Moor Nook Primary School

It's time to come back to Moor Nook

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A Word from Andy, Rob and Andrea

Well, here we are! Doesn't time fly when you're having fun?

It's hard to believe that we're already approaching our first half-term holiday. We break up this Friday, and what a few weeks it's been at The Nook!

We want to say a huge thank you to our wonderful kids, our hardworking staff and, of course, our parents and carers.

To our kids - you've given us so many reasons to smile. We've seen kindness, determination, laughter and some wonderful examples of children making good choices. We're proud of you!

To our staff - thank you for your energy, patience, dedication and willingness to go that extra mile. Changing a school doesn't happen overnight, but every little step matters, and we're certainly moving in the right direction.

And to our parents and carers - thank you for getting behind us, supporting the changes and working alongside us. We're building something special at Moor Nook, and we couldn't do it without you.

There's still plenty to do, of course. Rome wasn't built in a day, and neither is a brilliant school! But the foundations are being laid, the smiles are growing, and there's a real sense that we're all pulling in the same direction.

One school. One community. Together at The Nook.

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Harvest Service

This has been postponed now due to the inspection

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Couple of bullet points – quick wins – help us to help you

Just three little reminders that will help keep everything ticking along nicely!

Flu Vaccinations – Final Reminder!

Our school nurses will be visiting **this Friday** to administer the flu vaccinations.

If you haven't yet completed the consent form, please do so as soon as possible. We'd hate for anyone to miss out simply because a form has slipped through the net!

Here's the link: https://www.manage-vaccinations-in-schools.nhs.uk/consents/pdldklJnDn/flu/start

Waterpark – Come On, Kids, Give It a Go!

The deadline for signing up for Waterpark is **this Friday!**

Come on, kids! Let's give it a go! A chance to try something different, have a bit of an adventure, make some memories and, most importantly, have a brilliant time.

You never know what you might enjoy until you try it!

Friday is the deadline, so don't miss out!

Breakfast Club – A Little Reminder!

Our Breakfast Club is up and running, and it's all good!

Just one little point to clarify, please.

If your child attends Breakfast Club before 8.20am, this is a paid service.

We love welcoming the kids into school bright and early, but we do need everyone to follow the same arrangements so that we can keep the club running smoothly.

Thank you for helping us get this right!

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This Week's Focus - Join us, help us, support us

Number of pupils	Overall attendance %	Overall absence %	Unauthorised absence %
169	93.4%	6.6%	2.6%

Persistently absent

Number of persistently absent pupils	Percentage of persistently absent pupils
32	18.9%

Severely absent

Number of severely absent pupils	Percentage of severely absent pupils
2	1.2%

Your overall attendance 93.7%

You are in decile 10, the bottom 0-10% of schools

Attendance has dipped a little.

But here's the good news. It is still better than this time last year.

And this week has been a great week. The numbers just haven't caught up yet. Give it time.

Every day counts.

One day off every two weeks doesn't sound like much. But over a school year, that adds up to nearly four weeks of school missed.

If something is making mornings hard, come and talk to us. We will help.

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Rip it and Pin it

Diary Dates for the fridge Headlines for the fridge

Date	What's going on	Things to do
Tuesday 20th October	Governing Body Meeting	Just our termly meeting!
Tuesday 20th October – Wednesday 21st October	OFSTED inspection	
Friday 23rd October	Our 2nd attempt at Flu immunisations!	The nurses are in doing their annual flu jabs.....
PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM. Do it on your phone! Do it now! Spread the news! Lets get it filled in! Don't walk past a Nook Family without saying "Have you done your flu vaccine! https://www.manage-vaccinations-in-schools.nhs.uk/consents/pdldkUnDn/flu/start		
Friday 23rd October	School closes	School closes at normal time, have a great half term
Monday 2nd November	A training day for adults. No school for the kids	Keep your kids at home!
Tuesday 3rd November	Kids come to school. 8.45am start	Welcome back
Tuesday 3rd November	Our after school club will start!	More details will come from me when I've spoken to Nicci (who runs our holiday club!)

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Tuesday 10th November	**Parents Evening** The appointment slip will come out today. You have a choice of 2 days On the night of parents evening post it notes will be left out, with pens – write a note of "good work" or "well done" to your kids – They'll love it in the morning, when they see your note. I promise there is nothing more powerful than school and home working together for these young kids. I promise it makes a massive massive impact	Return the slip to the class teacher – it will come out today!
Wednesday 11th November	**Parents Evening** The appointment slip will come out today. You have a choice of 2 days On the night of parents evening post it notes will be left out, with pens – write a note of "good work" or "well done" to your kids – They'll love it in the morning, when they see your note. I promise there is nothing more powerful than school and home working together for these young kids. I promise it makes a massive massive impact	Return the slip to the class teacher – it will come out today!

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