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Michaelmas

In 2 weeks time will be the festival of Michael. The archangel Michael helps human beings to face their destiny with courage. All around us nature is ripening and soon will shed its glorious clothing and stand around us bare. Michael beckons us to face and accept that although nature goes through a dying process, the human soul is rooted in the spirit and is rich and full of hope.

Marie-Reine

Michaelmas Festival

As every year we will celebrate Michaelmas together with the Eurythmy School. Our celebration will take place this year at 8.45 am on Monday, 29th September after a short practice. All members of the school community are warmly invited.

Clothes and shoes

were left behind by Class 7/8 on the last day of term, also a few other bits and pieces. They are in a black bag in the new building. Please do come and raid if you think there is anything belonging to your family. Eventually we will have to pass these on to Oxfam, or such-like. Please tell Class 7/8 and their parents if you think they will not see this.

Thank you,
Mary

Car Parking

Please continue to use the bottom car park. Because of kindergarten relocation there are now more cars so please take extra care, don't overstay and remember it's best to reverse into your space.

Parents Teachers and Friends School Development Meeting

Tuesday 16th September 8pm

What are the school's main strengths and weaknesses? What do we, as a school community, need to do to make the most of our strengths and remedy our weaknesses? What can we do to raise money, increase involvement and improve communication?

After a very short introduction the plan is to split into groups for discussion and then to reconvene to feed back to the whole meeting. We would like every school family to be represented.

College of Teachers

CALENDAR

Eurythmy class for adults: Thursdays 8.45 School Hall

Parents' meetings:

Class 6/7: Tuesday 23rd September
Class 4/5: Tuesday 30th September, 19.30
Class 2/3: Tuesday 14th October
Class 1: Tuesday 21st October
Kindergarten: to be arranged

Michaelmas Festival: Monday 29th September at 8.45

Coordinators' Meeting: Wednesday 5th November at 10:45 in New Botton Farm

Eskdale Trust: Tuesdays at 20.00: 7 October, 4 November, 2 December, 24 March, 19 May, 16 June

PTF Development Meeting: *for the whole school community* Tuesday 16 September, 20.00

AutumnTerm 2008

Wed 3 Sep to Fri 19 Dec

Holiday: 27 – 31 Oct

SpringTerm 2009

Mon 12 Jan to Fri 3 April

Holiday: 16 – 20 Feb

Summer Term 2009

Mon 27 April to Fri 10 July

Holiday: 25 – 29 May

May Day 4 May

Next Copy date: 25 09 2008

Please send handwritten articles to Marie-Reine Adams or to the school, and you can also email articles from the website or from the address at the top of the Courier.

Lee and Marie-Reine