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**HALLATON C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
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ALL ANGELS AFTER SCHOOL CLUB – TEXT/WHATSAPP BOOKINGS TO 07511512851

BREAKFAST CLUB – 8.00am – 8.45am Email: office@hallatonprimary.leics.sch.uk

Dates for the Autumn Term:

27th October – Year 5 & 6 trip to Bletchley Park – uniforms and packed lunches

2nd – 5th Nov – Year 5 & 6 Bikeability

7th November – Rutland XC

10th November – Girls Rutland League Football

11th November – Send Coffee Morning

11th November – Remembrance service @ 10.45am

12th or 19th November – KS2 Sportshall Athletics TBC

19th November – Boys' Pokemon Football Final

13th November – Children in Need

16th November – KS2 Swimming Gala

17th November – Boys' Rutland League Football

18th November – RISE Gym Competition

Dear parents and carers,

We've had a busy end of term!

On Monday afternoon, two of our parish Councillors launched a competition for the children to design the new Woodland area near the bus stop!

On Wednesday, we had Vicky from Severn Trent Water talk to us about the journey of water and how it reaches our taps. KS2 also did a workshop on understanding the sewer system... with some practical hands-on examples!!

On Thursday, we learnt about the importance of FairTrade and reflected upon the importance of giving farmers a fair price from around the world. Thank you to everyone that baked, bought or cakes this afternoon! I will let you know how much money we have raised.

On Friday morning, we completed our first visit to the James' farm as part of the Farming Initiative. Thank you to the James and Astill families for all their prep beforehand and for organising such an interesting trip. The children looked at some very large farming machinery, saw how the farmer fed his cows, planted seeds in a furrow and identified which seeds produced which food and drink. We also hugged the big Oak Tree! Thank you to Christine, Joe and Becky for accompanying us.

Every week as part of the children's global education and awareness, we have a class assembly focussing on current news and issues from around the world (Picture News). So far this term, we have discussed diverse topics such as, the Bayeux Tapestry, Homelessness and the Rights of Wild Animals to their own Habitat. This week we have looked at AI and asked the question- *Do we need it everywhere we go?*

We encouraged debate and asked children to think about how we use computers and in which situations we should try and rely upon ourselves.

Finally, I really enjoyed ending the term on a high with our Harvest Festival. Well done to all the children for being brave and speaking and performing in front of an audience! The singing was great too. Thanks to Pastor Brian for supporting us and for all the families that came along.

Thank you to my staff, governors and Friends of Hallaton for all your support and hard work this term.
Have a wonderful holiday everyone!

Best regards,
Claire
Mrs Claire Stevens
Headteacher

Drama Taster Session – KS2 children are welcome to join a free drama taster session on Monday 26th October 3.15 to 4.30pm in the hall. Please email the office to let them know if your child will be attending.

Clubs: Autumn Term Clubs

Monday	Drama Club front playground 4.30pm
Tuesday	French club – 12.30pm Lunchtime Premier Education Football club - Main gate 3.15 - 4.15pm Core Dance Club - front door 3.15 - 4.15pm
Wednesday	Gymnastics Club 8.00-8.45am – EYFS school gate Guitar Lessons 9.00am Young Voices Choir alternate lunchtimes. Craft Club – Rectory door 3.15 - 4.15pm
Thursday	Elite Football playing field 3.15- 4.15pm – two more weeks Premier Education Nerf Games in the hall - 3.15- 4.15pm
Friday	Brass Lessons – Lunchtime