Forthcoming courses and Information Village Green Children Centre

#### Online e learning Courses

Book a course Monday to Friday any time between 9am-4.00pm (use the centre's PCs) or once signed up for online learning, complete at home at a time to suit you.

## Other Activities

#### Breast Feeding Support Group

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

Baby Massage—Booking forms available in Centre Reception

Baby Bloom—Booking forms available in Centre Reception

#### Stay & Play Sessions

Are you worried about your child's speech or communication? Come along to the **Chatterbox group** on **Thursdays 9am-10.30am**.

Pop into the Children's Centre to pick up an Activity Programme or email to request one.

## <u>D.I.A.L</u>

Last Thursday of every month 1-3pm FREE and Confidential Drop in for help and advice on debt and all money matters. If you wish to book an appointment call Becky Goffin on 01493 789562.

Like us on Facebook and/or follow us on Twitter @villagegreen9

For more information and to book any of the course please call 01493 789562 or email: childrenscentre@moorlands.norfolk.sch.uk

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



Important information, upcoming events and dates for your diary.

# **Friends of Moorlands**

The Moorlands PTA held their AGM on the morning of the 22nd September and have relaunched as the 'Friends of Moorlands'. There is a new committee and chair, Alex Hemp, who have got some great ideas! Watch this space for upcoming events and a chance to have your say. In the meantime the first Committee Meeting will be next Friday 29th September at 8:45 and everyone is welcome.

## Library Books

We have spent a significant amount of money on new books over the past few months and are trying to keep the number of lost and damaged books down to an absolute minimum. Before your child brings home a library book, please talk to them about how to look after it properly and ensure that it doesn't get lost. Normal wear and tear is, of course, absolutely fine but last year several books were returned that had been covered in fruit juice, chewed by dogs or dropped in puddles! If books are lost or seriously damaged, we will be asking parents for a contribution of £5 to help cover the

cost of replacing them.

## **School Premises**

For safeguarding reasons the school gate at Tesco's will not be unlocked till 3:15pm.

Also we cannot allow parents to walk around the school when dropping children off in the morning and picking up at the end of the school day. If you require any information or help, please come to the main office.

# Hot Meals

If your child/children are going to be late for school and require a hot dinner or jacket potato please call the office before 10:00am. \*\*\*Please note on Thursday 5th October the meal choices will be either Pasta Bolognese, Margarita Pizza or Jacket Potato.

# No Nuts Policy

Its very important we work together and follow our 'No Nuts Policy', please ensure your children have a nut free packed lunch and any snacks when at school. We have had several cases where Nutella sandwiches have been brought into school. We cannot allow this to happen as we have several children who have a severe nut allergy which can be life threatening.

#### **Belongings**

Can we please ask that all children bring a water bottle to school and on hot days a sun hat and sun cream.

We are asking children to take home all belongings at the end of each week. This includes any PE kit, coats, lunchboxes or trainers. Hopefully this will reduce the amount of lost property that accumulates in the school and also will allow the cleaners to thoroughly clean the cloakrooms. Many thanks in anticipation.

## **Breakfast and After School Club**

Please ensure your child or children are pre-booked into both clubs. Due to adult to children ratios, this service may not be available if you have not booked.

Can you ensure when collecting your child/ children from after school club you sign them out with a time otherwise you will be charged up to 6pm.

\*\*\*Please make sure you cancel any bookings with at least 24 hours notice otherwise you will still get charged.

\*\*\*If you need to contact either club outside office hours please call 01493 789249.

# Library

We are fortunate to have the Norfolk Library Service Mobile Library stop at the school. It is important that this service is used when it is here as otherwise we may lose out. The next visit will be on Wednesday 18th October 2017

#### **Belton Church**

Usually the first Wednesday of every month starting at 6:00 p.m. - 7:30p.m. As the name suggests it is a messy church; a style of service which begins with a shared meal and where adults and children, currently aged between 0-13 years, can discover the bible through crafts and activities. We meet at church where there is parking available.