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Dear Parents/Carers

I can't believe that we are at the May half term, and now have only one more half term; the busiest one until we break for Summer.

Fundraising

We are always so proud of our children when they want to raise money for causes that they are passionate about. We have so many children at our school that continuously are thinking of others and spending their own time making, organising and raising awareness for their chosen worthy causes. Last weekend Alexa and Lucy in Pegasus class took the money that they raised with Harley by selling bracelets to Battersea Cats and Dogs Home.

A huge well done to the girls for raising money for such a worthy cause.



Greenhouse and Gardening Days

The children have had an amazing time growing all the vegetable and seeds that they and you have bought over the past few weeks. As well as this being part of the 'Eco Council' project, this has also tied in with most of the school learning about plants, their lifecycles and growing. The grounds look so much nicer now, and we can't wait to see what vegetables and fruit we may have in a few weeks' time. Thank you all so much for your support with this.

A couple of weekends ago, Vicky Cheeseman from the PTA and her family kindly came and put up our greenhouse for us. It is now filled with seedlings and a range of plants that the children are looking after.



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Reception Teacher

As most of you will be aware, we have been recruiting for a full time Reception teacher to start in September. Currently, we have Miss Chimen, who has been a wonderful addition to our team. Unfortunately, she is unable to join us permanently, therefore, we have appointed a new teacher at Farnborough, for the first time in six years. Miss Hargreaves is an experienced Reception teacher, who is very excited to be joining our team in September. Some of you who have siblings joining us in September will have the opportunity to meet her after the half term when we have the new reception meetings.

We are very excited to have Miss Hargreaves join us, and I am sure you will all welcome her in the new academic year.

SATs – KS2 and KS1

An enormous well done to our children in year two and year six for completing their SATs over the past two weeks. Both year groups did absolutely brilliantly, and we are all super proud of their hard work and efforts. A huge thank you to the team of staff that supported the children over these weeks.

Wishing you all a wonderful half term, hopefully enjoying some sunshine, BBQs and fun days out!
See you all on Monday 3 June.

Kind Regards,

Miss James



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Dates for next half term

Monday 3 June		Children return to school
W/C 3 June		Year 4 Multiplication Check Week
Monday 3 June		Year 6 Hippogriffs- Visit to Bank of England and St Pauls Cathedral
Wednesday 5 June		Y6 Swimming commencing
W/C 10 June		Phonics Week
W/C 10 June		Year 6 PGL- Isle of Wight
Tuesday 11 June		Year 3 & 4 Production
Wednesday 12 June		Year 3 & 4 Production
Wednesday 12 June	9.30am	Year One Cherubs- Class Assembly
Tuesday 18 June		Year Four- Giants- Visit to Golden Hinde
Wednesday 19 June		Reception- Pixies- Visit to Godstone Farm
Monday 24 June	PM	Year 6 Hippogriffs- Junior Citizens Scheme @ Orpington Fire Station
Wednesday 26 June	9.30am	New Reception Parent's Meeting
Thursday 27 June		Year 1 Cherubs- Visit to Hever Castle
Thursday 27 June	9.30am	Year Two Unicorns- Class Assembly
Friday 28 June	9.15am	Reception and KS1 Sports Day
Monday 1 July		Year 6 Hippogriffs- Visit to Science Museum- Wonderlab
Wednesday 3 July		New Reception Individual Appointments
Wednesday 3 July		Year 3- Pegasus- Visit to London Aquarium
Thursday 4 July		Years R – 6 Independence Day Street Dance Workshop
Friday 5 July	All Day	KS2 Sports Day
Friday 5 July	PM	PTA Summer Event
Wednesday 10 July	1.30- 2.30pm	New Reception Stay & Play Session
Friday 12 July		End of Year Reports go out to Parents
Tuesday 16 July		Year 2- Unicorns- Visit to Legoland
Tuesday 16 July		Year 5 & 6 End of Year Production
Wednesday 17 July		Year 5 & 6 End of Year Production
Friday 19 July	10am	Leaver's Assembly
Friday 19 July		Last day of term



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