



July Newsletter

Friday 7th July 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children all had a very exciting time this week when they went to meet their new teachers and Year 6 went to visit their new schools. Everybody found their way and lots of parents also took the opportunity to meet the new class teacher too. There was a fantastic learning buzz all around school. It was lovely to welcome new children and their families into our Nursery and Reception.

It is a busy time of year for trips and events in school. Music concerts were performed for parents and it was good to see the wide variety of instruments and to see the children celebrate their skills, thank you to all who arranged and performed at the concerts.

We heard that Year 3 children had a great day out at the NEC visiting the dinosaur event and Year 4 enjoyed their trip to Conkers.

Some children from Year 5 worked on their enterprise skills on a visit to the Chamber of Commerce. Some children in Year 5 have also taken part in a cricket tournament and played really well.

Again thank you to all parents who have supported with these events.

At the end of this term we are saying goodbye to some of our staff: Ms Howes, Mrs Chiles and Mrs Moyle are all retiring, we wish them all a long and happy retirement. Miss Neill is moving back to Leeds and taking on a promotion in her new school. Mrs Clifford and Mrs Deane from Year 2 are also moving on to new challenges. We hope that they all enjoy their new roles and look forward to hearing how they are getting on.

Have a great weekend.

Attendance News

For the week 19th-23rd June the following classes achieved our 97% target: 1H, 2HM, 3C, 3W, 5A, 6N. The winning class was 1H with 99.3% well done. Our overall attendance was 94.5%. The class with no lates was 5S, well done.

For the week 26th-30th June we didn't have any classes achieving our 97% target as many families were celebrating Eid. The nearest was 1H with 93.6%. Our overall attendance was therefore quite low this week at 88.2%. The class with no lates was 4F, well done.

Dates for your Diary

<u>July</u>	<u>July</u>
Monday 10 th Nursery end of year shows at 10.30 and 2.30 pm	Wednesday 19 th Reception trip to Weston Super Mare
Tuesday 11 th Sports Day at the Transport Ground on Wheelers Lane a.m. KS2 p.m. Reception and KS1	Thursday 20 th 10am-12pm Nursery to Hickory Dickory
Wednesday 12 th at 7pm Leavers Production	Thursday 20 th Bouncy Castle for Reception
Thursday 13 th at 7pm Leavers Production	Friday 21 st at 9am Leavers' Assembly
Thursday 13 th Reception parent meeting for Weston trip 3.40 pm	Friday 21 st at 12pm Whole school picnic
Thursday 13 th Morning Nursery stay all day, Nursery closed to afternoon children.	Friday 21 st break up for the summer holidays
Friday 14 th Reports to parents	Monday 24 th Training Day
Friday 14 th Year 6 to Safari Park	Tuesday 25 th Training Day
Friday 14 th Afternoon Nursery stay all day, Nursery closed to morning children	<u>September</u>
Friday 14 th at 3.00pm School nurse drop in	Monday 4 th Training Day
Monday 17 th from 1.30pm Open Afternoon	Tuesday 5 th Children return to school

Sports day Tuesday 11th July

Key Stage 2 (Years 3 – 6) are walking to the Transport Ground first thing and we welcome as many parents as possible to walk with us and encourage the children as they take part in a variety of events. Key Stage 1 (Years 1 and 2) and Reception will be ready to start walking to the Transport Ground at 12.30pm so again we do need as many parents as possible to walk there and back with us, thank you.

School Picnic Friday 21st July

Parents are very welcome to join us for our end of term picnic from 12.00pm. The main gate will be open from 12-12.10. Please do bring a blanket or something suitable to sit on. The picnic will end at 1.00pm, at this time parents and carers are welcome to take their children home with them if they choose. We all really enjoyed this event last year and we do hope many parents will be joining us again.

Please do lookout for our end of term newsletter which will include some more dates for Autumn term.

End of Year Reports

End of year reports will be coming out next Friday, 14th July. Along with them you will receive any end of Key Stage results from SATs and children who completed the Phonics check will also receive their results.

For parents and carers of Year 6 children, who are out on their end of year trip to the Safari Park, will be able to collect them from the office at the end of school or when you pick them up from the trip.



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