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Behaviour for Learning: Concentration

Value Word: Equality (equity)

Dear Parent / Carer,

Star Assembly

This week we held our very special Star Assembly where we really enjoyed seeing the children, families and staff celebrating these wonderful children:

Y6 – Ayah and Rosalea

Y5 – Aria and Jenson

Y4 – Romaya and Tyler S

Y3 – Kodie and Bemenet

Y2 – Nicholas and Dylan

Y1 – Shayne, Isaac and Zack

Reception – Aizah and Oscar G

This week's Star of the School was Jaxon Y1 for being a real ray of sunshine and always doing his best!

Library Closure

Yesterday, staff spent some time sorting out the school library; reorganising it and ensuring it will be able to run more smoothly from now on. For the rest of this half term (until children return on 1st June) the school library will be closed for borrowing books. Your child will still be able to borrow books from their class library during this time and will still be able to visit the library in their ERIC lessons as a class. The reason for the closure is so that we can ask children to return **all** books and ensure they are relabelled so that moving forward the library can be kept in a more organised way.

Over the next few weeks please can you remind your child to have a good look in their bedroom, book bag, old bags – even that drawer where everything gets put into(!) and have a good clear out of any books that may belong to school. The children will be asked to bring their books and put them in the Library Returns box.

Thank you for your support with this.

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Summer Disco

We are having our Summer Disco on Friday 5th June starting straight after school at 3:30 and ending at 5:30. This event will involve a disco with lights, summer-themed games in classrooms, a quiet room with calming activities and craft activities in another room. Hopefully, this means there will be something every child can enjoy. We will be serving food, cakes and drinks which will be included in the price of the ticket.

The cost for attending the disco will be £5 per child. Tickets can be purchased by sending cash in to class teachers every day from Monday 11th May up until Wednesday 3rd June. They can also be purchased via card on the door each morning. Please note tickets cannot be sold after this date as we will need to purchase food and prepare numbers. Your child's name will also be recorded on a list in class meaning it is not a problem if they lose their ticket!

Your child should attend school in normal uniform. They are welcome to bring in 'party clothes' in a bag to change into for the disco. In order for children to participate in the disco, we remind you that they should be picked up promptly at 5:30. As with previous events, we would like you to pick your children up from their normal door. Please note that, as in all collections of children, you will need to inform the school office by 2:00 if a friend or relative not known to us is collecting your child.

There will be no normal After School Club on this date as all staff will be needed to help with the disco. We do have quieter areas where children can go if discos are not their thing!

Water Safety

Schools have been asked to share the following link with parents regarding water safety advice:

[Water Safety on Holiday | Royal Life Saving Society UK \(RLSS UK \)](#)

We will have a whole school assembly in the summer term (before the 6 week holiday) to share age-appropriate information with the children.

SEN Reviews

The SEN summer reviews will take place at the end of June (see dates below). The reviews will be held with the current class teacher and TA and times will be allocated. If you would prefer a phone call on the Friday, this will be an option that you can choose on the reply slips. Times will be sent out after half term.

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Pro Strike

Our total raised so far now stands at £1016! This is amazing! Please remember your sponsors need to pay their money directly online. The sponsorship forms will be live until the event on the 15th May. You will find the QR code on the posters around school. We do have spare sponsorship forms so please just ask if you need a new one.

Kind regards,
Miss Williams

Dates for your Diary

* Please note – changes and additions are highlighted

Date	Event	Details
Monday 11th May	Y6 SATs	Letter sent
Tuesday 12th May	Year 2 trip to Twycross Zoo	Letter sent
Friday 15th May	Pro Strike Football Fundraiser	Letter sent
Friday 22nd May	Cake sale Break up	Details to follow
Monday 1st June	Return to school Y4 MTC Week	Letter sent
Friday 5th June	Summer Disco Year 3 swimming starts	Details above Details to follow - Fridays
Monday 8th June	Y1 Phonics Screening Check week Y2 SATs Week	Letter sent
Tuesday 9th June	Reception and Y1 trip to Botanical Gardens	Letter sent
Friday 12th June	Photos in a frame	Details to follow
15th – 17th June	Y6 residential	Letter sent
Friday 19th June	Reception Class Assembly	Letter sent
Wednesday 17th – Friday 19th June	Father's Day Sale	Details to follow
Friday 19th June and Friday 26th June	Ice lolly and Ice cream Sale	Details to follow
Monday 22nd June	SEN Reviews R, Y1, Y2	Times to follow
Monday 29th June	SEN Reviews Y3, Y4, Y5	Times to follow
Tuesday 30th June	Reception height and weight checks	Letter sent
Wednesday 1st July	Transition Day	Details to follow

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Friday 3 rd July	Y1 Class Assembly	Details to follow
Wednesday 8 th July	Sports Day	Details to follow
Friday 10 th July	Summer Fayre No After School Club	Details to follow
Wednesday 15 th July	Y6 Party	Details to follow
Friday 17 th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly Break up for summer No After School Club	Details to follow

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