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Bells Farm Primary School
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Tel: 0121 675 8666
Headteacher: Miss T Williams

Dear Parent / Carer,

Welcome back and I hope you all had a wonderful Easter and Eid! The children have settled in really well, following the excitement of the rabbits at the beginning of the week, and learning for the summer term has got off to an excellent start in all classrooms.

Governors

Thank you for those of you who have already been in touch to express interest in joining our Governing Body.

Year 6 SATs

The children are keenly preparing to do the assessments during the week commencing the 13th of May. Teachers are working extremely hard, as are all the children, to ensure we can do the very best that we can together. Miss Edwards has offered to run a club where your child can come into school from 8:00 starting on Monday to work on things that will prepare them further for the tests. This is completely voluntary - for Miss Edwards and the children! It is therefore not a requirement but we would encourage you to consider it following conversations at parents' evening if your child needs a bit of extra support.

If your child normally attends Breakfast Club they can continue to do so for the 15 minutes from 7:45 until 8:00 and no payment needs to be made for this. They will then be sent through to Miss Edwards when the SATs club starts each morning.

PE

Your child **must** have their PE kit in school for their PE days. As we enter the summer months, it is imperative your child has a change of clothes as they may get warmer than normal during their PE lessons. We are hoping to utilise our school field more this term for PE so if your child suffers with hay fever please ensure they have had medication (if needed) before they come to school on their PE day if they are struggling.

Rabbits

Please send all completed consent forms into school as soon as possible. Some children may be able to visit the rabbits in small groups next week and they will be able to visit classrooms soon the week after. As I stated in the letter on Wednesday, if we do not receive your consent they will not be allowed to touch the rabbits until we do so due to the potential for unknown allergies.

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School Lunch

Please continue to book your child's school lunch via the school app. For most of you this has become standard practice and really does make a huge difference! Thank you so much to those of you who do this consistently. We will be refreshing our menus for the summer term to be slightly more summery (when the summer hits us!) over the next few weeks.

Reminders

- Our Ofsted report (which you should have received yesterday) will be published on the Ofsted website and our school website next week.
- Please remember to close the gates after you when using breakfast club and after school club.
- It is important your child has their water bottle in school every day.

Please remember to send your sponsorship money for our Bunny Hop as soon as possible as we do hope to get this sent off to the hospice by next Friday at the latest.

Kind regards,

Miss Williams
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary

* Please note – changes and additions are highlighted

Date	Event	Details
Wednesday 17 th April	New deadline for parent governor election	
Thursday 25 th April	Reception Visit to Transport Museum	Details to follow
Monday 29 th April	Y1 trip to Botanical Gardens	Details to follow
Thursday 2 nd May	Local elections	School closed
Monday 6 th May	Bank Holiday	School closed
W/C 13 th May	Y6 SATs week	Details to follow
Friday 17 th May	School Disco	Details to follow
W/C 20 th May	Invited Y6 swimming	Details to follow
Tuesday 3 rd June	Y3 swimming begins	Details to follow
Wednesday 12 th June	Reception trip to Atwell Farm	Details to follow
12 th – 14 th June	Father's Day gifts for sale	In school at break

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Wednesday 19 th June	Y3 trip to Sarehole Mill	Details to follow
Friday 28 th June	Y1 class assembly	9:00 in school hall
Monday 1 st July	Sports Day	Details to follow: R, 1, 2 morning, 3, 4, 5, 6 afternoon
Thursday 4 th July	Reports out to parents	
Friday 5 th July	Y2 trip to Twycross Zoo	Details to follow
Monday 8 th July – Wednesday 10 th July	Y6 residential – Pioneer Centre	Letter sent – further details to follow
Friday 12 th July	Summer Fayre	Details to follow
Monday 15 th July	Bells Farm's got Talent	Details to follow - morning
Thursday 18 th July	Y6 Party	Details to follow
Friday 19 th July	Y6 Assembly	Details to follow

* You can find a copy of this letter on our school website *

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