SWINEMOOR
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday, 6th November 2026

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

It has been lovely to see the children in school again following the half term break. Many have been to see me with Learning Beyond The Classroom work and other projects that they completed with you at home over the holiday. Thank you for working so hard with your children. Your support at home really does help them to make more progress in school.

This half term is a very busy one. Next Thursday, as well as holding our traditional Remembrance Assembly, we will be welcoming representatives from the Marines, Army and RAF into school. They will be hosting workshops for the children, as well as some PE sessions. Thank you for sending small change in to school so that poppies can be bought and worn. Next Friday it is Children In Need day. Our School Council has decided that they would like to invite the children to dress in pyjamas or comfy lounge wear that day. If you would like to donate to this worthy charity, please do so directly via their website. There is also an athletics event next week at Longcroft – good luck to all of those taking part! Many of our older pupils represented the school in a table tennis tournament earlier this week. They were praised for their good behaviour and sporting skills.

I would like to give you some dates for your diaries, as Christmas is fast approaching!
Tuesday 15th December at 10.30am – EYFS (Mrs Boyd's class) – Nativity.
Tuesday 15th December at 2.30pm – Y5/6 (Mrs Newton's class and Mr Hardy's class) – Christmas Play.
Wednesday 16th December at 10.30am – Y1/2 (Mr Williams's class and Mrs Day's class) – Nativity.
Wednesday 16th December at 3pm – Y3/4 (Miss Frank's class and Miss Wilson's class) – Carol Concert.

There will also be Parents'/Carers' Evenings on Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th December. Further details to follow.

I look forward to seeing the children again on Monday morning. Thank you for doing your very best to make sure that they come to school regularly and punctually. Please remember to phone or email the office if your child is unwell or cannot attend for another reason. I would like to thank the many parents and carers who try to organise dental and medical appointments carefully around the school day. Children who miss the start of the day really do lose a lot of learning. We also find that they are less settled when they do not arrive in school alongside their friends. If appointments really must be made during school time, we do appreciate you trying to avoid the start of the school day.

I do hope that you all have an enjoyable and relaxing weekend with your families.

Yours sincerely,
Mr. L. A. Myers MBE
Head Teacher

The School Council would like you to know that this week's Green Task is: 'Reduce water waste by turning taps off when brushing your teeth.'

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