



Friday 21 June 2019

It has been a pleasure to welcome visitors to our school this week and hear them comment so positively on our children and their manners as well as noting the strong progress they are making in their learning. We know how incredible they are but it is always nice to hear this recognised by other people.

Mrs Frampton

After school clubs

Please note that next week is the last week of after school clubs for this term.

New Reception children

It has been fabulous to welcome our new Reception class this week and see how confident they have been on their first induction visit. We look forward to seeing them again on Monday or Tuesday at 2.00pm

School closed for staff training

A reminder that school is closed on Friday 5th July.

May we also remind you that school will close at 1.30pm on the last day of term, Tuesday 23rd July.

Fairthorne Manor

Year 6 are very excited about their residential next week. Fingers crossed for good weather please!

Please remember to follow @mrsfsomerford on Twitter to see what they are up to.



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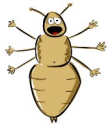
Sports Day

Infants – Monday 1st July am
Juniors – Tuesday 2nd July am
We look forward to seeing you there.



Headlice

We have had reports of headlice in the infants. Please take responsibility to check your child's hair and take action if needed. Advice can be found on



<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

Outdoor library dens

We will be creating some outdoor reading dens on the playgrounds and would be keen to receive any of the following:

- battery operated fairy lights
- rugs
- cushions
- bean bags
- small shelving units
- storage boxes

Maybe you have some at home which you no longer need or maybe you know someone who would donate these items to the school or sponsor such a project. If so, please let Mrs Hudson or Mrs Frampton know.

Thank you!

Menu Change

On 1st July, the red option will be a beef burger in a bun instead of chicken in a bun as specified on the menu.

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Transition

On Tuesday 2nd July, your child will bring home a letter informing you of their teacher for next year.

Please be assured that lots of consideration has been given to assigning children to classes and your current child's teacher has been pivotal in making these decisions.

Therefore, the class your child is in is a final decision.

On Wednesday 3rd July we will have our 'Meet the Teacher' day in school. Please drop off and collect your child from their current classroom.

If you have any concerns following the transition day, please talk to your child's current or new teacher.

Summer Fair

A reminder that the Summer Fair is Thursday 4th July after school. The PTA have been working very hard to make this a fun event and we look forward to seeing you all there. Thank you all for your donations today.



Book Fair Bus

Thank you to all parents for purchasing books from the Book Bus which visited recently. We earn commission on your spend and are therefore able to purchase some new books for our classroom libraries.

Attendance

The school's attendance target is 96%.

Whole school – 95.04%

Year 6 – 94.75%

Year 5 – 94.84%

Year 4 – 95.29%

Year 3 – 95.73%

Year 2 – 95.34%

Year 1 – 93.98%

Well done to 34RD for achieving 100% last week – enjoy your non-uniform day!

The next newsletter will be on Thursday 4th July 2019