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Dear parents/carers,

We have had a busy first week back. The Year 6 children had a fantastic time at Robinwood and have made lots of happy memories. The children were well-behaved and made us all proud with their determination, resilience and team-work. I want to thank Mr Leonard, Miss Coffey and Mrs O'Neill for their time, care and enthusiasm (despite a lack of sleep) in ensuring that the children had a safe and joyful experience.

Certificates – Congratulations to Ethan, Eliot, Olivia, Glory, Demi, Victor and Mia, who received a Kindness certificate this week. And to Sami, Avaya, Kayson, Martin, Christina, Liberty and Fernanda who received a certificate for Effort. They attended the tea party today.

School Spider (school website) app – Please can you download the School Spider app to your mobile phone and register an account. Please see the attached flyer for instructions. In September, we will be moving our payments system from School Comms to the School Spider app so that everything is in one place. If you would like support setting up the app, Miss Connaughton will be available on Monday 19 June between 9.30 and 10.30am to help. Please visit her at the office.

Class Photos – If you would like to purchase the class photograph. Please can you send your payment to the office by Thursday 22 June.

Yellow dresses – Our school uniform includes a yellow gingham dress for the summer term. We do not allow other colours. A letter was sent to all parents at the start of the summer term on 18 April with a reminder about this.

Volunteers – we are always looking for parent and grandparent volunteers to read with the children in school. If you are interested, please contact the school office so that we can arrange a volunteer's DBS check.

Breakfast Club – Please can you book Breakfast Club in advance. When you arrive at Breakfast Club please phone **07706 580 001** to alert staff that you have arrived.

Whole School Attendance last week	Attendance Award Winners
92.74%	Nursery 98.08%

We aim for **96%** attendance each week so the whole school attendance for last week is disappointing. Please remember to notify the office if your child is unable to attend school because of illness. No holidays will be authorised in term time.

[Late arrivals](#) – Please do not send your children into school alone if they are late. You need to escort them to the school door and sign them in our late system giving reasons for their lateness.

[Late collections](#) – School finishes at 3.15pm. Any children who have not been collected by 3.25pm will be supervised in the homework club which incurs a charge of £1. If you are going to be late, you must inform the office.

[Summer activities at the Beacon Centre](#) – Please see the attached flyer with information about activities for children aged 8 and over.

Dates for this Term

Weds 21 June – Reception trip to Imagine That!

Weds 21 June - Y1 trip to Nebula

Mon 26 Jun 3.30pm - Welcome to EYFS meeting

Thur 29 Jun - Transition morning (including pupils new to EYFS)

Thur 29/Fri 30 Jun – Y6 transition visits to high school

Fri 30 June – Coffee morning – meet the governors

Mon 3 Jul – Y5/Y6

Thur 6 Jul – Y6 transition retreat at the Spiritan Centre

Thur 6 Jul - Y4 arts project

Fri 7 Jul – Sports Days

Mon 10 July – Mobile Farm visit to school

Tues 11/Weds 12 July – Y6 pupils going to All Hallows – transition visit

Thur 13 Jul 2.30pm – Y6 production ‘A midsummer Night’s Dream’ 2.30pm

Fri 14 Jul – Coffee morning – meet the SENDCo and LA SEN representative

Mon 17 Jul - Reports to parents

Wed 19 Jul - Transition afternoon (including pupils new to EYFS)

Thur 20 Jul 9am – Y6 leavers’ assembly 9am

Thur 20 Jul – Y6 leavers’ party afternoon

Fri 21 Jul - Y6 Leavers mass 9.15am

With love and prayers,

Mrs Doyle

‘Do everything in love.’ 1 Corinthians 16:14