Another busy week here at school! We’ve had a visitor in forest school, Year 6 had their Bikeability training and Oak class assembly is today. We’ve also had a great turn out for both our parent’s evening this week! It feels like autumn has arrived with lots of fun on the playground with fallen leaves!

This week we have also welcomed two wonderful new children, Rowan in Year 3 and Astrid in Year R....WELCOME!!

On Friday 3rd November (back by popular demand) the PTA will be hosting a Halloween Spectacular at the School, 5-7pm. It is open to all children, parents and siblings of the school. It is a great opportunity for parents to get to know each other and the children to around in the dark (they love it!). There will be optional fancy dress and a pumpkin carving competition and other traditional Halloween activities. I am looking for volunteers, please let myself or the school office know if you can do any of the following:-

Supply apples for apple bobbing/making toffee apples
Make toffee apples
Provide potatoes for baked potatoes
Cook and bring baked potatoes
Make meat chilli topping for baked potatoes
Do shopping for the event
Make a ghoulish soup e.g. blood red tomato (not pumpkin)
Make Halloween themed cakes
Provide Halloween decorations
Help pre-event to set up, light fires and decorate
Help during the event serving food etc
Provide wood for campfires
Any other ideas!

Thank!
Mum’s Night out
Just a quick reminder that Mum’s night out is tonight at 8pm at The Bridge Inn, Michaelchurch. All Mum’s welcome.

Harvest
Sunday 22nd October 11:00am
This year we have been invited to join the Michaelchurch community Harvest Thanksgiving Service at St Michael’s Church in Michaelchurch on Sunday 22nd October at 11:00am. It’s a great opportunity to support the local community and it would be wonderful to see as many children and their families as possible. Following the service, there will be a delicious lunch in the Escleyside Hall (school hall) – tickets for the lunch will be available through the school office.

Gold Awards
Astrid: For her smiley, happy nature.
Lala: For good maths.
Lara: For helping others.
Ariadne: For persevering in all her work.
Edith: For good fractions work.
Isla: For concentrating and focusing well on fractions.
Tobi: For amazing fraction work.
October Half-Term Adventure Days – Longtown
For 8-12 year olds

Tuesday 24th October
Go Underground!

Wednesday 25th October
Climb Pen y Fan, the highest mountain in southern Britain

Thursday 26th October
Explore the Brecon Canal in an open canoe

Friday 27th October
Climbing and Challenges at the Centre

All Activities - £22 per child. For more information, to make a booking and payment, please go to http://www.northamptonshiresport.org/events and enter the postcode HR2 0LD on the right hand side. Limited places!
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