



Dear Parents/Carers

Pirate of Penzance

Many congratulations to the cast for their hard work over many months leading up to this week's excellent performances.

Many thanks also to Mrs Hains and Mrs Finney for their superb production and direction of the performance.

Engage for Africa

Many thanks for your generosity today. Children have learnt how football clothing and mobile 'phones will be used to help schools and communities near Kampala in Uganda. Children have enjoyed their football coaching sessions too.

St. John's Church Gala

I do hope that many of you will be able to attend tomorrow's Church Gala which will take place at our school.

At 2 pm members of the Pirates of Penzance cast will be performing a few numbers from the show.

Summer Festival Mufti Days

The next three Fridays (18th June, 25th June and 2nd July) are all mufti/non-uniform days.

In exchange for donations for Festival stalls children may wear non-uniform.

Next Friday we would like you to donate a bottle (it can contain anything from champagne to shampoo.) On 25th June we would like tombola gifts such as e.g. toiletries and on the day before the Festival (2nd July) we would like good quality toys, books and games.

PFA Meeting

The next meeting of the PFA will be on Monday 14th June at 6 pm.

This is an important meeting where lots of Festival business needs to be covered. If you are able to help with the Festival please do your best to attend.

Class 2 and 3 Drama Workshop

Children in Classes 2 and 3 will be taking part in drama workshops all day on Friday 18th June.

We will be asking for a donation of £1.00 per child to help towards the cost of this and, as ever, I am grateful to the PFA for agreeing to cover the majority of the cost.

School Meal Charges

We have this week received notification that school meals will increase in price from September 2010. The price will be £1.60 per day, therefore, £8.00 per week.

Athletics Club

To date the following children have places in our Athletics club which starts on Monday 14th: Amy Macdonald (Y3), Samuel Nourish (Y3), Ilona Matthews (Y3), Ellen Deane (Y3), Katie Wilkinson (Y3), George Birch (Y4), Lucy Kerr (Y4), Morgan Matthews (Y5), Faye Large (Y5.)

There are 4 further places which will be offered on a first come first served basis.

Wally Cain Dance Festival

Our very best wishes to Class 4 who will be performing their dance on Southport Theatre on Wednesday evening.

On The Back . . .

Please see details of Bernie's Bouncy Castles – they have kindly agreed to provide a bouncy castle for this year's Leavers' Party free of charge.

Group and Team Photographs

You should have received this week your child's photograph that was taken recently. Please ensure all your orders are returned to school by MONDAY 28th JUNE.

Clubs On w/b 14/6/10

- Monday:* Baseball, netball, athletics, HQ football
- Tuesday:* NWSS, HQ Street Dance
- Wednesday:* Music reading
- Thursday:* none
- Friday:* Running, cricket

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

If you have any Sainsbury's vouchers at home please send to school next week so that we can do our final count and place our order.

FAST Club

Don't forget we run an excellent childcare service after every school day.

Children are given a light snack and supervised and entertained. The cost is £3 up to 4.00 pm and £2 for every hour thereafter up to 5.30 pm.

Places are usually available at short notice (must be at least 24 hours) and forms for booking a place can be collected from the Office.

Head lice

Please check your child's hair for head lice every week. Additional guidance is available from Pharmacy Online on Rufford Road and from our School Nurse (Sarah Malm) who visits every Wednesday morning and is on the playground from 8.45 am.

If you have particular concerns regarding head lice or any other medical issue please telephone the School Nursing Service on 01704 544766.

Start Right

Start Right is a scheme for parents and pre-school children aged 3 and below.

Please join Anna Maiden in the hall on Thursday mornings from 9 am. This is an excellent opportunity for parents/carers to play and engage with their pre-school child in the school setting and to meet other parents with pre-school children.

Further details are available from Anna Maiden in Reception class.

Breakfast Club

Remember that we offer very high quality childcare and a healthy breakfast to children from 7.45 am every morning. Book your child in at short notice and for the odd day. The cost is £3 per session.

Parents Weekly Drop In Coffee Mornings

Please join us for an informal gathering for parents every Wednesday morning from 9 am in the Parents and Community Room on the first floor. I know many of you attend regularly and have found the sessions fun and reassuring.

Our Parent Support Advisor – Kim Hickson – will be pleased to meet parents to discuss any support that she may be able to offer.

All parents/carers are very welcome to attend. You may wish to meet other parents or to discuss issues you may have with your child. We are able to call upon a host of different agencies to offer a wide variety of support.

Pre-school aged children are also welcome!

Term Dates

<i>June</i>	
12th	Church gala
18th	Mufti day for Festival
25th	Mufti day for Festival
	Uniform sale 1-2.15 pm
<i>July</i>	
2nd	Mufti day for Festival
	Uniform sale 2-3.30 pm
3rd	PFA Summer Festival
14th	Sports Day
16th	Walk to School/Park Away day
21st	Y6 Leavers' production
22nd	Leavers' Service in Church at 9.30 am
	Term ends at 1.45 pm

Best wishes

Mr Daniel Hains
Headteacher

