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*To create a school where we all:
go further than we thought!
run faster than we hoped!
reach higher than we dreamed!
to become the people God meant us to be!!!!*

Dated: 6th October 2016

Dear Parents & Pupils,

Here is newsletter number 5 for this academic year;

1.	Christmas Cards
2.	Uniform
3.	News starters' lunch
4.	FOSS
5.	Cluster sports
6.	Open afternoon
7.	Crucial Crew
8.	Vacancy
9.	Forest Schools
10.	Thank you
11.	Stationary
12.	Race for Life

1. A reminder that the deadline for the return of Christmas card orders is Friday 14th October. This is a definite deadline!

2. We have had a few reports of school uniform going astray and although we're only a few weeks into term our lost property box is already over-flowing. It is very difficult to reunite clothing with its rightful owners if it is not labelled correctly! Could you please ensure that your child's uniform is labelled preferably with their surname.

3. A reminder to the parents of Reception Children that tomorrow is the newstarters' parents' lunch.

4. FOSS would like to thank all who supported their bingo evening. Details of the date for the rescheduled AGM will be forwarded when available.

5. Well done to both our football and netball teams who played in last week's cluster tournament. The football team drew two matches and lost one. The netball team also played well, they won one of their matches and lost three. Both teams showed great team spirit and tried really hard.

We wish both teams good luck in this evening's matches

6. There is an open afternoon in school tomorrow, Friday 7th October, 1.30-3.00pm. This is for families who may be thinking of sending their children to our school, so please encourage anyone you know who may be interested to come along. There is a further open day on Thursday 17th November for those unable to attend tomorrow



7. A reminder to the parents of Year 6 children that tomorrow it is the trip to Crucial Crew at RAF Leeming, the coach leaves at 8.15am and children need a packed lunch.

8. We have a post advertised on the NYCC jobs website for a part-time, temporary general teaching assistant/ midday supervisory assistant. If you know anyone who may be interested I would be grateful if you could draw their attention to this vacancy

9. Next week Miss Tubb will be attending 'Forest Schools' accreditation training. The philosophy of Forest Schools is to encourage and inspire by an educational approach to outdoor play and learning in a woodland environment.

10. Our thanks go to Mr. Botham who braved the heights and took to his ladder to fix the school bell. It is lovely to hear it once again chiming each morning.

11. We would like to ask that children do not bring their own pens, pencils and rubbers into school, the use of smelly pens, bendy rulers and tiny rubbers is causing far too much disruption in lessons. We have sufficient suitable stationary in school for all to use.

12. A reminder that next week on Friday 14th October we are running 'The Race For Life'. If you did not return your child's consent and would like them to take part please contact the school office.