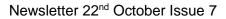
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**Letters sent home & eSchool messages this week**: Mind Peer Support Service, Parents' Evenings, Swimming kit (4S), PTA Halloween Events, Local Trip Consent Forms

Dear all

Another short contribution from me today.

Please may I remind you of the following events coming up very soon:

Zoom Disco on Friday evening: Please see flyer and message for further details

**Halloween Trail** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> October: Again, please see flyer and message for further details of this new and exciting event organised by Highworth Friends

**Parents Evenings**: Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November, booking system now open. See message sent earlier this week

I wish everyone, children, staff and parents a peaceful and joyous half term break after a long a busy 7 and a half weeks.

Very best wishes

Clare Pankhania

#### ATTENDANCE

The display board at the front of the school shows each year group's weekly attendance.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TARGET IS 96% BEST ATTENDANCE: 97.9% (CLASS 1LS) WELL DONE

OUR WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS WELL BELOW TARGET AT 92.4%

We hope to see an improvement next half term

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES THIS WEEK:**

Half Term (school closed) Monday 25<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October

Children return to school on: Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November** Swimming Lessons (4S)



#### **PARENT ZONE**



If you would like to book a free trial session for your child or have any questions, please contact us at <a href="mailto:cricket@2Bactive.com">cricket@2Bactive.com</a>

Kind regards,

Chris Burnard Director Inspire 2B Active

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Cameron Parsons Director of Cricket High Wycombe Cricket Club

#### Support for Families during Half Term

The Helping Hand service will be providing support to Buckinghamshire families this October half term. We are working with our local Voluntary Community Social Enterprise organisations, which includes food banks, community fridges and hot meal initiatives, to ensure there is a breadth of services available. Residents can also visit https://directory.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/ to find out what is available in their local area. Families in Buckinghamshire can access support by contacting the Helping Hand team on 01296 531151.

#### **<u>Child Car Seat Law Reminder</u>** The rules for vans are the same as for cars.

Child car seat law by age

#### Child up to three years old

Who is responsible? The driver Front seat: Correct child car seat must be used. Rear seat: Children under three must be in a child car seat. If there's no room for a third child seat in the back of your vehicle, children aged three or under can use the front seat but only if they are in a child car seat. If your vehicle doesn't have seat belts in the back, a child under three can't travel.

#### Child from third birthday up to 135cm in height, or 12th birthday, whichever they reach first

**Who is responsible?** The driver **Front seat**: Correct child restraint must be used. **Rear seat**: If there's no room for a third child seat in the back of your vehicle, children aged three or older can sit in the back using an adult belt. <u>https://www.which.co.uk/reviews/child-car-seats/article/child-car-seat-laws-uk-and-abroad/child-car-seat-laws-in-the-uk-ay4Sj1h8HGhU#child-car-seat-law-by-age - Which?</u>

## Highworth Friends PTA

# Virtual Halloween Disco

### Date: Friday 22nd October 2021

Time: 6.30pm - 7:30pm

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Dress Code: Party / Halloween / Spooky

Entry fee: Nothing, it's free :)

Venue: From the comfort of your lounge! (via Zoom)

(Zoom link will be provided nearer the time).

Please help us run a safe event by having your camera on when you join. This event is run by Highworth Friends, not the school. If you have any questions at all, please contact <u>highworthfriends@gmail.com</u>





25RD OCTOBER 2021 BETWEEN 9:30AM - 3:30PM



