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Dear Families

It has been a busy week again here at Tankersley.

I would first like to congratulate our Y6 boys football team. They entered a local school competition and won! They were fabulous sport's men, and I was proud of them, as was all the rest of the school.



First Aid

I would like to let parents know that we are changing our procedures regarding first aid. If your child gets a bumped head or injury, a note is issued. If it is a bumped head, it is an A4 bumped head note. I know with having children myself that sometimes, they don't always get to you (or in my boy's case – they never got to me!). So, we are now going to send you a text to let you know if your child has had a head bump.

Vapes

There has been a lot of press coverage recently about vapes and how they are being marketed to attract a younger audience. We are getting a lot of emails from the authorities to ensure that we are educating our children about the dangers of vaping. I would really appreciate your support with this and would like to ask that you don't vape on our premises. Many thanks.



Harvest Festival

It is our harvest festival church visit on the 5th of October. If you would like to donate any non-perishables, we will be taking those from Monday. If you have any perishables which you wish to donate, could we have them on the 2nd of October? Many thanks for your support. The donations are spread between a women's refuge and Glebe Court.

Parking Issues

This week, my lovely school council wrote a letter to Miriam Cates about the road and parking issues that the school is facing. I sent this letter to the church, the Chronicle and BBC Sheffield. Here is the letter that they wrote.

Dear Miriam Cates,

I am writing to inform you about the speeding that is going on around the school. The roads around the school are not safe for children to cross. Also, if you live in Birdwell you have to cross the M1 bridge and the crossing to get to the school is not safe as people often speed.

I recommend that the area around the school is reduced to 20 miles an hour.

Also, if you could install something like a pelican crossing that would be a great help when they cross the roads.

There is another problem and that is people are parking in the area around the school gate, where the children go to school. There are markings that say you cannot park, but people are ignoring them.

I hope that you can help us,

Yours sincerely,

Hannah (Chair), Blake (Vice Chair), Dolly (secretary) and Brooklyn (treasurer)

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards

Vicky

