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Dear Parents,

As we reach the mid-point of this half-term here are just a few reminders in relation to upcoming events:

Monday 16th March – 7pm - PTA meeting in school

All parents are very welcome and encouraged to attend. We welcome new ideas and all offers to help at our events. If you are unable to attend this meeting but would like to offer your assistance please contact the school office.

Thursday 19th March – Treasure Island Trip (Class 1)

Please can all parental consent forms and payments be sent into school by Monday 16th March at the very latest.

Friday 20th March – Class 3 Assembly (9.15am)

Parents and grandparents are invited to attend. Refreshments will be available before the assembly.

Friday 20th March – School Sleepover (Years 2-6)

Please can all consent forms and payments be sent into school by the deadline given in the letter.

Wednesday 25th March – Non-Uniform Day

All children may come into school in non-uniform in exchange for an item of chocolate for the tombola to be run at the Easter Coffee morning.

Thursday 26th March – Easter Service – 2.30pm in Irthington Church

All parents and grandparents are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served by the ladies of the Church after the service. Please complete the attached form to indicate arrangements for your child/ren to be collected following the service by Monday 16th March.

Friday 27th March – PTA Easter Coffee Morning & Egg Hunt – 9-10.30am

Everyone is welcome to attend. Includes cake stall, chocolate tombola and raffle. Donations for the raffle and cake stall are welcome.

Friday 27th March – End of Spring Term

Please note that school closes at 2pm today.

Sunday 26th April/Monday 27th April – Air Ambulance Collection

The children will be sent home next week with air ambulance bags for filling with unwanted clothes, bags, pairs of shoes, belts, blankets, pillow cases, duvet covers and sheets. Empty printer ink cartridges and unwanted mobile phones can also be donated in a separate bag.

Bags will also be distributed in and around the local villages (Irthington, Newtown, Newby, Laversdale and Old Wall) and collected from doorsteps from 10am on Sunday 26th April.

Bags can also be left in the school yard between 9-10am on Monday 27th April.

Our last collection in October 2019 raised a fantastic £224.80 for both the Great North Air Ambulance and Irthington School.

The Great North Air Ambulance relies upon donations to continue to operate, which is particularly important in rural areas, so please support this cause whenever you can.

Monday 22 – Friday 26 June – Residential Trip Hawse End (Years 3-6)

The March payment is due by 31st March. There are still a few outstanding amounts in relation to the February payment. Please can we have those paid into school by the end of this week.

Yours sincerely

Lynn Harrison

Easter Service – Thursday 26th March – Collection arrangements:

I will be able to attend and will take my child/ren.....home after the service.

I will not be able to attend but will collect my child/renafter the service.

I will not be able to attend but have made arrangements for my child/ren.....to be collected by.....

I will not be able to attend and would like my child/renwalked back to school and sent home by school transport.

Signed..... Date.....