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**The Newsletter**  
**Summer Term No.3 – 5<sup>th</sup> May 2022**  
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**PLEASE READ!**

Dear Parents/Carers

**Update since last newsletter:**

Y6 thoroughly enjoyed their theatre experience this week with Manacto Theatre Company who performed Romeo and Juliet. Y6 were a brilliant audience and asked fantastic questions after the performance. Well done Y6!

Fr Michael was thrilled to see Y3 and Y5 at the Parish Mass this morning. He commented on their impeccable manners.

**Reminders:**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May - Reception Sports Day starts prompt 2.15 pm. Parents welcome to come along to spectate.

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> - SATS Week for Y6. Early nights and a good breakfast needed! Don't forget water bottles.

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May - Netball Tournament at All Hallows from 3.30 – 5.15 pm.

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May -Tag Rugby Tournament at Hutton Grammar 4.00 - 5.00 pm.

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May - Netball Tournament at All Hallows from 3.30 – 5.15 pm.

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May -Reception Trip to Blackpool Zoo on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May (letter issued 1<sup>st</sup> April).

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May -School Meal Promotion: Swing into Summer School Meal Promotion. The menu: Beef Burger in a bun with Onion Rings or Quorn Dippers with Dips served with Potato Wedges & Mixed Salad followed by Homemade Chocolate Chip Shortbread. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 19<sup>th</sup> May please complete the slip (Summer Term Newsletter No. 2) and return to school no later than Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May. Payment of £2.35 should be made in advance through ParentPay, our on-line payment system. Thank you.

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May -Sculpture Workshop at Bury Art Gallery for Y6 all day. A brilliant once in a lifetime opportunity to work with the talented Tony Heaton OBE (letter sent home 28<sup>th</sup> April).

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May -School Photographer in school to take class photos.

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May -Sports Day for Y1 2.15pm. Parents can come along to spectate.

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May- Whole school celebration for The Queen's Platinum Jubilee on. The children are to come to school dressed in red, white and blue!

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May - School Meal Promotion: Platinum Jubilee Street Party School Meal Promotion. The menu: Choice of filled sandwiches, Sausage Rolls, Crudities & Crisps followed by Jam & Cream Butterfly Buns. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 25<sup>th</sup> May please complete the slip (Summer Term newsletter No.2) and return to school no later than Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May. Payment of £2.35 should be made in advance through ParentPay, our on-line payment system. Thank you.

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May -Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 will be celebrating Mass for the Feast of The Ascension at 2.15pm. Parents are invited.

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Sports Day for Y2 2.15pm. Parents can come along to spectate.

Finish for half term at 3.15 pm on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

### **New Dates:**

PTFA Meeting – Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm in school to discuss Summer Fundraising.

Stay and Play Session – The Reception Team would like to invite 1 adult per child to a Stay and Play session on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2-3pm. It has to be 1 adult per child due to space. The session will give you the chance to work alongside your child and see the classroom in action! We hope you can join us. Let us know if you are able to come by returning the slip below.

### **Y1 Hearing Tests:**

The audiometrician will be coming into school on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May to screen the hearing of children in Year 1 (letter sent home with your child today). Please complete the consent slip and return to school if you are happy for the hearing test to go ahead. Thank you.

### **Absence (Illness):**

If your child is absent for any reason during the term, please telephone the school before 9.30 am on the first morning of your child's absence. If we do not receive a message from, you will receive a telephone call from school to ascertain the reason for your child's absence. This is a "1<sup>st</sup> Day Contact" system and is part of our safeguarding procedure. On your child's return to school, please provide a letter explaining the absence. If no explanation is received in writing, the absence will be deemed as unauthorised.

### **Absence (Medical/Dental Appointments, etc.) with Appointment Card:**

Where possible, please try to make appointments out of school time. However, should you need to take your child out of school for an appointment, please provide school with a copy of the appointment card or letter at least two days in advance of the appointment. If an appointment card is not available, please write a note or email the school with the details of the appointment. Pupils should be collected from the Reception area near the school office. Please ensure that your child has been 'signed out' on collection. On your child's return to school, pupils must be brought to the school office and, again be 'signed in' by a parent, carer or family member. This is for health and safety and fire regulation purposes to ensure that all pupils are accounted for.

### **Busy Parents:**

Once again we have parents who are up for a challenge for a good cause!

Keith Lockley is bracing himself to climb Scafell Pike 10 times within 48 hours to raise money for 'Meningitis Now'

Good Luck Keith!

<https://george-moore.muchloved.com/Fundraising/Events/651165967>

[https://www.meningitisnow.org/support-us/news-centre/news-stories/scafell-pike-ten-times/?fbclid=IwAR1hCm7Fr0Lv3ZMml6MEZAI\\_rP5NfQycal5519NcdD0uPZLJoPXDDsEMzwY](https://www.meningitisnow.org/support-us/news-centre/news-stories/scafell-pike-ten-times/?fbclid=IwAR1hCm7Fr0Lv3ZMml6MEZAI_rP5NfQycal5519NcdD0uPZLJoPXDDsEMzwY)

And finally...

As always, if you have any queries or concerns, please do get in touch and we will do our best to help!

Yours sincerely

B Wood  
Headteacher

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**RECEPTION STAY & PLAY SESSION – FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022, 2PM – 3PM**

I will be attending the Stay & Play Session.

Name of Child ..... Name of Adult .....

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