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Dear parents,

26 May 2021

As we approach the end of half term I would like to thank you for your continued support in what has felt a lot more like normality! Attendance this term has been fantastic and children have worked extremely hard - something I am sure you will see when you look at their books during parents' night.

Next half term we are hoping to have a number of events for you to enjoy:

Fairtrade Day

When we return to school on Monday, 7 June we are holding our Fairtrade day. Please can all children support this day by coming to school dressed in one, or a combination of, Fairtrade colours (green, blue or black)? The aim of the day is to raise awareness of Fairtrade, simply,

'Fairtrade means fairer pay and more power in the hands of farmers, so that they can create change for us all, from investing in climate friendly farming techniques and clean water for their community, to nurturing women leaders and making sure children get an education. When you choose Fairtrade, you're choosing the world you want to see.' <https://www.fairtrade.org.uk/>

In addition to this we are holding a cake competition, details attached, for you to enter should you wish. There is a prize for each category and all entries will be judged by Mrs M Brough and Mrs J Gate of Food & Company <https://www.foodandcompany.co.uk/>. Please provide evidence that at least one Fairtrade ingredient has been used.

All cakes will be sold at a take away coffee shop from 15:00 that day.

Sports Day

All going to plan this will be held from 14:00 on Friday, 9 July. All parents are welcome to attend.

Leavers Service and Community BBQ

We will be holding our Leavers Service at 14:00 on Friday, 16 July. After this, guidelines permitting, we will be holding a BBQ within the school grounds for all to enjoy – more details to follow as more guidance is published!

Stay and Play

Dates for preschool children to come and use class one facilities are, Friday 28 May, Friday 25 June and Friday 9 July. All sessions run from 13:30 until 15:00.

Outdoor classroom

Weather permitting this will be completed during the half term and will provide class two with a larger learning space.

Clubs

Club activities will remain the same after half term with Jen Notman from Rainbow Jelly Productions covering Helena's drama club while she is on maternity leave.

Please contact me at school should you have any enquiries.

Best wishes,

Alison Dickinson

Trust ourselves, Trust one another, Trust God.