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# Newsletter 10

# 24th March 2017

# Important safety reminder

It is imperative that children are not left on the playground without an adult in the mornings before school starts. If you need to leave your child before 8.50am, they can attend our breakfast club, which starts at 8am and costs just £1.50 per day. Please see the school office for more information or to make a booking.

### Attendance

Families are doing really well with attendance which has increased to over 96% as a school in recent weeks. This is fantastic-well done everyone. We're now working on our new target of 97% so do make sure that your child is in school every day to get the best from their education. Children with a 100% attendance record for the term will receive a special treat!



### Attendance

Week Ending	Best Class	Whole School
17.3.2017	4 (99.4%)	96.7%
24.3.2017	6 (100%)	96.4%

The national expectation for school attendance is 96%, which means no more than 10 days off each school year.





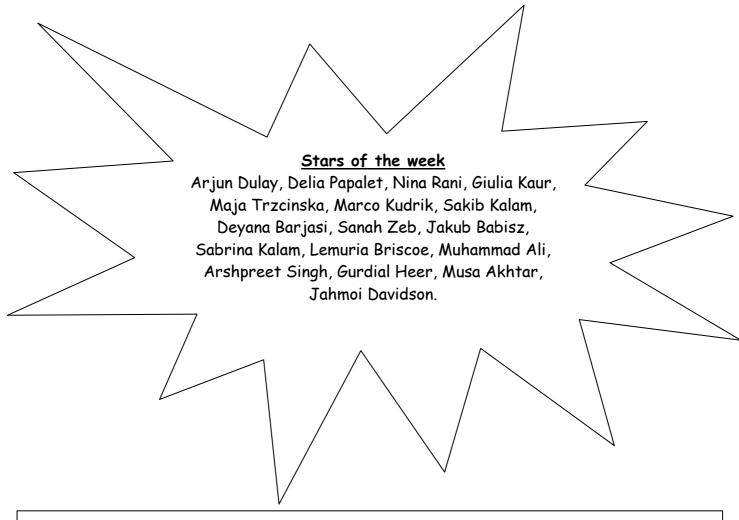






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### Year 6 Revision Sessions

Miss Patel will be running Year 6 SATs revision sessions during the last 3 days of the Easter holiday. They will be held on Wednesday 19th April, Thursday 20th April and Friday 21st April between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. All Year 6 children are welcome to attend the sessions.

SATs week begins on Monday 8th May, during the SATs there will be a free breakfast club for year 6 children.

# Early Years Giant Wiggle

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, our Early Years children dressed as mini beasts and completed a Giant Wiggle to raise money for action for children. They raised an amazing £155.50 altogether and had lots of fun. Well done Early Years children, we are very proud of you.





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# Easter Activity Camp

Fit for Sport will be running activity camps throughout the Easter holiday for children between the ages of 4-12. Camps start at 9.30am until 4.30pm and during the day children take part in many activities including Arts and Crafts, Team Games and Outdoor Adventures.

The clubs give children the opportunity to stay active over the Easter holiday, keep healthy, try something new and make new friends.

The camps won't be run at school but there is some information about them displayed at the school office and for more information, you can call them on 0845 456 3233 or visit their website at www.fitforsport.co.uk



# Easter Parade Themed School Meal on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2017

### Menu

Roast Turkey, Sage and Onion Stuffing and
Gravy
Southern Style Quorn Burger (v)

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Roast Potatoes
Parsley Potatoes
Broccoli
Carrots
Selection of Seasonal Salads

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Easter Cupcake
Toffee Yoghurt Ice Cream
Melon and Grapes



# Dates for the Diary

Friday 24th March - Comic Relief

Monday 27th, March - Year 3 Parents Evening appointments

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March - Parents Evening - 3.30pm - 6pm. Our school kitchen will be serving taster samples of school meals during parents evening for you to try.

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Parents Evening - 4.30pm - 7pm

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March - Year 6 Library Visit 10.00am - 11.30am.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April - Year 6 parents SATs meeting at 3.20pm.

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April - Easter themed school meal.

Thursday 6th April - Early Years Easter Bonnet Parade 10.30am and 2pm.

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April - School closes at 3.15pm for the Easter holiday

Wednesday 19th April, Thursday 20th April and Friday 21st April - Year 6 revision sessions between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

Monday 24th April - Staff training day. School closed to children

Tuesday 25th April - School reopens for children following the Easter holiday

Monday  $8^{th}$  May - Year 6 SATs week begins. There will be a free Breakfast Club for Year 6 children.

Monday  $8^{th}$  May - 2-5 year olds Play and Stay session 1.45pm - 3pm. Refreshments will be available.

Monday  $3^{rd}$  July - Friday  $7^{th}$  July - Years 4, 5 and 6 residential visit to Ingestre Hall



# Parents Drop-in

Parent Drop-in sessions take place on Fridays from 2pm-3pm. If you have anything you would like to discuss, or just drop in for a tea or coffee, we would love to see you.

All welcome.

We will complete forms and offer translation if necessary.

Mrs Igbal and Mrs Prejs



### DINNER WINNERS

One child from each class is now selected by their Dinner Supervisor for good behaviour at dinner time. They get to sit on the Golden Table during Friday dinnertime and have a special treat.



# School Uniform Reminder

We strongly encourage children to wear school uniform, as we believe it helps promote the family atmosphere and sense of belonging that we work hard to maintain.

Our school uniform consists of:

- Navy blue sweatshirt or cardigan.
- Gold polo shirt.
- Grey skirt/pinafore/trousers.
- Safe, black shoes
- Blue and white or yellow and white summer dress.

Children will also need a round neck t-shirt, navy blue shorts and a pair of pumps for PE.

From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017, the cost of school meals will be increasing to £2.30 per day (£11.50 per week). Unfortunately, we have no control over the price increase as meals are provided by an outside agency. However, they will continue to be delicious and cooked on school site.



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### School Milk Reminder

The cost of school milk for next term is £12.50. The children should have brought milk letters home for you to complete. If you would like your child to have milk next term please complete the reply slip and hand it to the school office with £12.50 by Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

IF YOU HAVE NOT RETURNED THE SLIP AND MONEY BY THURSDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, WE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ORDER MILK FOR YOUR CHILD.

# Important information

From 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017, School can no longer accept the old paper £5 note because the Bank of England is withdrawing it. We are sorry if this causes any inconvenience.



