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Dear Parent

TEMPORARY CLEANING JOB

We are looking for a cleaner to cover long-term sickness, the hours will be 3.30pm – 5.30pm (10hrs per week), term-time only, and the hourly rate is £9ph. There will be the possibility of some overtime in the school holidays as and when needed. Please contact the office if you are interested.

CHOCOLATE SPREAD SANDWICHES (LUNCHBOXES)

Due to increasing numbers of children with severe nut allergies, we have made the decision not to allow chocolate spread sandwiches in packed lunches. As we cannot determine whether parents would be using Nutella (which does contain nuts) and other chocolate spreads that do not, the safest thing was not to allow them at all, in order to safeguard those children with allergies. If a child does bring one in it will be sent back home in the lunchbox and an alternative sandwich provided at a cost to the parent. We appreciate that this may sound harsh; however, we have a duty of care to those children with allergies. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

NEW COVID GUIDELINES

From Monday 17 January, the 10-day self-isolation period for people who record a positive PCR test result for COVID-19 has been reduced to **5** days. Individuals may now take LFD tests on day 5 and day 6 of their self-isolation period. Those who receive two negative test results are no longer required to complete 10 full days of self-isolation. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period and tests must be taken 24 hours apart. If both these test results are negative, and you do not have a high temperature, you may end your self-isolation after the second negative test result and return to your education or childcare setting from day 6.

SCHOOL MEAL INCREASE

Please be aware that as of 18 April 2022 there will be a 5p meal increase applied by Dolce, due to rising inflation and minimum wage increases. The new weekly amount will be £11.25. Thank you.

YEAR 6 SATS MEETING

To prepare our Year 6 children for their SATs, we are holding a meeting for all parents this Thursday 27 January at 2.40pm.

KS1 HOUSEPOINT WINNERS – HORSE CHESTNUT

Horse Chestnut are the housepoint winners for the last half-term. As a reward, all children in KS1 Horse Chestnut house can wear their own clothes this Friday but should be **green** (no football shirts please).

KS2 HOUSEPOINT WINNERS - OAK

Oak are the housepoint winners for the last half-term. As a reward, all children in KS2 Oak house can wear their own clothes this Friday but should be **yellow** (no football shirts please).

HUMRAAZ SUPPORT SERVICES

Humraaz Support Services is a Blackburn based specialist led by and for BME Women and Girls service. Over the years we have supported hundreds of women affected by domestic abuse, honour-based violence, sexual violence, and other forms of harm. We offer advice, guidance and support women to move from crisis to safety and independence. We are culturally sensitive and understand the needs of diverse backgrounds. Our service is free and multilingual.

We provide:

- **Refuge** – a safe place to recover nurture and grow.
- **Community** – a central hub to engage Black and Minoritised Ethnic women to upskill, connect and improve their wellbeing through participation of various activities to include one to one coaching, self-esteem, coffee mornings.
- **Professional** – a peer support group for the development of professional Black and Minoritised Ethnic women through workshops, networking, mentoring and topical discussions.

Call us on 01254 695800 for confidential advice and more information or email info@humraaz.org.uk

ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLY AWARDS – THURSDAY 20 JANUARY

Class of the week	-	RA
KS1 Woman of the Match	-	Mehreen Shazad (2B)
KS2 Woman of the Match	-	Khadeeja Jahangir (3B)
KS1 Empty Plate/Healthy Lunchbox	-	Haniya Inam (2B)
KS2 Empty Plate/Healthy Lunchbox	-	Zahraa Dodia (4S)

SCHOOL CLUBS

Please note all school clubs have now started.

Please remember if your child is doing a sports club they MUST come to school in their PE kit on their club day as well.

If you have any questions please contact Sara Burton on s.burton@wensleyfold.blackburn.sch.uk or 07805929965.

CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY WINTER CHALLENGES

Any CU passports which have been handed in will be returned next week, all child will have it back by Friday. Please look out for this as no responsibility will be held by the school once they have been returned.

HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Please note letters will be going out soon so activities which will be happening during half term. Please look out for this as places will be extremely limited.

BLACKBURN CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY TRIP AND ACTIVITIES

A letter will be going out about an outdoor activities trip to the Anderton Centre for CU members in March. Details including year groups will be sent out soon. Please keep an eye out.

INTERNET SAFETY POSTER COMPETITION

Further details have been emailed out about this. There are some great prizes to be won and CU members can collect a stamp in their passport too!

RECEPTION FUND

Reception Fund for this term is now due - if you haven't already done so, please pay £10 at the school office. Thank you.