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NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to the PTA and all the helpers that made the Summer Fair such a fantastic day last Saturday. Lots of families came and supported us and enjoyed all the fun. The event raised an amazing £4,300.

Please note the change of time for the KS2 Production on Wednesday 11th July. The show will now start at 5.00pm instead of 7.00pm. This is to accommodate everybody that would like to watch the football match on TV later that evening and also it was requested that we have an early show as well as a late one. Children that are in the production and attend an after school club at school on Wednesday should bring a packed tea with them to eat before the production.

Miss Lisa Walker

*This half term our SEAL theme is: Changes
A value for this month is: Friendship*

***Congratulations** to Ruby Havens for her football team being awarded medals for winning the Pro FA Football matches on Saturday and the team becoming the Aces National Champions. **Congratulations** to Joyana Dilukshan for achieving her Grade 2 in Electronic Keyboards and for achieving her 200 metres Swimming Certificate. **Congratulations** to Jacob Kessel for achieving his 10 Metres Swimming Certificate.*

KS2 PRODUCTION - "SHAKESPEARE ROCKS"

- All the children in Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be participating in the KS2 production of "Shakespeare Rocks." The costume requests will go home for Years 3, 4 and 5 today. Year 6 parents: please ask your child what they have been asked to provide (please liaise with Mrs Fallon if you are unsure). **Please ensure that the children have their costumes in school by Wednesday 4th July for the dress rehearsals - please ensure that each item is labelled with their name and that they are in a labelled carrier bag too.**
- **The performances will be on Tuesday 10th July and Wednesday 11th July.** All children will need to be in school for 6.30pm on Tuesday 10th July and **4.30pm for Wednesday 11th July** - please advise the Class Teacher by Monday if they can't attend either of the days. **Tuesday's performance will start at 7.00pm and Wednesday's will start at 5.00pm.**

- **As always, admission is by ticket only** so please complete the ticket request form below and return by the **morning of Wednesday 4th July at the very latest**, so that we can issue these. **Please note that your performance programme is your entrance ticket.**

As you are aware, there are a maximum number of people we can accommodate in the hall due to Health and Safety and Fire regulations, and therefore we ask that you request **only 2 tickets in the first instance (either 1 per performance or 2 for one of the evenings only)**. **Spares will be allocated once every family has been given their first round of tickets.** Younger siblings will have seen the performance, and will not be allowed in to watch the evening performances. Thank you.

LIBRARY BOOKS/READING BOOKS

Can all children remember to bring back their library/reading books by Friday 13th July. If you have lost your book please replace or speak to Mrs Fallon who will tell you how much the book will cost to be replaced. Thank You.

INCREASE IN COST OF SCHOOL MEALS

Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to free school meals under the Universal Infant Free School Meals Scheme. Children in Years 3 to 6 need to pay for their school meals. The cost of school meals is increasing from 1st September 2018 from £2.15 to £2.34 per day. Iss Catering have informed us that there has not been an increase in price in more than 4 years and last year the council decided to subsidise school meals so that meal prices did not need to increase in line with inflation. This year the council is no longer in a position to provide this subsidy.

- **The cost of the lunches for the first half of the Autumn Term is £77.22** (from 5th September - 19th October 2018). **Payment must be made in advance;** If you wish to pay weekly, **the cost is £11.70 per week, payable in advance on line on School Money.**
- If you wish your child to start/stop school lunches please come into the school office and pick up a form. If you wish to stop school lunches, the kitchen will require you to give them **half a term's notice.**

BIKER'S/SCOOTER'S BREAKFAST

We will be holding our annual Biker's/Scooter's Breakfast on **Tuesday 17th July from 8.15 - 8.55am** in the hall. On the morning of the breakfast, bring your bike/scooter into the playground; Mrs Swinburne and Mr Day will be there to show you where to leave it. Parents and children are all welcome.

If you would like to come to the breakfast please sign and return the slip below.

If you would like to take part in the Bling Your Bike/Scooter competition as well please see below.

BLING YOUR BIKE/SCOOTER COMPETITION

The **Bling Your Bike/Scooter** competition will be on the same morning as the Biker's/Scooter's Breakfast. The competition is open to all children in the school.

This is an opportunity to decorate your bike or scooter at home, and then ride it, or bring it to school. You can use glitter, ribbons, coloured card, stickers, or anything else colourful you have at home. You can google 'Bling your bike', where you will find lots of ideas. Please be as creative as you like! The theme of the competition is **SUMMER**. Please ensure that no decorations interfere with brakes, chain, pedals and wheels, and that all bikes/scooters will be safe to ride.

On the morning of the competition, bring your bike/scooter into the playground; Mrs Swinburne and Mr Day will be there to show you where to leave it.

Please ensure that your bike/scooter is clearly labelled with your name, so that it can be easily identified for the judges.

Let us know if your child will be taking part in this competition, by filling in the slip below and returning it to the school by **Friday 13th July 2018**. Have fun! Mrs Swinburne

REPLY SLIP

JUNIOR PRODUCTION OF "SHAKESPEARE ROCKS" - TICKET REQUESTS

CHILD'S NAME _____ YEAR _____

I would like _____ tickets for the **TUESDAY 10TH JULY PERFORMANCE - 7.00pm**

I would like _____ tickets for the **WEDNESDAY 11TH JULY PERFORMANCE - 5.00pm**

****** PLEASE ONLY REQUEST A MAXIMUM OF 2 IN TOTAL ******

If there are any spare tickets I would like _____ for Tuesday and _____ for Wednesday

Signed _____



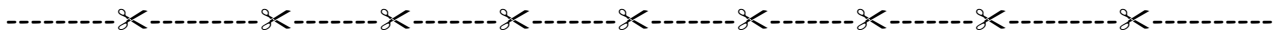
If you would like to come to the breakfast please sign and return the slip below

I/WE WOULD LIKE TO COME TO THE BIKER'S/SCOOTER'S BREAKFAST

Signed: _____

Child's name and Class: _____

No. of people coming: _____



BLING YOUR BIKE/SCOOTER COMPETITION

I would like my child to take part in the Bling Your Bike/Scooter competition on Tuesday 17th July 2018

To take part in this session, I understand my child will need to bring a roadworthy bike or scooter to school that day.

Signed: _____

Child's name and Class: _____