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Friday 15th July

Dear Parents/Carers,



We are approaching our final few days, which are looking really hot! We have so much going on this week (all the details below) but I wanted to firstly say a big thanks: We have actually made it through our first full year in 3 years! It hasn't always been easy, but we made it together. With your support physically (turning up to school events), emotionally (sending lovely messages on Dojo) and financially (we have asked a lot of you for trips that can't go ahead if not enough people pay, charities and school events), together we make a fabulous school.

I have the pleasure of every day coming into work to look after your children; it is so much easier when we work as a team. Occasionally, we make mistakes (who doesn't? 😊) but through mutual respect, we get it right in the end.

To our gorgeous year 6 ---- I have known most of you since reception and the time has passed in the blink of an eye. I really look forward to hearing how you progress at secondary school; please come back and see us and let us know. You have achieved exceptional results in your SATs but that is just one aspect of you and us, most of all you have grown into respectful, well behaved and gorgeous young people, ready for the next stage of your lives.

Anyway, enough of me blubbering on, please see some important information for next week below:



Year 6 Leavers Assembly

We are having our Year 6 leavers assembly on Thursday 21st July at 9.15 am. Tickets are free but limited to 2 per family as we need to squeeze everyone in. Tickets will be available from the main reception from next week. This will be the first one parents have been able to attend since the summer of 2019! We are looking forward to it. **WARNING:** Please bring tissues 😊

Plus we will be saying goodbye to some staff this year:

Ann Ing who has been at Studfall for 22 years- she is retiring at the grand old age of 72!!! Ann has been an amazing asset to Studfall and a wonderful person, teacher and Sendco.

Drew Ing is leaving us to go back to secondary school, somewhere he actually started his career. Drew is leaving us but not the Trust and is going into Year 7 at Kingswood Secondary School, which will mean he will still see lots of us from Studfall.

Jenny Chan has been commuting every weekend as her husband works up North and now she is going to join him, still as a teaching assistant but less commuting 😊



REPORTS

The children's school reports will come home today.

In year 4 reports, you will receive their National Times Tables result too.

In year 6 reports, you will receive their National SAT results

If you feel the need to speak to someone about the report, here is a link for you to let us know by Monday 9am so that we can arrange a time for you with the class teacher.

<https://forms.office.com/r/pCDMU6gvgG>



SCHOOL COUNCIL SUMMER FETE

The school council have worked tirelessly to raise money for their peers. They have organised a school fete for 3.25pm until 4ish on Tuesday 19th July.

WE AREN'T ALLOWED TO KEEP CASH ON SITE SO PLEASE BRING LOTS OF CHANGE 😊 SORRY!

Here are some of the activities planned:

- Sweet Hamper
- Name the Teddy
- SPLAT THE TEACHER/ADULT (I am sure lots of you wouldn't mind paying a £1 to throw wet sponges at me and some other staff! 😊)
- Treasure Map
- Hoopla
- Play Your Cards Right
- Mrs McGeachie (a stall that has my clothes on sale for £5 or £10 plus to guess how many shoes I actually own 😊)
- Can Crash
- Ice Lollies
- Drinks
- Cakes and Biscuits
- Flying pigs
- Bracelets for Florence (this money will go directly to Florence)
- Sweets in a jar
- Ring toss
- Penalty Shoot out

Just to name a few.

It would be great if you could stay and take part for 10/15 mins- will make a difference. This money goes straight towards funding the children's ideas NOT into school budget.



HEATWAVE

We have a really high set of temperatures on the horizon. Guidance from the Trust and Public Health is that we are ok to stay open.

Children will be able to stay inside or sit in the shade during lunch.

They will need plenty of fluids and any clothing that will keep them cool PLUS please suncream, hats etc

It is looking like it will be hot on Monday and Tuesday and then will cool down Wed and Thurs.

Finally: It might be the summer but I am still here --- if you need any help, support, chat in the summer please get in touch, either through DOJO but best email: lmcgeachie@studfalljunioracademy.org

Have a happy and safe summer.

Thanks in advance.

Please see some important dates below.

Best wishes



Louise McGeachie
Principal

Upcoming Dates:

Friday 15 th July	Reports Go Home
Tuesday 19 th July	9.15am Rock Steady concert
Tuesday 19 th July	School Council Fete
Wednesday 20 th July	Final Dojo assembly
Thursday 21 st July	9.15am Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Thursday 21 st July	School Closes for the Summer

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