

## **Meadowfield News** 6th July 2023



## Message from Mrs Stout

Busy as ever here this week—with a mix of weather (it felt like autumn on Monday!)

It is a full newsletter again reflecting the many activities which have taken place this week and last, so do enjoy looking at them. We go from gardening to Marks and Spencers to a new school meal provider! We know the school meals are too small a portion at present and this was simply not right so we have swopped providers and are certain our new Caterers will ensure things are much improved next year! See overleaf for more information. PS popcorn chicken is

## Spanish Conversation of the Week



¿Hablas español?

Do you speak Spanish?

Sí, solo un poco

Yes, just a little

Earlier this half term, 3LBJ visited the Marks & Spencer's archives at Leeds

University.

They went to discover more information about different fabrics and to gather ideas for their carnival masks and costumes. The children got to spend lots of time dressing up and doing experiments with fabrics and learning about where they came from.

Did you know nylon was made from oil and silk from silkworms?

Their behaviour was impeccable, and Caroline (our host) commented on how well the children listened and how brilliant their answers were!





Gardening Club at work

Here are gardening club—super busy watering their lettuce, beetroot, courgette and broccoli! Green fingers all round.



These are the new raised beds we have had built to enable our gardening club to grow vegetables for us to eat. It seems they are working a treat.



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Friday 7th July—INSET—school closed for training

Sports Days 10th and 11th July—information has already been sent out

Monday 17th July Theatre group

Week beginning 17th July—reports will be sent out during this week

Friday 21st July Y6 leavers' event

Monday 24 and Tuesday 25th July are school closure days

Diary Dates for the rest of this term:



Our catering arrangement will be changing in September, and we are delighted to welcome Hutchison's as our new contract caterer. Hutchison's will replace the outgoing contractor, Taylor Shaw. We believe that Hutchison's will bring their flair and passion for food and their commitment to providing quality and nutritious meals for our children, staff and visitors. Hutchison's will be in touch with more details, but in the meantime we would really appreciate your support by signing up for school meals in September. Hutchison's serve over 100 schools in our region and

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Event	"Meat Free Monday"  Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges & Sweetcorn	Italian Chicken & Tomato Pasta with Broccoli	Roast Gammon with Creamy Mash Potato, Gravy & Carrots	Cottage Pie with Sweet Potato Top & Green Beans	Popcorn Chicken with Chips & Baked Beans or Peas
Vegetarian Selection	Quorn Chow mein & & Sweetcorn	Vegetarian Curry with Rice & Broccoli	Veggie Sausage with Creamy Mash Potato, Gravy & Carrots	Macaroni Cheese with Dough Sticks with Green Beans	Quorn nuggets with Chips & Baked Beans or Peas
Picnic	Freshly Prepared Sandwich, Wrap or Baguette, with Mixed Salad, Healthy Snack, Dessert of the Day or Fresh Fruit				
Jacket Potatoes	Crispy Baked Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings, Mixed Salad Dessert of the Day or Fresh Fruit				
Desserts	Chocolate Crunch Cookie	Apple Crumble & Custard	Fruit In Jelly	Honey & Oat Muffins	Chocolate & Vanilla Swirl

we were impressed with the pride and attention to detail when we visited some of their other schools. We hope your children enjoy dining with our new catering partner.