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15th July, 2022.

Dear Parents / Carers,

Well it certainly has been a hot one this week! We are all doing what we can to keep the children cool and the Woodland Walk is a popular spot at the moment. Please continue to make sure the children are having sunblock applied before they come to school, and feel free to send them in with bottles to top up, which the children can apply themselves.

We are happy for the children to come to school in their PE kits (even if it isn't their PE day!) on Monday and Tuesday when the temperature is predicted to be very high. We will be taking every precaution with the hot weather and ensuring the children remain safe and as comfortable as possible.

Children's workbooks

We will be sending the children's books home for you to hold onto from Wednesday 20th July. We would be grateful if you could send a plastic carrier bag in for each of your children – there will be quite a few books to take home! Please send these in by Wednesday 20th July at the latest. We have to retain some children's books as they are required by Ofsted. We will hold these until the end of the next school year and then send them home.

After School Club

Unfortunately we **do** have to close the After School Club earlier than usual on the last day - Thursday 21st July due to staffing issues. I do apologise as I had hoped to keep it open until 5.30 pm. It will now be closed at **4.30 pm**, so please make alternative arrangements for this day if you need childcare after 4.30 pm.

COVID

We are seeing a few cases each week, and it is now more important than ever for you to keep monitoring symptoms and testing when needed. Please keep your children off school if they are unwell, especially if they have a temperature. We want to control the spread where we can and that is not easy with the lifting of restrictions. With many of you planning to go away on holiday, we don't want last minute infections if it can be avoided.

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Last day arrangements

On the last day of school on Thursday, the children can attend in their own clothes. The menu for that day will be a picnic style lunch, so if you want to order this, please do so on the app. The children will then have a few treats in the classroom and a party afternoon. They have certainly earned it after this hardworking year!

So that's all for now - we will keep in touch with further advice about the weather at the start of next week. I hope to see lots of you on the field later on for our first ever Summer Fayre! Have a great weekend and we'll see you on Monday.

Kind regards,

Barbara Butterworth