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19th May 2017

School break in

Sadly, at the weekend, thieves managed to break into school and three school ipads were stolen containing observational assessments of our children. Obviously, we want to retrieve the devices as soon as possible. The ipads are passcode protected and are security coded. The police have been notified. If you have any information at all regarding the stolen items, please do contact the school or the police as soon as possible. Likewise, if you have any questions or concerns please just come and see a member of staff.

Thank you.

Summer Fair

Our Summer Fair will be on Friday 30th June from 1pm. On Friday 16th June we will have a non-uniform day in return for donations of bottles and jars. Can you please make sure these are new, unused and in date. We will also ask for cake donations in the week building up to the fair (from Monday 26th June). On the day of the fair, children can come in non-uniform again. Parents and families are warmly invited to attend and will be asked to pay 20p entrance fee on arrival. Posters with all the details of stalls and events will be sent out shortly. Many Thanks.

Jewellery in school.

A reminder that due to health and safety, we do not allow jewellery in school. Small stud earrings and religious items are acceptable but please be aware that school is not responsible for any loss or damages.



Attendance

Week Ending	Best Class	Whole School
12.5.2017	Year 3 (97.3%)	95.7%
19.5.2017	Year 5 (98.9%)	96.7%

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

Stars of the week

Dumam Mgbemere, Jiya Sahni,
Tyisha Stevenson-Stewart, Jaden Phillips,
Maddison Hunter-Norton, Harmandeep Kaur,
Mikhail Battieste, Cristina Sondhi, Khushmeen Kaur,
Jaskaran Singh, Zainab Zeb, Adam Shaibi,
Sofija Fomina, Deepak Singh, Michal Trzcinski,
Abby Shawi, Maya Boratynska
Whole Class of Class 6

WELL DONE YEAR 6!

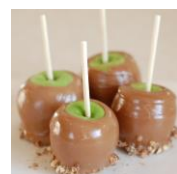
Year 6 SATS

We are incredibly proud of the determination and resilience year 6 showed during their SATS tests. They did exceptionally well!



Year 6 Enterprise Sale

Year 6's Enterprise sale this afternoon (Friday 19th May) was a great success. Year 6 worked extremely hard before the sale making cheesecakes, Oreo milkshakes, chocolate crispies and chocolate covered apples. During the sale, they were very busy and altogether they raised £370 that will go towards end of Year.



Learners of the week

Naz Ahmed, Simra Kauser,
Kosta Kostadinov, Lukas Valaitis,
Musa Akhtar, Aman Duggal,
Sukhmani Gill, Erik Savu,
Javeria Ahmed, Sukhdeep Parmar
Sienna McCalla, Leah Barnett

Summer Term Weather

Hopefully over the next few weeks the weather will be improving and warming up. Can you please send your children with water bottles, sunhats and if necessary, can you please apply sun cream before school. In the interest of health and safety, please ensure that children wear shoes and not open toe sandals. School caps are available from the school office for £4 each.



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 Iqbal and Mrs Prejs



2 - 5 year olds Play and Stay session

We would like to thank all the parents who came to our play and stay session on Monday 8th May 2017. The children had a lovely time and had lots of fun. We will be hosting another session soon!



Polite Reminder

Thank you to parents for driving courteously and safely around school. Park Street continues to be very busy at the beginning and end of the day.

Could I please remind parents NOT to park or wait on the driveway up to school when dropping children off or picking them up. Our children's safety is most important and we would ask you to be especially careful at these busy times.



30 Hour Nursery provision

You may have heard about the recent increase in free childcare for qualifying families. Currently, it is not compulsory for childcare settings to offer the full 30-hour provision. At present, the school are not able to provide the increase in hours and, therefore, our Nursery sessions will continue to be 3 hours per day. We will of course keep you updated with any developments in the future.

Parent clubs questionnaire

A while ago, we sent out questionnaires asking for your feedback about before and after school clubs in school, as well as getting your views on any parent classes you might be interested in. At present there isn't a great deal of need for set after school provision, so I apologise to the very few parents who felt this would be beneficial. However, we continue to look for cost effective ways of meeting the needs of all parents and will keep you informed of any progress in respect of after school care in the future. On a positive note, in response to feedback about parent classes we have an exciting English class run by Sandwell College starting soon. Letters have been sent out; however, if you need more information please see Mrs Iqbal.

Thank you for all of your valuable feedback.

Dinner Winners

Zaynab Kulsoom, Sukhmani Gill,
Zachariya Hussain, Courtney
Lindsay, Mikhail Battieste,
Isatou Saho,
Ifza Ahmed, Omar Chowdhury,
Sofija Fomina, Hafsah Majid,
Tia Kumar, Emilia Nestorowska,
Paige MacMaster,
Angelina Hunter

Dates for the Diary



Wednesday 24th May - Early Years Teddy Bear's Picnic at Dartmouth Park.

Leaving school at 9am and returning to school 11.50am. Afternoon Nursery children are welcome to attend.

Thursday 25th May - Non-Uniform Day in exchange for £1 towards the School Parliament's efforts to purchase new outdoor equipment.

Thursday 25th May - Bake Sale organised by the School Parliament, again, to support the purchase of new outdoor play equipment.

Thursday 25th May - School closes at 3.15pm for half term holiday.

Friday 26th May - Staff Training Day. School closed to children.

Monday 5th June - School opens at 8.50am for children following the half term holiday.

Monday 5th June - Friday 9th June Year 6 Careers Week.

Thursday 8th June - Year 6 bag packing fundraising at Tesco from 3.30pm until 4.30pm.

Monday 12th June - Thursday 15th June - Book Fair, after school, from 3.15pm. School will receive 100% commission from book sales during the book fair, that we will spend on new books for our library.

Monday 12th June - Reception new starters meeting from 1.30pm.

Tuesday 13th June - Year 2 visit to Warwick Castle.

Tuesday 13th June - Year 3 visit to Black Country Museum.

Friday 16th June - Year 6 Library visit 10.00am - 12pm.

Friday 16th June - Year 6 bag packing fundraising at Tesco from 3.30pm until 4.30pm.

Tuesday 20th June - Year 2 library visit 9.30am-10.30am.

Thursday 22nd June - Year 6 bag packing fundraising at Tesco from 3.30pm until 4.30pm.

Monday 26th June - Non-uniform day, in return for donations of bottles and jars.

Friday 30th June - Summer Fair from 1.30pm and non-uniform day.

Monday 3rd - Friday 7th July 2017 - Years 4 and 5 Ingestre Hall Visit.



Dates for the Diary Continued

Wednesday 12th July - Year 6 Star City visit 9.30am - 2.30pm.

Friday 14th July - Upper Phase Play from 2pm.

Monday 17th - Wednesday 19th July - Year 6 residential visit to Frank Chapman.

Friday 21st July - Year 6 Prom, *start time to be confirmed.*

Tuesday 25th July - Year 6 leavers' assembly.

Tuesday 25th July - School closes at 3.15pm for the Summer holiday

And finally.....

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Example Day

AM	Team Games
	Activity Challenge Arts & Crafts
	Themed Activities Multi-sports
	LUNCH
PM	Healthy Zone Children's Choice
	Outdoor Adventures Fun Factory
	Active Shake Up Parachute Games

Fit For Sport Activity Camps cater for children between the ages of 4 and 12. However, due to recent changes to OFSTED regulations, our leisure centre settings can no longer accommodate for 4-year olds.

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