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Dear Parents / Carers

**Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:**

Reception: All of Reception class- well done for settling in so quickly.

Y1: Zen for trying really hard with his writing, well done!

Y2: Evie for always sitting sensibly and trying hard in all subjects.

Y3: Amelia for excellent literacy work-writing instructions using adjectives and adverbs.

Y4: Jude for writing a perfect piece of dialogue with brilliant reporting clauses.

Y5: Emily who has worked hard at everything we have done all week.

Y6: Rosie for excellent work in science this week.

**Congratulations:** to Mrs Thomas and her husband on the safe arrival of Oliver who was born on Sunday night.

**Children's Liturgy:** takes place during the 10.30am Mass in St. Chad's church. This is a special opportunity for the children to come together to hear a simplified version of that's days readings and do a short activity.

**Macmillan Coffee Morning:** will be held this year on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 9.00am in the DT room, with the sale in the computer bay. As last year was such a huge success we will once again be holding a "Bring and Buy". We would be grateful for any nearly new gift etc. as well as toys and books, with cakes on the day.

**Swimming:** Y3's lesson finishes at the baths at 3.15pm, so they are back at school generally at 3.40pm. Parents who collect children from other classes are welcome to wait in the DT bay for their return. Please make sure that all items of clothing worn to swimming are named – including pants!!

**Parking:** you may have read in the local press that some of the local residents have been upset by inconsiderate parking. Can I ask that you park legally and with courtesy for the neighbours? Also remember that the car park next to the apartments, despite not having a sign, are for residents only.

**School meals:** Dudley catering have increased the cost of a school meal to £2.10 with effect from the 1<sup>st</sup> September. If you think you may be entitled to free school meals please ask for a form. We have been interviewing today for a new catering manager – details soon.

**Winter Uniform:** with this current spell of warm weather you may send your children to school in summer uniform if you choose. However from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October all children must wear winter uniform. Any outgrown uniform would be appreciated for the nearly new uniform sales.

**Breakfast Club and After-school Club:** is provided on site in the mobile. Breakfast club starts at 7.30am, the children are brought into school at 8.45am. After school care can be provided up to 6pm. This is run by Sedgley Kids Club who can be contacted on: 01384 815645 or 07989984940.

**Reception Class:** as from Monday morning, once Reception class' door is opened, all parents are to leave their children at the class door and not follow them into class.

**Y6 visit to BMAG:** if you have not already sent in your contribution of £10.50 for this visit, please do so on Monday. Children can also purchase £3.50 Goody bags. Monies for these need to be sent into school on Monday, to enable us to order them from the shop at BMAG. Children need to be in school on Wednesday for **8.20am**, school uniform must be worn and they need to bring a packed lunch.

**After School Activity Clubs:** start on Monday, please see reverse for details.

Enjoy your week.

**S. M. Mason**