

IT'S A KIND OF MAGIC



To celebrate the start of a New Year we have a very special day planned on **Thursday the 5th October** 'It's A Kind of Magic' with Dazzling Darren the magician. Alongside this we will be having a Magical Lunch and Dazzling daytime activities! Children can come dressed in something they think is Magic! Make sure your child is in school!

HARVEST SERVICE

On Friday 20th October we will be having our Harvest service in St Barnabas Church. This year we will be supporting our local food bank at the Farcliffe Centre in Heaton. We have chosen the theme '**Winter Warmer Harvest tin Challenge**' and are asking for tins of soup as donations to help families get through a tough winter ahead, especially with rising fuel and food prices. We will be counting in on the tins collected and the winning class will get the opportunity to deliver the food. **Please send your donations in as soon as possible. Thankyou**

MCMILLAN COFFEE MORNING FUNDRAISER

The Mothers Union are holding a Coffee Morning on Saturday 30th September to raise money for Cancer Research. This will be held at St Barnabas Church from 10.30am – 1pm. Tea and home made cakes will be on sale. Do please go along and support such a worthy cause and enjoy the home baked delights.

ATTENDANCE

We are already starting to see an increase in late arrivals in school & leave of absence overseas. As you are all aware attendance is an area in school we always struggle to keep close to the National Expectations. We will not be authorising any extended leave without valid reasons.

Attendance

Best attenders last week were **4CM 97.7% Well Done!**

Whole school attendance for the week was **96.3%**.

Attendance for the year so far is at **96.2%**

Please note absences will now be queried and proof of illness be required.

<u>Class</u>	<u>% Attendance</u>
RC	NA
RM	NA
4CM	97.7%
4B	97.1%
3P	97.1%
1A	96.7%
5G	95.6%
5M	94.8%
2J	94.7%
3D	94.5%
6S	92.8%
1B	92.4%
2B	92.1%
6W	90.7%

Please ensure your child comes to school every day. If your child is poorly, please remember to call school on 01274 545019 option 1, to let us know the reason.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 26th September – School Individual pupil photos

Friday 29th September – Year 5 Lantern Workshop all day

5th October – **Dazzling Darren Magic & Special Attendance Day**

Friday 20th October – Harvest Service in Church 9.00am

Friday 20th October - School closes for Half term 3.15pm

Monday 30th October – School Opens 8.35am