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Dear Parents and Carers,

It was lovely to catch up with so many of you face to face at Parents' Meetings. We hope you found the meetings informative.

Throughout the year we try to keep you up to date and well informed about your child's work and events in school through a variety of channels including:

- Regular Newsletters and updates
- Home/school Reading Record books
- Homework
- Parents' Meetings and curriculum workshops
- Celebration events
- A written report on progress and achievement (Summer Term)
- Our school website and Twitter
- Our open-door policy, providing opportunities for you to speak to SLT and teachers about concerns/worries etc. throughout the year
- Review meetings for children on the SEN register

Teachers are normally available to discuss individual children at the end of the school day. You are most welcome to make an appointment to discuss your child's progress or any concerns at any time during the year. Concerns or queries can also be discussed with the Band Leaders- Miss Hughes for F2, Mrs Higgerson for KS1, Miss Russell for Y3/4 and Miss Wood for Y5/6 and the Senior Leadership Team.

Wirral Foodbank

We have just received a certificate of appreciation from Wirral Foodbank. They would like to thank Greenleas for the magnificent amount of food donated – 278kgs of food (that's a quarter of a ton!). A fabulous achievement, thank you!

Squid Game

It has been brought to our attention that some children in school have been watching the new Netflix show 'Squid Game'. If you are not aware of this new programme it is rated 15+ and highly inappropriate for primary aged children to be watching and contains graphic scenes and violence.

Further information available via the link.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/wakeupwednesday/squid-game-trending-across-platforms-what-parents-need-to-know>

Photographs

Today your child should bring home a photograph proof. Information on how to order online is on the sheet too.

Safeguarding

Day 10 of the 100 Days of Safeguarding-Locally and nationally there have been many examples, including two recent fatalities in Merseyside, of deaths and injuries to young children caused by poorly installed fire surrounds falling on them. Advice and further information can be found via the link: [Falling Fire Surrounds - Wirral Safeguarding Children Partnership](#)

FOG AGM reminder

The AGM will be held via Zoom on Tuesday 19th October 2021 at 1:30-2:30pm. It will provide opportunities for you to meet the current committee, learn more about FOG and find out how you can get involved! Please email the school office if you would like to attend. A zoom link to the meeting will be provided nearer the time. We look forward to seeing you all at the AGM, many thanks in advance for your support.

Parking in Greenleas Close

Many thanks for your continued support in helping to reduce cars in Greenleas Close at drop off and pick up. This is making the area much safer for our school community. On Monday 18th October keep your eyes peeled for some important information about upcoming plans to further reduce cars in the Close.

Non-Uniform Day - Friday 22nd October 2021

On Friday 22nd October 2021 we will be holding a non-uniform day in return for a donation towards Wallasey Village Christmas Lights appeal. In the morning, buckets will be available at the school gates for donations. Many thanks in advance for your support with this Wallasey community event.

Communication during the school day

If you need to contact us during the school day please use email (schooloffice@greenleas.co.uk) in the first instance or telephone for emergencies. We are still working with a reduced number of staff in the office and the building work has reduced the number phone lines we have available. Please be patient as it may take longer than previously to communicate with us.

Diary Dates

October 2021	
19.10.21	FOG AGM Virtual Meeting at 1:30pm
21.10.21	11+ results emailed out
22.10.21	Break up for Half term Non uniform day – fundraiser for Wallasey Village Christmas Lights
November 2021	
01.11.21	SDD3 – School Closed
02.11.21	Children return
09.11.21	Whole School Flu Immunisation
12.11.21	CIN Day
w/c 15 and 22 nd	Y5/6 Swimming Guinea Gap
w/c 15.11.21	Anti-Bullying Week
18.11.21	Prospective New Parents Open Day 4pm
w/c 22.11.21	POOC Assemblies
23.11.21	Prospective New Parents Open Day 9:30am
25.11.21	F2 ICT Enrichment
December 2021	
16.12.21	End of Term

Don't forget to check the school website regularly: www.greenleasprimaryschool.co.uk or follow us on Twitter @greenleasps

Warmest wishes
Mrs Sharon Edwards
Headteacher