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**THE WEEK AHEAD: Diary for the week beginning 8th October 2018**

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| **MONDAY** | * **KS2 Dance with Castleford Tigers – After school** * **Guitar lessons with Roundhay Music** | |
| **TUESDAY** | * **KS2 Football with Castleford Tigers – After school** * **Brass lessons with York Music** * **Class 1 & 2 trip to Harlow Carr** * **Parents E-Safety Evening – School Hall 6pm** | |
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| **WEDNESDAY** | * **KS1 Gymnastics with Castleford Tigers – After school** | |
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| **THURSDAY** | * **KS2 Gymnastics with Castleford Tigers – After school** | |
| **FRIDAY** | * **KS1 Multi Sports with Castleford Tigers – After school** * **Tuck Shop** | |

**House Points (collected and reported by Bethany and Liberty)**

This week’s winners are Becca with 759 house points ☺

**Aberford Achievements**

**Ruby Walshaw** for her amazing Roman mosaic artwork

**Madeleine Bodey** for her hardworking, focused attitude to learning

**George D** for a fantastic knowledge of, and superb writing about, different habitats in Science

**George H** for fantastic descriptive writing

**Emily** for an outstanding description of a scene from ‘ Street Child’

**Chloe D** for displaying a wonderful understanding of all elements of place value

**Bronze awards** for 50 House Points were awarded to Megan, Jack, Millie SJ, George D, Lottie, Erin, George H, Benjamin, Jacob, Ava, Freya, Harry D, Millie P, Charlotte, Bethany H, James S, Daisy, Herbie, Chloe S, Bethany S, Kara and Beth P

**A Silver award** for 100 House Points was awarded to Oliver Knox- Renshaw

**Ofsted**

As you know, we received a visit from Ofsted on the 18th of September. The inspector carried out a one day inspection to confirm that we continue to be a good school following our previous section 5 two day inspection in May 2014.

I would like to thank you for your support during the inspection. Not only did many of you complete Parent View and speak personally to the inspector but you also offered words of support and encouragement on the day which were very much appreciated. We were all determined to make sure that the inspector knew about all we do!

We hope you enjoy reading the letter. It celebrates our strengths and confirms that we are on the right track to build on them even further. We are all incredibly proud of our school and with our fabulous children, strong staff team and supportive parents, I have no doubt that we will continue to go from strength to strength.

**School Calendar**

The school calendar is now updated on our website. Please download the calendar to keep up to date with events in school.

**PTA News**

Just a little reminder - if you are able to offer any help at all to help make our Halloween party a success, please can you let Sarah or a member of the PTA know? The help needed ranges from cooking a chilli to manning the bar for an hour. Many hands make light work so any help at all would be gratefully appreciated.

Thank-you to everyone who has offered to help already. A WhatsApp group has been set up to help co-ordinate the event. If you want to be part of the group, please let us know.

Jenny, Rosh, Lisa & Caroline

**Dates for your diary**

**15th November** - Individual and Family Photographs

**22nd November** - Flu Immunisations

**27th & 28th November** – Parents’ Evening