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Summer Fun Day Friday 17th July

So I am starting this newsletter with a plea to **ALL** parents and relatives to help us make this Summer Fun Day a really good one. We need donations of filled jars, tombola items and wine as well as cakes on the day.

I cannot stress how important it is to have your help. Any money raised at this Fun Day goes towards reducing the cost for the pantomime trip later in the year. Tickets and bus prices are cut considerably by this money and the children always love the trip out.

The Summer Fun Day will start at 2.00pm, you will be able to enter the playground to collect your child from the outside classroom doors from 1.55pm. Any child not collected will go to the Year 3 classroom for a DVD until the end of the day. If you are unable to collect your child early but wish to send them with some money, we will try and find staff to take them around the Fun Day but please be aware that nearly all of our staff will be on stalls or helping in a variety of ways.

What a performance!

Thank you for joining us for our school performance today. It was an absolutely superb show. Singing, dancing and acting all were of a high standard. We have some very talented musical theatre pupils! Well done, everyone involved.

Residential trip to Wollaton Park Y2

Year 2 enjoyed a fantastic residential at Wollaton Park this week. For some of the children, this was the first time that they have ever been camping! They enjoyed lots of activities such as a scavenger hunt, orienteering, shelter building, storytelling, a camp fire, duck feeding, playing in the park and camping out. All of the staff that attended were really impressed with the high standard of behaviour from the children. They were absolutely fantastic! We have also really appreciated how many parents thanked us for giving their children this experience.

Award Evening Wednesday 15th July 3.45 pm

Invites to our awards evening have now been sent home. Please check your child's book bag for a letter – if you are able to make it, please fill in and return the reply slip on the letter so that we can arrange seating. Thanks.

Reports

Pupil reports have been issued today. Please check your child's book bag! There is much to celebrate this year and I am sure you will be as proud of your child as we are! If you would like to discuss any aspect of your child's report, please speak to your child's class teacher.

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Mobile Smiles

Mobile Smiles have been in school today to see the children and will be in again next Friday. If you have not returned the consent form please return to the school office before the visit. Thanks

School uniform reminder

I am sure by now you are familiar with our uniform policy. Visitors always comment on how smart our pupils look and we will be expecting the highest standards next year. Please make a note of our uniform (below) as we request every child arrives smart for school, every day.

The children are expected to wear uniform as listed below:

- Plain shirt or blouse – white or blue
- Blue top
(Sweatshirts with the school logo are sold in school)
- OR Blue sweater or cardigan
(Cardigans with the school logo are sold in school)
- AND Grey trousers or skirt (NO JEANS PLEASE.)
- Black sensible shoes

Please remember that pupils should be wearing black school shoes to school. These should not be black trainers and they should not have any sport type logo on them. Boots are not part of our uniform policy but pupils can wear them to and from school and change into their shoes on arrival. A smart uniform is part of our school culture and we appreciate your support. Thanks.

Moving into Year 2 meeting

Children moving from year one into year two are invited to attend a meeting on **Tuesday 14th July** at 3.45pm in the school hall. Please return your slips to the office so that we can arrange seating.

Moving into Year 3 meeting

Children moving from year two into year three are invited to attend a meeting on **Thursday 16th July** at 3.45pm in the school hall. Please return your slips to the office so that we can arrange seating.

Class swaps

On the Thursday 16th July and Friday 17th July, pupils will be meeting their new class teacher and spending time in their new class. This is part of our new transition arrangements. Pupils should arrive at their usual classroom and be collected from the same place at the end of the day. Y6 pupils are to arrive at school as usual and will spend some time in Reception, reliving their early years at school!

Best Attendance

I am very impressed by the attendance figures for Year 1 who achieved 99.1% last week. Well done everyone!

Congratulations to all of those children and to their families for the help and support they have given.

Best wishes,

Samantha Eyre
Headteacher

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