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## Autumn term

Welcome back to everyone and we hope you had a good summer, and for once it was mainly dry so hope you were able to get out and about.



This is a longer term running up to the end of October, but an exciting one for pupils settling back into their classes and with new peers and staff to get to know.

It will also be our **Ofsted** inspection year, and quite possibly term. If you would like to take part in the online survey which is available, and put your contributions about school forward, please visit: <http://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/> And we thank you for all your support.



## Coffee morning.

### Inset dates to note:

Our inset training day in September when school is closed to pupils is **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September.**

### Information update.

Please make sure you give school any changes of telephone numbers etc, so we can amend our records for contact, and ensure that you are contactable in case of emergencies. Thank you.



## Mudder challenge.

Four staff are taking the challenge of completing a crazy assault course and run over a 12 mile distance to raise funds for the 'Funds for Fun' funds. Jackie Keeling, Rob Kohut, Kath Hampson and Jo Morris will be taking on this challenge, on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September. If you wish to support this fund raising event please go to .....  
<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/team/2013toughmudder>

## Speech and language therapy support.

There will be some additional time from Speech and language therapy this year to support our whole school communication developments.

If you do not wish your child to receive any additional class support time please put this in writing to Helen Smith via school.

Communication workshop information will come out shortly for signing and body signing. Please do come and join us and meet other parents and carers.

## Pool.

Swimming at Ivy House Hydro-pool. We run a range of events in our pool including lifeguard training qualifications, family swims, swimming lessons and also splash parties.

For more information contact the team at:

[ivyhousepool@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:ivyhousepool@hotmail.co.uk).



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