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5<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Dear Parents,

### Sports Day

Sports Day has been arranged for Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June at approximately 1pm, weather permitting. All parents are welcome to join us on that afternoon to cheer on the children in their physical pursuits. The H.S.A. will be organising a social event for families straight after the event, jam packed with raffles, refreshments and fun for all.

### Cultural Topic

Our cultural topic this year is Japan. Please see the curricular newsletter attached for the exciting activities planned for this half term including a dance workshop and origami workshops amongst other things.

### Absence

Mrs Morris has been absent from work due to an unexpected bereavement of a close family member. I am sure you will all join with me in sending her our best wishes and we look forward to her returning to school. In the meantime, Mrs Fletcher will cover her class.

### E-safety - Facebook Alert

We have been informed by our Local Authority that a Facebook message is being shared which points out that if parents illegally allowed their children to have Facebook accounts pretending they were 13 when they were only 8, then those children will now have Facebook accounts saying they are 18 and therefore adults. We have been asked to share this with you to mitigate any risks to on-line safety and the use of social media.

### Dr.Thomlinson Transition Days

We have been informed that Dr Thomlinson will be having their transition days for those children moving at the end of year 4 on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> and Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July. Parents will be expected to make travel arrangements for their children on these two days.

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### Dates for Diaries

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June - 1pm Sports afternoon weather permitting

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June - KS2 football friendly with Whittingham Primary 3:30pm

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June - KS2 athletics competition at St.Paul's

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Origami workshop for whole school.

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June - KS2 Lifepath Trip to Brinkburn Priory

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June - Sports Leaders course for our young Sports Crew

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June - New parent's meeting for September 2018 starters 6pm.

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - KS2 play their musical instruments at Alwick Gardens Music Festival

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> & Fri 6<sup>th</sup> July - Dr. Thomlinson Middle School transition days.

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July - End of year disco at school 6-7:30pm

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July - Japanese dance workshop for whole school.

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July - Personal, Social, Health workshop for whole school regarding cyber bullying

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers' assembly 1pm.

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July - Children break up for summer.

Children return to school on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Regards,

Louise Fletcher

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