

Dear Everyone,

We have had a jam-packed first week back after half term: Year 6 won the local cricket competition and began practising for their end of year production; the Student Council have held the School Talent Show; class photos were taken; Dr Deborah Jones continues her research into effective feedback with our staff; Year 1 and 2 enjoyed their Hatfield House Trip; Years 4, 5 and 6 are busy practicing for their end of year brass band production; Brunel University externally moderated the support we offer to students - and were delighted; the staff spent time sharing their own learning and learning from other staff from other local schools; and to round it all off, we are all excited about the Summer Fair this Saturday. So much learning!

I do hope you will be able join us this Saturday. Ms Wilson, Ms Cacuci, Mr Dignum and I may all be getting slimed - that's worth the entrance fee alone!

Yours sincerely,
Duncan Roberts
Headteacher

PlayRangers

Three Rivers Leisure have requested parents of children attending PlayRangers register their child's details by clicking on the link below

<https://my.threerivers.gov.uk/en>.

The registration form will be found in the 'Online Services' section labelled 'PlayRangers Registration Form'

If you do not register your child's details your child may not be allowed to attend PlayRangers until the registration has been completed. Please make sure this has been done before the next PlayRangers session to avoid disappointment.

Buddy Family Day and Community Celebration

We are postponing our Buddy Family Day and Community Celebration until the 12th of July. Information on our Parent Fridays developments is included in a letter sent out today. I look forward to seeing you! Please update your dairies.

Little Things Help

The little things really help. In an education setting this is not just the invaluable time of reading with your child every day, it is also such things as getting your child to school on time and ringing in illnesses before 9am. Every pro-active thing you do helps support your child's education; this is especially true of 'paperwork' tasks. Please be prompt with reply slips, illness calls, providing evidence of appointments and even labelling all your child's clothes. Every time school staff help look for a PE shirt, chase for a trip permission, etc., it takes valuable time, and thus money, away from direct input into the children's learning.

Thank you to everyone for their support and help in these matters, especially in these times of tight education budgets.

Summer Fair

Saturday 9th June 12:00 noon

Don't forget our Summer Fair tomorrow, Saturday 9th June. We welcome all volunteers who would be prepared to help with setting up; we will be on site from 9:00am. Your help will be much appreciated, please come and join us.

Likewise, if you can help after the fair to clear and tidy away, 'many hands make light work', the more volunteers we have clearing away the quicker and more fun the clearing away will be.

Events include:

- 12:30 Maple Cross JMI School Choir
- 12:45 The Black Widow Girls
- 13:00 Boxing Club Presentation
- 13:30 Dance Club Performance
- 13:45 Chocolate Chips Performance
- 14:00 The Greatest Show Girls – Performance
- 14:45 Talent show winners
- 15:00 Slime the Teacher (at stall)
- 15:05 Hamper Raffle Draw

Hair Cuts for Boys at Sun Setters

CJ Barbers are coming to Sun Setters Club on Tuesday 26th June. Please see letter sent home this week for more details.

Letters Sent Home This Week



Whole School	Sports Day
Whole School	Parent Friday details
Whole School	Hair Cuts for Boys at Sun Setters
R – Year 6	Charity Talent Show
Year 1	Multi Skill Festival - reply needed
Year 3	Athletics Competition - reply needed
Year 4	Triathlon Competition - reply needed
Year 5	Residential Trip - reply needed
Year 6	Reach Free Spanish Workshop
Year 6	End of year performance
Year 6	Rounders Tournaments (selected Students) - reply needed

DIARY DATES

June 2018

Saturday 9 th	Summer Fair – 12-3pm
Tuesday 12 th	3:30pm-Rounder's V Chorleywood (at home)
Friday 15 th	Reception Trip
Friday 15 th	Special Person Day – details nearer the time
Friday 29 th	Sports Day

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Monday 9 th	Year 5 trip to Hazard Alley – early start!
Friday 13 th	Year 5 Sleep Over
Monday 16 th – Thursday 19 th	Year 5 Sailing – meet/collect at Bury Lake
Friday 20 th	Last Day of term – School Ends 1:30pm