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Advance notice about events this half term

I am writing to remind you of events which will be taking place during this very busy half term.

Ground Force Day

Parents, carers, grandparents and friends of the school are invited to join us for our annual Ground Force Day on **Friday 07 June**. We are looking for help with weeding and gardening, general tidying up and sorting out to spruce up our school site. No specialist skills are needed. Volunteers can help for as long as they want to and during any part of the school day. Please sign in at the school office.

Sports mornings

Parents and carers are welcome to watch their child's sports morning. You may stay on site when you drop your child off by 8:45am ready for a 9:00am start; please wait in the Early Years garden or on the field.

Sports morning is booked for **Monday 10 June** between 9:00am and 10:00am for children in orange and yellow class (reserve date Wednesday 12 June). This will take place in the **Early Years garden**. Access to the Early Years garden will be via the **Early Years gate**.

Children in green, red and blue class will have their sports morning on **Thursday 13 June** between 9:00am and 11:00am (reserve date Monday 17 June). This will take place on the top yard and the field. Access to the top yard and the field after 8:45am will be via the **school office**. All other gates will be locked so visitors must come in and out via the office. We cannot keep the external gates open to allow visitors to access and leave the site during sports morning.

All children should come to school wearing their school PE kit on their sports day; they do not need to bring school uniform to change in to.

Parents and carers are politely reminded that smoking and vaping is not allowed on school premises, and dogs may not be brought on to the school site, even if they are being carried or in a bag. Mrs Elliott will allow visitors to enter and leave the site via the office door but she will not allow visitors to nip in and out for a smoke.

Class photographs

Children in all year groups will have their photograph taken with their class during the morning of **Tuesday 11 June**.

Non uniform for the summer fayre

Children are invited to wear non uniform and bring contributions towards the summer fayre on **Friday 14 June, Friday 28 June and Friday 12 July**.

Yellow class assembly

Parents and carers of children in yellow class are invited to attend their class assembly from 8:45am on **Friday 14 June**.

Father's Day lunch

Father's Day lunch will take place on **Friday 14 June**. Tickets will be sent out early next week.

Singing Spreads Sunshine

A group of children in green and blue class will be singing at Whitley Bay Playhouse on **Tuesday 18 June** to showcase the singing talent we have in all Seaton Valley schools.

Seaton Valley and Cramlington schools dance festival

A group of children in green and blue class will be dancing at Newcastle Eagles Arena on **Wednesday 03 July** with children from Seaton Valley and Cramlington schools.

School lunches for orange class children

Children in orange class who are moving in to Reception class in September are invited to stay for lunch on **Thursday 04 July, Friday 12 July** and **Tuesday 16 July** in order to prepare for the routines of Reception from September 2019.

Orange class assembly

Parents and carers of children in orange class are invited to attend their class assembly from 11:00am on **Friday 05 July**.

Sandcastle competition

Children in green and blue class will be going to South Shields to take part in the sandcastle building competition on **Friday 05 July**.

Transition week Monday 08 to Friday 12 July

Children in Year 4 will go on a school visit on Monday and complete a project based on the visit for the rest of the week. Children in all other year groups will have the chance to meet their new teachers and visit their new classrooms on **Wednesday 10 and Friday 12 July**.

Summer fayre

Our summer fayre will take place on **Wednesday 17 July** from 3:15pm. We will send out more details about the amazing plans we have for the summer fayre in subsequent newsletters.

Celebration assembly

All parents and carers of children in all year groups are invited to attend our celebration assembly on **Thursday 18 July** from 8:45am in the school hall.

Year 4 leavers' party

Children in Year 4 are invited to their leavers' party on **Thursday 18 July from 6:00pm to 8:00pm**. Information will be sent out to the year 4 parents later this month.

Year 4 leavers' assembly

Parents and carers of children in Year 4 are invited to attend their leavers' assembly from 8:45am in the school hall on **Friday 19 July**. Parents and carers are invited to join us in the middle garden or classroom for cake and a cuppa after assembly.

Yours sincerely

Miss Chappell
Headteacher