



PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

First of all, we would like to say how very proud we have been of all the children in Year 6 as they completed their SATs tests this week. Even when the tests were at times difficult, everyone took a deep breath and did their very best. They have worked continuously hard all year, with this week being no exception, and we really couldn't have asked for any more.

Next week, Year 2 will be sitting their end of year SATs. These are less formal, but still important tests for the children as they move up into KS2. As we said last week, Year 1 will have their phonics screening check week commencing 12th June, which is a government assessment to test the pupils' phonic knowledge. Children in Year 4 will then complete their Multiplication Tables check at some point between Monday 12th June – Friday 23rd June. This is again a government assessment, this time to check knowledge of times tables.

We know that all the children across the school have worked extremely hard this year and will do their absolute best in all the above. We wish them all well.

Inter-house Art Competition

As part of the competition, your child will be designing a 'dot' in their house colour linked to the popular children's book 'The Dot' by Peter H Reynolds. With this in mind, we are asking for donations of any coloured art materials or collage items in either red, yellow, green or blue (our school house colours).

Things that we would be particularly grateful to receive include:

- Coloured packaging
- Scraps of coloured materials
- Coloured craft materials
- Ribbons

If you have anything that could be donated, then please send them in with your child at your earliest convenience.

Outdoor Play and Learning (OPAL) 'Stay and Play' – Tuesday 27th June

As mentioned last week, we are inviting parents and carers into school for the morning of 27th June to hear more about OPAL and then to have the chance to 'stay and play' with their child. We hope you will be able to come to support this event and will enjoy finding out a bit more about all the fantastic options there are available for the children at break and lunchtimes.

Secret Artist

The 'Secret Artist' competition continues - should any pupil want to take part, they can bring in their artwork to school and place it in the box outside the Co-Headteachers' office. Entries could include photographic images, simple sketches, paintings, sculptures, pictures of decorated cakes and even pictures of large-scale outdoor artwork they have done! Pupils can remain anonymous if they wish or they can name their work.

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Important Dates for your diary:

Monday 15th May – Friday 26th May – Year 2 SATs will be taking place over these two weeks

Thursday 18th May Coronation Ball – EYFS & KS1 4.30-5.30, KS2 6.00-7.00

Tuesday 23rd May – Inter-house Art Competition in school

Wednesday 24th May – 5.30-6.30 Peat Rigg information session for Y6 parents and carers

Friday 26th May – School closes for half term

Monday 12th June – school re-opens

Monday 12th June – Friday 16th June – Year 1 phonics screening check

Monday 12th June – Friday 23rd June – the Year 4 multiplication check will take place within these two weeks

Thursday 22nd June – Year 6 Shakespeare day

Thursday 22nd June – West Yorkshire Panathlon Finals

Tuesday 27th June (am)– ‘Stay and Play’ OPAL session

We hope you have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing you next week.

Kind regards,

Fiona Meer and Beth Medhurst
Co-Headteachers



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