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Dear Parents / Carers,

It has been a long half term of eight weeks but we have reached the end and hopefully all of the children are looking forward to a very well-earned half term break.

Parent / Teacher Consultations

Many thanks for all who took the time to attend a meeting with their child's class teacher this week and also to those who completed one of the surveys which I have already had the opportunity to glance over. I will analyse these a bit more forensically over the next few weeks and will report back to you by Monday 25th November.

Discos

A comment which arose a few times on the survey related to school discos and the fact they had stopped. I am pleased to let you know that next half term they will be returning but in a slightly different format as they will be straight after school. The dates for these have been arranged as 19th November for Reception and KS1 with KS2 being held the following Tuesday, 26th November. Further information will be shared after the half term break.

Poppies

After the half term break, we will be selling items in aid of the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal. There will be various items, each with a suggested donation as has been the case in previous years:

Poppies: No suggested minimum donation
Reflectors: 50p
'Snap bands': £1.50
Ribbon wristbands: £1.00.

Farewell...

Today we say goodbye to Mrs Smith, one of our fabulous teaching assistants and lunchtime supervisors. Mrs Smith joined us in 2018 and has been a hugely valued member of staff, working closely with teaching staff to support individuals and groups of children in their learning. There is no doubt that she will be hugely missed but she is returning to the teaching profession as previously she was a secondary teacher. All of us who have had the pleasure to work with her will agree that she will be a massive asset in her new role.

Running Club

Just a reminder that for children to participate in running club, a change of shoes is required. If they are already in PE kit as it is their 'PE day', the shoes being worn will be fine and no change is necessary. On the first day back it is the turn of Year 6....

World Polio Day

We have counted up the donations made for the non-uniform day in aid of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative and together we have raised £300.00. Thanks to you all!

LUNCH ROTA	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4
Week beginning	30.09.24 04.11.24 02.12.24	07.10.24 11.11.24 09.12.24	14.10.24 18.11.24 16.12.24	23.09.24 21.10.24 25.11.24
MON	Y6	Y3	Y4	Y5
TUES	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
WEDS	Y4	Y5	Y6	Y3
THURS	Y5	Y6	Y3	Y4

And Finally...

Many thanks as always for your support through the past eight weeks. We wish you all a pleasant and enjoyable half term break and we will see you all back on the 4th November.

Yours Sincerely

C. Gibson

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