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## Tilston Parochial CE Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

### **Reception Intake Evening: Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> July**

Our Reception Intake Evening will run on **Monday** next week. This is an information evening for parents of our next Reception cohort and it runs from **6.30 pm** (it will last around an hour). You will have a chance to meet your child's Year 6 buddy and find out more about your child's Reception year. Please feel free to bring your child if you wish.

### **Sports Activity Day: Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> July**

We are currently arranging sports coaching and clubs for the new academic year and we are being visited by Premier Sports on **Monday**. Coaches will be leading a number of sports activities throughout the school day with all our classes. To get the most out of the time available, we would like all the children to come into school wearing their **PE kits** for the **full day**. Thank you.

### **KS2 Production 'A Night at the Musicals': Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> July**

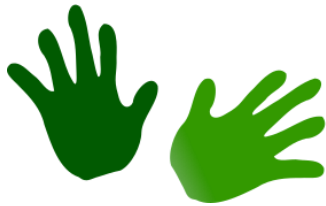
Our KS2 children will be performing 'A Night at the Musicals' on Tuesday next week at **2.00 pm** and **6.30 pm**. Please remember that **you will need a ticket** for the performances as the show will take place in our new school hall which doesn't have the same capacity as the village hall. Any spare tickets will be allocated to families who request extras. We will need all the children to arrive at **6.00 pm** for the evening performance. Thank you.

### **Year 5 Curriculum Day: Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> July**

Bishop Heber High School runs a special day for Year 5 pupils each year to help them meet staff and make new friends with pupils from other schools. This year, our pupils will travel to Farndon Primary School on **Friday** next week and the day will be led by the Art and DT departments. The aims of the day are to encourage the children to work collaboratively, to generate creative thinking and to promote independent learning. Parents are responsible for taking their children to Farndon and they are expected to arrive between **9.15 and 9.30 am** (they need to be collected at **3.00 pm**). In previous years, parents have shared lifts so if your child is taking part, it may be worth talking to others at this stage. Thank you.

### Annual Reports to Parents: Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> July

Annual reports and end of Key Stage assessment information (for pupils in Reception, Year 2 and Year 6) will be sent out on **Friday** next week. There will be an opportunity for you to come into school on **Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> July** to speak to your child's class teacher/s about the report if you wish. Please complete the reply slip in the report envelope if you would like to do this.



### big tidy up: Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> July from 3.30 pm

We would really appreciate a small team of parent volunteers to help with outdoor jobs around school on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July**. If you could lend an hour or two or some tools, a trailer, paintbrushes or paint, we will be pruning, digging, wood staining and ground clearing from **3.30 until 5.00 pm**. Free childcare will be provided to any willing volunteers. Please let us know in advance if you will be able to help out. Thank you.

### Hall Opening Event: Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Thank you for letting us know if your child is unavailable for the Hall Opening Event on 22<sup>nd</sup> July. We hope most of you will be free to come along and share this special day in the school's history.

### School's Out Party: Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July

Don't forget to buy your advance tickets for the 'School's Out Party' from the school, the shop or the Carden Arms. If you can offer an hour's help with the barbecue, please let us know by signing up (the sheet can be found in the school's entrance hall). Thank you.

<b>Lunch Menu for week beginning 10<sup>th</sup> July 2017</b>	
Monday	Sausage with potatoes and veg or jacket potato & cheese
Tuesday	Beef pasta Bolognese or jacket potato with cheese & beans
Wednesday	Roast dinner
Thursday	Beef stew or jacket potato with tuna/cheese
Friday	Fish & chips or pasta in sauce



### School Uniform Orders

If you need to order any school uniform from Mrs Farmer ready for the new academic year, please could you do this by the end of next week? This will ensure that items of uniform are delivered by the end of term. Thank you.

### Personal Development

This week, we have been looking for children who **understand others**. For our younger children, this may include showing an awareness of who is talking and beginning to listen to other people's point of view. As we move through the school, our older pupils are working towards listening to others and changing their behaviours to suit different situations. Well done to the following children who have excelled this week:

## Stars of the Week

<b>YR</b>	<b>All the Wrens:</b> for making Nathan welcome in class
<b>Y1</b>	<b>Eve:</b> for always listening to others and their opinions
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Gracie:</b> for always listening to others and taking on board their views and ideas
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Tilly:</b> for always showing empathy and kindness to others
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Molly W:</b> for always doing her best to listen to others and offer support
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Mya:</b> for listening to others before trying to be understood
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Denis:</b> for describing and understanding others' points of view

### **REMINDER: KS2 Performing Arts Club and Drama Club**

Please note that the **final** KS2 Performing Arts session will take place on **Monday** next week. Ellen's drama club will finish on **Wednesday** next week.

### **UPDATE: Sports Day and Summer Fair**

It looks as though the clouds are darkening this afternoon with a small chance of a shower. The Summer Fair is already being set up so we are keen to go ahead with Sports Day. We will text you at lunchtime to keep you up to date.

Have a great weekend!

Yours sincerely



Mr R Harley