

Dear Parents and Carers

New Governors

We would like to announce that the new Parent Governor's are Mrs Joanna Smith and Mrs Michelle Lepherd.

Bug Club

Please remember to use the Bug Club reading resources with your child over the half-term break.

Terrorist Attack

Some of the pupils have wanted to discuss their concerns about the terrible attack which happened in Manchester this week. Staff have been ready to talk sensitively with children and address their worries. Children from Year 1 to Year 6 marked the one minute's silence, held across the country, at eleven o'clock on Thursday.

NSPCC Parents and Carers Workshop

We were pleased to welcome Emma from the NSPCC on Wednesday who talked to parents about the PANTS campaign and how to talk to children about keeping themselves safe from abuse. Thank you to Jo McCaul from the PTA who provided refreshments.

Class teachers will also be reinforcing the PANTS message with their classes over the next few weeks and will keep parents informed. Please follow this link www.nspcc.org.uk/pants for more information.

Election Day

On the day of the General Election on 8th June, Cavendish will be holding a Mock Election. We have four candidates from

Year 6 who have chosen to stand for election and are busy developing their policies. All children from Years 1 to 6 will listen to the campaign speeches, after the half-term break, and will receive voting cards so they can vote in a secret ballot. More news to follow.

Use of Trading Cards in School

Staff have been monitoring the toys which many of the children have been bringing into school, including fidget spinners and trading cards. Whilst we want the children to have fun at playtimes we need to make sure they are not causing problems. After a whole staff discussion, we have agreed that the trading cards are causing too many arguments and sorting these out these arguments can interrupt lessons. **We therefore request that your children no longer bring trading cards into school.** If children bring them into school they will be confiscated. We will continue to monitor the use of fidget spinners.

Summer Fair, Sunday 11th June

Parents, please offer your help to the PTA so that we can all help to make the Summer Fair a successful event and raise much needed funds for the school. Any amount of help or time which you can give would be most welcome.

Reception Class

Reception Class have been busy flower arranging this week, thank you to Milio's mum for coming in and working with the children. The flower arrangements are going to be put around our new sand kitchen.



Dates for your Diary

Monday 5th June

Back to School

Tuesday 6th June

Year 5 & 6 British Museum Trip

Thursday 8th June

Mock Election at Cavendish
Year 6 Aladdin Trip

Sunday 11th June

Summer Fair

Monday 12th June

Theme Week

Wednesday 14th June

Year 6 Kneller Hall Trip

Tuesday 20th June

Hounslow Singing Festival

Wednesday 21st June

Year 3 Fishbourne Palace Trip

Tuesday 27th June

Year 5 Chiswick Liaison Day
KS1 Sports Day 2pm

Thursday 29th June

KS2 Sports Day 2pm

Attendance

The school sets an attendance target of 96.6% in line with the National Average. Our school attendance figure from September to date is 96.7%

Class	Attendance
Year 4	100%
Year 5	98.4%
Year 6	98.2%
Year 3	97.7%
Year 1	97.4%
Nursery	96.9%
Year 2	96.6%
Reception	95.5%

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