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10th June, 2022.

Dear Parents / Carers,



We're now paperless!

Letters & newsletters will now be emailed to parents. Please ensure you have provided your correct email address to the office.

I hope this find you all well and making the best of the hugely unpredictable British summer weather! It is hard to know whether to remind you about sunhats and sunblock or coats and weatherproof shoes, so I will leave that to you checking the forecast! We are trying to make sure the children get out every day and hopefully the rain will disappear for the upcoming trips and visits. I have included the updated and hopefully final calendar of events for the rest of the term at the end of this letter, so please make a note of your children's class events.

Fundraising

We are holding a cake sale after school in the playground so please come along and enjoy some treats for the weekend. Children in after school club will be able to come out and buy, accompanied by the staff. They will then bring any cakes home if purchased. For the Fathers' Day sale next week, it will run along the same lines as Mothers' Day. Gifts will generally be around £1 - £2 and if there are enough available, children can buy more than one. The sale will be during breaktimes and lunchtimes and will run all week so there will be no after school activity for this one.

Trips

Please note the updated trips on the calendar. We have amended the date for the Year 4 trip as the minibus was not available on the 22nd June. It is likely to be 28th June but we will confirm this next week. Please note that a further letter will be going out next week about the Year 2 trip to Twycross Zoo.

Dance Workshops

We are delighted to be having the 'Dance Days' company joining us on Monday and again on the 4th July to have different styles of dance taught to children up to Year 5. Please make sure you send your child in with their PE kit on this day, if you don't usually do so.

Transition Day

Year 6 will have their secondary transition day on 6th July. This is normally when we would also have the other classes having time with their new teachers. However, we are in the process of checking when our two newly appointed teachers for years 1 and 2 will be available to join us. We are really pleased to have made these appointments and I will be delighted to share further details with you once we have finished all the formalities in the recruitment process. Once this is done, I can let all of



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you know who your children's next teachers will be. If any Year 6 children do not have their transition day on 6th July, they should attend school as normal.

These are the main notices for now so that just leaves me to wish you all a good weekend – may the sun shine on whatever you are doing!

Kind regards,

Barbara Butterworth

Summer 2 calendar

Date	Event	Notes
Monday 13 th June	Dance workshops all day – Reception – Y5	Please make sure PE kits are in on this day
Wednesday 15 th June	Multiplication check - Y4	
Thursday 16 th June	Y5 swimming begins	Weekly lessons - last day Thursday 14 th July
Friday 17 th June	Y2 trip to Twycross Zoo Fathers' day sale Star assembly	
Monday 20 th June	Y3 trip to Cannon Hill Park	
Wednesday 22 nd June	Reception trip to Attwell Farm	
Thursday 23 rd June	Y5 swimming	
Friday 24 th June	Y6 trip to WM Safari Park Used book sale	
Monday 27 th June	Sports Day Y4,5,6	9.30 – 11.00 on back field.
Tuesday 28 th June	Sports day Y1,2,3 Y4 trip to Lickey Hills – to be confirmed later	9.30 – 11.00 on back field.
Wednesday 29 th June	Y3 trip to Twycross Zoo	
Thursday 30 th June	Y5 swimming	
Friday 1 st July	Star assembly; biscuit sale	
Monday 4 th July	Dance workshops all day – Reception – Y5	
Tuesday 5 th July	Reception Sports Day	9.30 – 11.00 on back field.
Wednesday 6 th July	Y6 transition day to secondary school	
Thursday 7 th July	Annual reports to parent/carers; Y5 swimming	
Friday 8 th July	Y2 class assembly	
Monday 11 th July	Arts week begins	
Friday 15 th July	Art display open to parents/carers	
Monday 18 th July	New reception intake meeting – 6.00 pm	In school hall
Wednesday 20 th July	Y6 leavers' party	
Thursday 21 st July	Last day of school 9.00 am Y6 leavers' assembly	Parents/carers welcome
Summer holiday: Friday 22nd July - Wednesday 7th September		