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Behaviour for Learning: Perseverance
Value Word: Friendship

Dear Parent / Carer,

Guitars for sale

Next year, we will be providing ukulele lessons for our Year 4 children instead of guitars. This decision has been made in conjunction with the music service who provide the tuition for Year 4. They have advised the ukulele is a better beginner instrument and more manageable for this age range. This means that we will no longer need the guitars we have in school and so we will be selling them as part of our fundraising efforts. Guitars will be available to purchase at the Summer Fayre for a price of £15 each. If your child is in Y4, we are happy to put one aside for you to pay for before the summer holidays.

Summer Fayre – TODAY!

We are very much looking forward to welcoming you to our Summer Fayre later today. Please remember there will be a ten minute window for you to collect your child from their normal classroom door between 12:30 and 12:40. The playground gate (Brockworth Road) will be opened at 12:20 and locked again at 12:40 so that the site remains secure. Children being collected once the Fayre has begun must be collected from the front entrance. You are free to come and go through the Fayre areas (playground, Y2, hall and dining hall) but must leave via the front entrance. The playground gate will remain closed and will not open at all for the rest of the day. Please remember that **all** children must be collected by 3:30.

Here is an updated list of where games, activities and stalls will be:

Playground

Target Tent and tip tops 50p
Teacher Topple 50p
Obstacle Course 50p
Guessing Games
Sales (toys, books, uniform, jewellery) various prices
Basketball Shootout 50p

Hall:

Bouncy Fun Run £3
Tombola £1 5 tickets
Friend/family photos £5

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Dining Hall:

Sweet Hoops 50p
Bottle Flip 50p
Nails 50p
Speed Stack 50p
Drinks and ice lollies £1

Year 2 Classrooms:

Hook a duck 50p
Rabbit Game 50p
Teddy Tombola 50p
Tattoos 50p
Slushies £1

Parents and carers who attend the Fayre are welcome to take their child home with them once they have finished enjoying the activities. For children remaining in school, normal supervision will continue until the end of the school day. The Fayre itself will remain open until 4.00pm for families who are unable to attend before the usual collection time of 3.30pm.

If you have purchased tokens, these will be treated as if they are worth 50p each. If you haven't, please try to bring as much change as possible as we will only have limited floats in school. I will continue to sell tokens at the Fayre with the card machine if you run out and want to purchase more. We have kept our summer background and I will be around to take photos of friendship groups or families who wish to purchase a photo in a frame for £5. These will be printed next week and sent home in the frames.

I would also like to remind you **not** to park at the front of school if you are attending the Summer Fayre. As you are aware, we do not own the land at the front of school and would ask that you are respectful to our neighbours at the Farmhouse by not parking on their land. Bells Close at the front of school is also not to be used for parking.

September Timetables

The class timetables for September will have been shared with you as part of the workshops you have attended this week or will attend next week. It is important children have the correct PE kits in school so here is advance warning of PE days from September:

Reception	Wednesday
Year 1	Tuesday and Thursday

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Year 2	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 3	Monday and Tuesday
Year 4	Tuesday and Friday
Year 5	Tuesday and Friday
Year 6	Tuesday and Wednesday

Reminders

- All children must bring a water bottle into school every day.
- Children can bring sun cream into school to apply themselves at lunchtime if you would like them to.
- Please remember to return your data slips to the school office. It is really important we have as many of these back as possible to enable us to update our records.
- There are no clubs this week. After School Club will continue as normal until Thursday 16th July. All children must be collected on **Friday 17th July at 3:30.**

Kind regards,
Miss Williams

Dates for your Diary

* Please note – changes and additions are highlighted

Date	Event	Details
Tuesday 14th July	New Y2 Workshop 9:00 (current Y1) New Y1 Workshop 2:30 (current Rec)	Letter sent Letter sent
Wednesday 15th July	Y6 Party	Letter sent
Friday 17th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly Break up for summer No After School Club	Letter sent
Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd September	Teacher Training Days	School CLOSED to all children but open for phone/email queries.
Thursday 3rd September	School Opens	All children from Y1 – Y6 return full time New Reception part time
Monday 7th September	Reception full time	

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