



Summer Term Newsletter

Can you believe that we are in the summer term already? We have a busy term ahead of us so I am sending through some dates to help you prepare your calendar.

We are really excited to resume some of the events which I know we have all missed over the last couple of years.

Parent/Carer Meetings

Our teachers really enjoyed speaking to you on the phone or welcoming you into school to discuss your child's learning. We are really proud of the attitudes our children have to their learning and thank you for your support at home.

Transition

We have a meeting on 11th May for all the parents/carers of children who will be joining us in September.

It is the time of the year when we start preparing for our Year 2 to move up to the Juniors. The Year 2 team have been busy planning with the Junior staff. Children will have visits to the school as well as Mr Gilby and the Year 3 teachers coming over to us. Miss Justice will be sending a letter out to Year 2 parent/carers with all the information on.

We will be holding transition meetings for all parents/carers as children move onto their new class. Dates to follow.

When	What
Wednesday 11 May (17.00-18.00)	Starting Reception New parents meeting. This meeting is for adults only. Mrs Ryan is organising an opportunity for children to stay and play. Letters have been sent to families who have been allocated a space.
Tuesday 28 June	WHOLE SCHOOL Sports Day. More details to follow.
Friday 1 July	Year 2 Camp.
Thursday 14 July (09.15 <u>or</u> 18.00)	Year 2 End of year performance 'Pirates versus Mermaids'. In order to accommodate everyone, we will have two times, 09.15 and 18.00, please only attend once!
Friday 15 July	WHOLE SCHOOL BBQ - joint event with Robert Miles Junior School. This event is open to all of our Robert Miles families. More details to follow.
Friday 22 July (14.00)	Year 2 Leavers Assembly. Unfortunately, we only have enough space for 2 grown-ups per child.

Lunch Clubs

We have a variety of clubs running at lunch times.

Every day Mrs Jennings runs a Nurture Club in our Forest School Space. Children who have been chosen as our Reader of the Week get to go each day for the week following their award.

Mrs Gore, our Forest School teacher runs an Eco Club with some of our Year 1 children on a Monday lunch and Mr Bourne runs a lunch time sports club on a Tuesday.

Staffing

After 13+ years Mrs Merrin is moving on to a new position working in a local Nursery. We thank her for her commitment to Robert Miles and wish her well.

Kool Kidz

The children have really been enjoying the changes to our wraparound care. Mrs Axten and the team have been speaking to the children and addressing the comments made in the questionnaire to improve the provision. As well as sports coaching and forest school activities there are film evenings, baking, construction, art and sewing as well as quiet spaces for those that want to chill out with a book or some colouring. Now the weather is improving we are spending a lot more time outside in the playground.

School places

We do still have some places in our Reception classes for next year and a few spaces in some of our other classes. If you are interested in a place or would like to come and look around then please do contact us.

If you have any questions, comments or ideas please do not hesitate to contact me.

Here's to lighter evenings and more sunshine!

Mrs Sonja Adams