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Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Bags:

All Happy Bags should be returned to school by next Tuesday (10th October) when they will be collected that morning. Bags can be given in to school from Monday if necessary, but no earlier as we do not have the storage space. This is a good fundraiser for school and we really appreciate your support with this.

Acceptable items ✓	Items they will not take x
Re-usable clean dry clothes	Single shoes
Re-usable paired shoes and footwear	Mats or carpets
Handbags, belts and accessories	Duvets, pillows and blankets
Bed linen	Curtains
	Bric-a-brac
	Dirty, damaged or wet clothing

Could we also have any unwanted soft toys on the same day as we are collecting for the Hollyberry Fair Soft Toy Tombola. Many thanks.

Christmas Cards

Completed designs need to be returned by Monday. Thank you.

Book Fair

Thank you to all those who supported the Book Fair this week. We raised a grand total of £800! Sending out leaflets beforehand worked well as it gave parents the opportunity to discuss with children; many came already prepared for what they wanted to buy and had calculated how much change was needed too.

Playground before school

There have been a few younger children (it seems pre-school) who

Diary Dates

(new events highlighted)



October

6th – Tea with Reception parents then Welcome and Buddy Assembly 3

Football v Potten End (a)

9th – Bronze ambassador Training

Deadline for Christmas cards to be returned

Reception autumn walk

10th – Happy Bags (FOSP)

11th – Football v Yewtree (h)

16th – 20th – Y5 cycling proficiency

16th & 19th – Parent consultations for additional needs

18th – Y6 girls' evening (puberty)

23rd – 27th - HALF TERM

31st – Mayor's visit

November

1st – Maths evening

2nd – FOSP Quiz Night

3rd – Anti-bullying workshops
 Y2 sharing assembly

4th – Village Fireworks

6th – Y3 to Celtic Harmony

9th – Governor committee meetings

- All Figures Fashion Show (FOSP)

10th – Y4 Value assembly: Respect

14th – **FOSP meeting**

15th – Y6 online health checks

16th – Governor data training

have apparently been riding their scooters/bikes on the playground before school. The playground is too busy at this time of day and one of our Reception children has been hit twice. Please do not allow your child(ren) to ride their scooters or bikes on the playground. I would also like to remind you that children are not permitted on the apparatus before school as it is difficult for us to monitor this safely at this time of day.

Headlice

We have had a couple of reported cases of headlice this week. Please check your child(ren)'s hair regularly and treat when needed.

Summer Reading Challenge

In addition to those children mentioned in last week's newsletter, very well done to some of our pupils from Early Years have also completed this summer's reading challenge:

Nursery	Sophia
Reception	Oliver, Lara and Pip

Maths Evening

A maths evening had been scheduled for Wednesday 1st November. Feedback from some parents indicates that they would find it more manageable to be able to view resources at parent consultation time instead. If you would still attend a separate parental information evening in addition to parent consultations in November, please let the school office know no later than next Wednesday (11th) so that we can decide on the most effective way to reach parents.

Sports News

On Monday 2nd October the Year 6 boys (Joshua, Oliver, Mason and Spike) went to a table tennis tournament and played well. They won 1 out of 11 games and kept improving all the time. On Wednesday 4th October the Year 6 girls (Holly, Mikeila, Sophie and Ciara) went to their table tennis tournament and won 11 out of 15 games - they were all amazing! Also on Wednesday 4th October, the Years 5 and 6 boys (Jack, Mason, George, Oliver, Louis, Liam, Henry Mc, Spike and Zac) won 11-0 at football against Hammond - fantastic! Well done to everyone.

Reported by Mia and Jasmine (Y6)

Tear Fund Big Bake Sale

This follows this Sunday's 10am all age service in St Paul's Parish Room.

Whether you bake or buy, every pound raised at the Bake will make a difference to people in huge need. So please, join us at the All Age Service, get baking and show us your bakes on Sunday!

- Ann Waine, St Paul's Church

This Week's Attendance Figures:



Yr 4	Yr 3	Yr 1	Yr 6	Yr 2	Yr 5	Rec
100%	98.9%	98.8%	98.2%	97.9%	96.3%	94.8%

Overall Attendance: 97.8%



Bronze Award	Y1 - Cerys and Madison Y2 - Holly, Cali, Madeline, Lois, Daisy, Sam, Harrison, Rebecca Charlie, Victoria, Lottie, Samuel, Leila and Greta Y3 - Archie, Ellie, Christopher and Sasha Y4 - Gus, Lana, Olivia and Scarlett Y6 - Ciara and Sofia
Headteacher's Trophy	Lois - Y5 - <i>for making a fantastic start to the year. She has been particularly noticeable for listening and acting on advice, and this has meant that she has quickly shown signs of progress in a number of areas.</i>

Coming up next week:

Monday 9 th October	Deadline for Christmas cards to be returned Y6 Bronze Ambassador training 10.30am Reception class walk in the woods
Tuesday 10 th October	Happy Bags (FOSP) <i>Can be brought in the day before if necessary, but Tuesday morning preferable due to limited storage space</i>
Wednesday 11 th October	4.30pm Football v Yewtree (home)

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Caroline Moore

Headteacher