## Forthcoming courses at the Village Green Childrens' Centre

## **Family Learning**

## Parents' Forum

If you could help make decisions and new improvements to Children's Centre whilst gain new skills, access training and improve services at no cost we have a date available on 10.02.16, 9.03.16, 13.04.16, 11.05.16, 15.06.16, 13.07.16, 14.09.16, 12.10.16, 11.11.2016 & 14.12.16 9:15am.-11:15am, light refreshments, pastries and fruit will be provided. We will also provide childcare 0-5 years.

## Maths and English e-learning Assessments

These can be any day, any time between 8.30am-4.00pm Monday-Friday (using the centre's PCs) or can be completed at home. emoxey2vrf@nsix.org.uk.

## **Breast Feeding babycafe**

Every Monday from 1:30pm to 3:00pm at the Village Green Children's Centre. It is completely free. Come along, relax and put your feet up in our comfortable breast feeding surroundings. Breast feeding support is also available.

# D.I.A.L

Last Thursday of every month 1-3pm Drop in for help and advice to reduce financial exclusion.

## **Wellbeing Service**

Wellbeing offers a range of free and confidential support to help people make changes to improve their wellbeing and to help them cope with common mental health and emotional issues such as low mood, stress, anxiety and depression. Our service is for 16years and over living in Norfolk and Waveney.

# **Mobile Library Service**

The Mobile Library Services will be available between 3:15pm-4:05pm on the following dates:

Dates to follow.

It is free to join and borrow books (children's, teens, adult fact or fiction. DVD loan 50p)

For more information call 01493 789562 or email <a href="mailto:emoxey2vrf@nsix.org.uk">emoxey2vrf@nsix.org.uk</a>

# **MOORLANDS C.E. PRIMARY ACADEMY**



FRIDAY 8th January 2016

Important inform on, upcoming events and date or your diary.

## **Dates for your Diary**

21.01.2016– Parents Forum Meeting 10:45am 25.01.2016-29.01.2016– Travelling Book Fair 12.02.2016– Half Term 22.02.2016– Term Starts

\*\*\*Full list dates for 2016 to follow

#### **Welcome Back**

Happy New Year. It has been lovely to welcome such enthusiastic children back to a new term and to hear all their Christmas news. Staff are looking forward to a busy term of learning with much to look forward to.

Our core value this half term is **RESILIENCE.** Please help us to help your children persevere, bounce back and jump the hurdles that can sometimes be put in their way.

## **Storytime for Reception**

Year 5 pupils will be leading storytime sessions for reception children during lunchbreak. Initially the stories will explore the emotion of loneliness in line with our work with Empathy Lab this term.

#### Parents' Forum

The first Parents' Forum will be on 21st January at 10:45. We hope you can attend if you are able. This will be an opportunity to find out more about the school, to evaluate what is good and what could be better, and also to have your say, as well as having the opportunity to network with parents and professionals.

# **Celebration Assembly**

Every Monday Mr Lee leads a celebration assembly to acknowledge children who have demonstrated core values in a notable way. Parents/carers of these children will be invited to join us between 9:00—9:30. We look forward to welcoming many of you over the term.

# **SAFS (Student and Family Support)**

Moorlands are building a strong student and family support team. We understand that to learn and develop children need to be happy, healthy and safe. If you would like to talk to a member of the SAFS team please choose option 2 from the phone menu.

Designated Safeguarding Leads: Mrs Church/Mr Siddles

SAFS Key Lead: Mrs Church SAFS Lead Worker: Mrs Simpson

SAFS Assistant Lead Worker: Mrs Gray-Read

## **Staff Training**

As a whole staff we are always learning to ensure we continually improve so that all children receive a good education. This week staff have received training in phonics, with a follow up session next week, and have also attended workshops on emotional literacy.

#### **Hot Lunches**

Please note a change to the school lunch menu: Week 2 Monday will be Pizza Wednesday will be Beef Mince Bolognese Desserts will stay the same.

#### **Bike & Scooters**

For health and safety reasons all pupils need to walk their scooters or bikes whilst in the school grounds.

#### **Breakfast Club & After School Club**

Please can I remind all parents that all sessions should be **booked** and paid for **in advance**.

## **Parking On School Premises**

For safety of your children please do not park on school grounds unless an agreement is in place with the school or Village Green Children's Centre.

# **Gymnastics**

Due to circumstances beyond our control, there will be no gymnastics for the foreseeable future.

## **Mobile Library Service**

The Mobile Library Services will be at the Mill Lane Community Centre every four weeks between 10.25-10.55 am, dates to follow.

It is free to join and borrow books (children's, teens, adult fact or fiction. DVD loan 50p)



Can we please ask that if your child is going to be late into school to please call the school office if they require a hot dinner or jacket potatoe before 10:00am. Any requirements after this time cannot be guaranteed. Can all dinners yet unpaid for be paid up to date. If you have any concerns please contact the school office.