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## Dear Parents,

Welcome back after half term. I hope you had a restful time and that you had fun too. The children, as ever, are full of stories about what they have been up to!

A huge thankyou goes to the Friends of Naburn for both the Movie Night and the Halloween event. Both were well organised, well attended and great fun! Thanks also to the Blacksmith's Arms for hosting and to Herbie's Dad, Rob, for his spectacular show!

The newsletter has been rather long recently, so in response to some parents' wishes for a more concise approach, here is a page of news....let me know what you think. Here's what's on this coming week:

Tues 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Individual and siblings school photos Speed Sports Club – Premier Sport KS1
Weds 7 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Open Day for potential new starters for 2019 10am – 5pm Open the Book
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Archery Club – Premier Sport KS2

<u>Aladdin DVDs</u> These are on their way and will be delivered shortly. Thankyou to all those who have been involved in this job. It is much appreciated.

**Stillingfleet Carols** We have been asked if any children would like to take part in the Carol Service at Stillingfleet on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm. Please let me know if your child would like to take part, perhaps reading out a Christmas poem or Bible passage. I realise that this is a busy time of year, and I cannot attend, but wonder if someone could help. It is great that we have been asked and a super way to become more involved in the community and spread the word about how super our children are.

<u>Children in Need</u> This year we will be joining in Children in Need on Friday November 16th. The children have decided that they would like the option to wear pyjamas for the day or come in non-uniform and bring in a £1 donation towards this super cause. This is also the same day as the Friends of Naburn non-uniform day for the Christmas Gala, so please also bring in a donation for the tombola stall (nut-free chocolate or sweets please!).



<u>Poppy Appeal</u> Poppies will be available this week for a small donation. Members of school council will be collecting donations each day on the playground before and after school. This year, there is a range of merchandise and, taking note of what some parents said last year, the items this year are useful 'stationery items' such as pencils and rulers, rather than plastic slap bands and wrist bands. Your child is welcome to choose an item and/or a poppy.



<u>Gift Aid</u> Please find attached more information regarding the opportunity to gift aid to school, should you be interested.

Many thanks, Mrs Christison (Headteacher)