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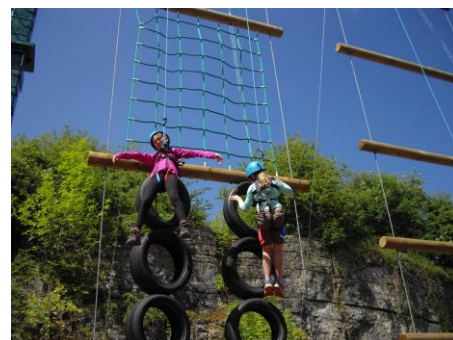
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Newsletter 14

Dear parents and carers,

The final term of the school year is now well and truly underway. The children in Oak Class started the term with a fantastic residential trip to the Peak District which involved a variety of wonderful outdoor activities.

There are a number of exciting events taking place this term and I have included a list of dates at the end of this newsletter.



Sports day

Parents and carers are very welcome to join us for our sports day which takes place on **Monday 19 June at 10am**. This will be followed by a picnic on the school field at lunchtime to which you are also invited. The children will need to wear their school PE kit on the day although they may choose to wear a plain coloured t-shirt in their house colour (no football shirts please). This year we also have coloured bibs which were kindly donated to the school so it should be really clear which child is in which house. Please ask if you are unsure which colour house your child is in. The year 6 children are invited to participate in a slow cycle race and will need their bikes. They **must** wear a cycle helmet to take part. The weather forecast is for a warm and sunny day so please ensure your child has his/her water bottle on the day as well as a sun hat. Please also apply sun cream prior to arriving at school.

This year, we are introducing a brand new race: a whole school sprint relay race. It promises to be really exciting and will mean that every child has an opportunity to take part in an extra running race during the morning.

If your child received a trophy last year, please return it to school prior to sports day so that we have them ready for this year's awards.

Summer fete

The annual summer fete takes place on **Sunday 2 July** on the school field between 12-3pm. Last week, you received a pack of raffle tickets with an accompanying letter from Amanda Bowen, the Chair of Friends. The letter provided information about selling raffle tickets and a non-uniform day we will be having on **Friday 30 June**. Instead of donating money on this day, the Friends would like you to donate prizes for the tombola. Please refer to the letter from Friends for more details.

All raffle tickets should be sold and envelopes returned to school by **Wednesday 28 June**. This year, there will be a trophy for the family who sell the most tickets!

The Friends of the School will be sending home a paper plate with your child on Monday 26th June asking you to fill this with cakes and bring to the Summer fete.

We will need volunteers to set up the fete on the field from 10am, run the stalls and to clear up afterwards. We would also like to invite any of the children in Oak Class to help out if they would like to. If you are able to help for all, or just part of the day, please let school know by email or telephone or by contacting Amanda Bowen. Alternatively, you can sign up to help on the sheet which will be appearing on the rear doors to the school soon.

Is your child interested in learning a musical instrument?

If your child is in key stage 2 from September (Willow Class and Oak Class) and would be interested in learning flute, clarinet or violin, please see Mrs Hibberd in the school office for more details by **Wednesday 21 June**.

Forthcoming dates

Below is a list of key events taking place between now and the end of term:

Mon 19 June	Sports Day – see above
Tues 20 June	Y5 taster day at Barnes Wallis – separate letter has already been sent
Wed 21 June	3pm community collective worship in St Mary’s Church – all welcome
Thurs 22 June	Maple Class visiting Skegness – separate letter has already been sent
Mon 26 June	EYFS/KS1 Cultural Day at Barnes Wallis – separate letter has already been sent Willow Class visiting Burghley House– separate letter has already been sent
Tue 27 June	Reception cohort 2017 taster session 1 (9.15 – 11.00)
Wed 28 June	Arts themed day – see previous Newsletter 13 for details
Fri 30 June	Non-uniform day – tombola prize collection (see above)
Sun 2 July	Summer fete in school (12-3pm)
Mon 3 July	Reception cohort 2017 taster session 2 (9.15 – 11.00) 6pm reception cohort 2017 welcome evening
Mon 10 July	“Change over” day – children will spend the morning in their new classes Reception cohort 2017 taster session 3 (9.15 – 12.45) Y6 induction day at Banovallum, QEGS and Barnes Wallis
Thurs 13 July	Y5 taster morning at Banovallum (letter to follow) 2pm and 6pm Oak Class performance in St Mary’s Church – all welcome
Fri 14 July	Annual reports distributed
Tues 18 July	Talent show in school Y6 barbecue
Wed 19 July	2pm leavers’ service in St Mary’s Church End of school year

I look forward to sharing some of these events with you in the coming weeks.

Yours sincerely,



Simon Morley
Headteacher