

## Newsletter

Friday 19th January 2018 No.1

# **WELCOME BACK**

Welcome to the start of the Spring Term and the start of 2018. As part of the new beginnings the month of January often brings, we would like to introduce you to our new look newsletter.

To keep parents and carers informed of current learning and key school messages, our newsletter will now be published every fortnight on a Friday. As well as pupil achievements in school, we would like to celebrate their achievements outside of school. Should your child have a personal success story outside of school, please email in a photograph and brief explanation so we can include it in our newsletter. Should you have any ongoing feedback of how our newsletters can be improved further.

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### **LET'S GET COOKING!**







All pupils took part in the Junior Chef Academy session on Monday 15th January. The sessions involved educating pupils about the importance of making healthy food choices and preparing some simple dishes. The Nursery pupils pictured, used their practical skills, fine motor control and communication to work together and support one another throughout the session. Nursery enjoyed selecting the right equipment for their food preparation, using their fine manipulative skills to cut up their ingredients appropriately. They followed step by step instructions given by the chef resulting in some wonderful creations. Pupils especially enjoyed tasting the spicy tomato pasta dish and were full of positive feedback about the experience.



## ROBIN HOOD, MAID MARIAN AND THE MERRY MEN VISIT BARLOWS



On the first day back the children thoroughly enjoyed a pantomime performance of Robin Hood put on by M&M Theatre Productions. The show was a real treat for everyone on their first day back after their seasonal celebrations. The pupils especially enjoyed the dance off between Mr Owens and Mr Campbell!



### **DOGS ON SITE**

A reminder to all parents and carers that **dogs are not allowed on the school premises.** This includes dogs being carried in the arms of the owner. We would be grateful if you can respect this school rule.



### **KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### **Upcoming Dates**

Meet our new Headteacher, Mr. Robinson— **Wednesday 24th January at 9.10am and 3.00pm** in the main hall.

Year 4 Swimming—22nd January, 29th January & 5th February

#### A Reminder of the Remaining Term Dates

Half Term: Monday 12th February— Friday 16th February Spring Break: Monday, 26 March—Friday, 6 April 2018

Bank Holiday: 7th May 2018

Half Term: Monday 28th May—Friday 1st June 2018
Staff Inset Days: Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th June 2018
Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th July 2018