to the X factor Competition next Friday. Please remember to send a bag of 'pop star' clothes with your child that day. The event will be filmed for you to enjoy over the half term holiday.

Shortly after we come back from the week's break, we will be holding our annual Remembrance Service in school. As I am sure you are aware, it is tradition and respect to wear a poppy on such an occasion. We will be selling poppies in school from next week. If you would like to make a charitable donation in exchange for a poppy, please send some small change with your child so that he or she can buy one. We suggest that 50p/£1 might be an appropriate amount, but do simply give what you can afford.

Congratulations to the girls from Y5/6 who represented the school in a football tournament earlier this week. Mr Hardy and Miss Hobson report that their behaviour and sporting skills were excellent. We are very proud of them all.

A gentle reminder once again that flu vaccinations will take place in school straight after half term. If you do not sign your child up for the vaccination, they will obviously not receive it. We will not be telephoning to check. Your GP will be able to answer any questions that you may have about the vaccine.

Thank you for sending your children to school punctually in their smart school uniforms and black shoes. I would just like to remind you that it is very important for them all to have a coat to put on at break times, so that they can remain warm and dry as the weather becomes cooler and wetter.

I hope that you all have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing the children again on Monday morning.

Yours sincerely,

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