

# Pickering Community Infant & Nursery School

## School Newsletter No 2

21st September 2018



Handouts

Email:

Hard copies:

- ✚ Packed lunch  
Policy and letter  
for Packed Lunch  
children
- ✚ Autumn Lunch  
letter—packed  
lunch children

It's hard to believe that we are already three weeks into a busy Autumn term. The children are settling well into their daily routines and last week's Key Stage One Writing Week was a huge success with children working really hard on a range of writing whilst focusing on targets pertinent to them. Children in Years One and Two will have brought their targets home with them and any support you can offer with helping them to work on these would be greatly appreciated. As always, if you would like any additional support or guidance on how to support your child with this, or any other learning at home, please just ask your child's class teacher.

Thank you to all those people who turned out to support our Friends of School AGM. Four committee members were elected in and we are particularly grateful to Carrie Wessels, Angela Durant, Donna McAnulty Rickard and Gemma Taylor-Bird for agreeing to do this. They are looking for volunteers for their next major event which is the Christmas fair. If you are able to offer some support in the organisation of this, please leave your details with the school office.



Reminder .....

September Birthday Assembly 2.30pm Friday 29th Sept  
in the school hall.

## Individual School Photos

The school photographers will be in school on Monday 1st October. All

the children have an individual photograph taken. In addition, the staff will arrange for

children who have siblings in school to have a photograph taken together. If you would like your pre-school children to have a family



picture with their brother/sister, please sign up on the list near the school office to book a slot. The children will bring home a small proof of their photograph(s) with details of how to place an order, however you are under no obligation to buy.

## Flu Vaccinations in School

### For Reception Y1 and Y2

If you haven't already registered for your child to have the flu vaccination in school but wish to do so, please complete the online consent form at [www.hdft.nhs.uk/flu-consent](http://www.hdft.nhs.uk/flu-consent)

entering the secure school code:XR655 as soon as possible.

Thank you.

The vaccination team will be coming

into school on Monday 1st October for the children whose parents have opted for the vaccination.

## Playground Buddies

We are looking for Y1 and Y2 children to take on the important role of a Playground Buddy.

Playground buddies are taught key leadership skills and different games to play at lunch and playtimes. They are trained and supported each Monday by Robbie Hawkes our sports coach.

It is a responsible job which includes modelling good behavior, being kind to others and helping to organize games for other children.

If your child would like to be a playground buddy please email a video of your child stating why they would make a good playground buddy to Miss Bointon at her school email address—[ladybird@pickering-inf.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:ladybird@pickering-inf.n-yorks.sch.uk) by Friday 28th September or, alternatively Robbie will take names and videos on Monday morning, the to videos will then be viewed by Miss Bointon select a buddy. Successful buddies will receive a letter in the coming weeks.



# Design a poster competition!

Pickering Surgery would like you to design a poster to help encourage people to get their flu jab.

There are 3 age groups: Under 5's, 5-7 year olds and 7-11 year olds.

What you need to do:-

Design/colour your own poster

Put your name, school and age on the back of your poster.

Hand it in to your school by **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September**

The winner from each age group will receive a year pass to Dalby forest **AND** have their poster printed to encourage people to have their all-important flu jabs.

*Good Luck!*

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## *Pickering Library*

*Saturday 6th October - Free entry*

*Biscuit Decorating—Card making—Family Singalong—  
Japanese Drumming (Booking required) and more....*

*A worldwide campaign for culture made by your community,  
for your community.*

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*Your support for your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please let us know if there is any adjustments we need to make to help you support your child, for example: letters in large font; letters in different languages; wheelchair access; explaining things over the phone.*

*Spare newsletters are available in the rack outside the office, together with term time dates, holiday forms, uniform order forms*

*Tel: 01751 472620      email: [admin@pickering--inf.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@pickering--inf.n-yorks.sch.uk)*

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