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### Newsletter 36

#### **Terrific & Stars of the Week**

With most of the KS2 children being away this week, we have not awarded the Terrific or Star of the Week accolades this week. These will be back again next week!

#### **School Milk for the Autumn Term 2017**

Payments for school milk for the autumn term have now been set up on the SchoolMoney system. If your child would like milk next term but there is no payment showing, please let Mrs Waight know. Children in Nursery and Reception children who will be 4-years old for the whole of the autumn term are entitled to free school milk, as are children who are in receipt of benefit related free school meals. Milk orders MUST be placed by tomorrow please. It will be too late after that, so please make sure milk has been ordered if your child would like it next term. NO order = No milk.

#### **Drum Tuition**

As per the text message sent out yesterday afternoon, there will be no drum lessons after school tomorrow.

#### **Whole School Photo – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July**

Please note that the whole school photograph will be taken at the school on Monday next week. It would be great for all the children to look their very best for this, so please make sure all the children arrive spick and span for their photo to be taken. The photos will be available for purchase prior to the end of term.

#### **Movie Night – Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July**

Will you be coming our Movie Night straight after school on Tuesday next week? Tickets, priced at £2.50 each, to include a drink and a cup of popcorn, are available to purchase now via the shop on the SchoolMoney system and must be bought in advance. Please note this film is certified as a PG and is recommended for children aged 7+. By purchasing a ticket you are agreeing to your child seeing the film. If your child is staying, please be back at school at 5 pm to pick up.

#### **Game, Set & Match – Themed Lunch – Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July**

Please remember that next Tuesday lunchtime, Mrs Miller will be serving a Wimbledon themed school lunch for all the children. The menu on this day will be: Championship chicken wrap (Red option); Game, set and Mac 'n' cheese (Green option); both served with a choice of Wimbledon Wedges; New ball peas and Courtside carrots (all optional). There will be no school packed lunch option on this day. Children should select their choice of school lunch as usual on Tuesday morning on the dinner charts in each classroom. Lunches will be charged in the normal way via the SchoolMoney system.

#### **Governors' & Parents Meeting – Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July @ 7 pm**

All parents are invited to a presentation by Mr Howard and the governors on Tuesday evening next week at 7 pm. During this meeting, our plans for the new academic year will be presented. We would strongly encourage all parents of children who will be at the school next year to attend.

#### **Class 3 Road Safety Training – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July**

As detailed in the diary dates, Class 3 will be going into Bishop's Stortford on Wednesday morning for road safety training. A letter with full details about this has been e-mailed and a paper copy, together with the booklet, will be sent home with the children on Monday. Please note the transport arrangements and return the permission slip as soon as possible. Thank you.

#### **Sponsored Event**

Just another gentle reminder to please bring in all sponsor money collected for this event as soon as possible. Thank you!

## Parent/Teacher Consultations – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July

Letters have been e-mailed home this week about the parent/teacher consultations that will be taking place in the last week of term. Please return the slip with your preferred time as soon as possible. The consultations on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July for KS1 children will be with Miss Bainbridge and Mr Howard. Apologies for omitting to include Miss Bainbridge on the letter. School reports for the children will be sent home on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July.

## Birchwood Games

Last Thursday, Class 2 took part in the Birchwood Games. The children took part in three activities: Karate, hip-hop and cheerleading. In Karate, they were introduced to some Japanese words and were taught to block whilst being struck with a 'woggle'. They all showed some good reactions to get out of the way – mostly! Next, was hip-hop - a form of street dance. The children certainly showed off some good moves. Please ask for them to show you a Wytang or a wave! Finally, they were given the opportunity to take part in a cheerleading routine with pom-poms and a flying angel ending involving five children lifting a sixth to the horizontal above their heads. A few adults had their eyes closed but the children followed the instructions to the letter and everyone was brought down safely. It was a good, fun afternoon as the children were all given the opportunity to try something new. As always, a huge thank you to all the parents who were able to help with transport to Birchwood. Without your support we would not be able to attend these events.

## Cystic Fibrosis

Mrs Moring and her brother were really pleased to be invited in to present an assembly to the children about Cystic Fibrosis to help raise awareness of this awful condition. A massive thank you to everyone who supported the Cystic Fibrosis fundraising day a couple of weeks ago. We have been informed by Mrs Moring that the day, including the cake stall after school, raised an impressive £150 for the charity which she has passed on to her brother.

## And finally.....

Yet again, please can we stress the importance that ALL the children have their full PE kits in school EVERY day. They should also have water bottles and sun hats. Sun cream should be applied before school. Also, please remember that children with long hair should have this tied up at all times and definitely during PE.

## Diary Dates for the Summer Term 2017 – PLEASE CHECK DATES WEEKLY FOR ANY ADDITIONS AND CHANGES

JULY 2017	
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Whole School group photograph.
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	"Game, Set & Match" – themed lunch to be served.
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	3.30 pm - Movie Night – Sing! TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE.
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	3.45 pm Cricket match v Hatfield Broad Oak School (home fixture) – selected children only.
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	7 pm – Governors' & Parents' meeting.
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Road safety training for Years 5 & 6 in Bishop's Stortford.
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Transition Day.
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	School reports to be sent home.
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	1.45 pm – KS2 End of Year production – dress rehearsal.
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	3.30 – 6.30 pm – KS2 Parent/Teacher consultations.
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	3.30 – 6.30 pm – KS1 Parent/Teacher consultations.
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	2.45 pm – Church assembly with Rev Steve – ALL WELCOME!
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	7 pm – KS2 End of Year production.
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Albury Sports Day!
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	2 pm – School finishes for the summer holiday.
SEPTEMBER 2017	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	School re-opens after the summer holiday.