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Dear Parent,

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SUN SAFETY We are all certainly enjoying the sunshine at the moment, but with a strong likelihood of a heat-health alert being issued next week, it is important that we all take steps to keep ourselves and our children safe. In school we educate children about sun safety; reduce the amount of time children are outside during periods of exceptionally hot weather; and ensure that children have access to drinking water throughout the day. We also request that you help by taking the following steps:

- Apply sun cream to your child before they arrive at school (SPF 30+ and 4-star+ UVA protection).
- If your child brings sun cream into school so that they can top up at lunchtime, please ensure the bottle is labelled with your child's name.
- Always pack a sunhat.
- Ensure your child brings a reusable water bottle.

More advice can be found on the NHS website: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/seasonal-health/sunscreen-and-sun-safety/>

OPEN EVENING - Monday 11 July (3.40-6.00pm)

An opportunity to look at your child's work, discuss their report and meet their new teacher for next year. No appointment is necessary.

SPORTS DAYS Congratulations to Deste Balon who broke the 60m and 300m school records this week with a times of 9.52 seconds and 59.61 seconds, respectively. The 300m record was set in 2012 by Laura Dove!

The remaining sports days are on the following dates and times

Y3	Tuesday 12 July	9.45 – 11.45am
Y2	Wednesday 13 July	1.45 – 3.00pm
Y1	Thursday 14 July	9.30 - 10.30am

SCHOOL ABSENCE North Yorkshire LA's Code of Conduct for the use of Penalty Notices states that unauthorised leave of absence can be accumulated over a period of 4 months but must meet the threshold of 10 sessions (5 days) for a Penalty Notice to be issued. Head teachers may refuse any leave of absence during term time unless there are "exceptional circumstances". Parents should avoid booking family holidays during term-time. If this is unavoidable, they should arrange to discuss the matter with school and complete an **Application for pupil leave of absence form** available from the school office. Permission for such absences is not given automatically and unauthorised absences may be referred to the Local Authority and result in a fixed penalty notice.

- No holidays are authorised without exceptional circumstances.
- Penalty notices are issued for absences over 10 sessions (5 school days) in one academic year.

Please ensure that your child arrives at school on time, that holidays are not taken in term time and that hospital, doctor and dental appointments are made outside school hours where possible.



BEETLE DRIVE The STARS have planned a family Beetle Drive for the evening of Friday 15 July. Start time 6.00pm in the school hall.

SCHOOL DINNER MENU Week beginning 11 July 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pasta Bolognese (v) Sweet Potato & Vegetable Curry & Rice. Sweetcorn & Green Beans, Garlic Bread	Margherita Pizza Homemade Potato wedges Roast Vegetable Pasta Pitta Bread, Peas & Sweetcorn Egg Mayo Sandwich	Roast Pork & Apple Sauce (v) Vegetable Sausages Gravy Baby New Potatoes Broccoli & Carrots Homemade bread	Chicken Korma & Rice Seasonal Vegetable Bolognese & Pasta Peas & Cauliflower Naan Bread Tuna Sandwich Roasted Veg Pasta Pot Cheese & Crackers	Fish Fingers Cheese & Onion Pasty Chipped Potatoes Mixed Summer Salad Grated Carrot Herbie Bread Chicken Sandwich Creamy Cheese Pasta Pot Iced Lemon & Sultana Finger
Ham Sandwich Tomato & Basil Pasta Pot Marbled Sponge & Chocolate Sauce	Chocolate & Vanilla Cookie with Orange Slice	Cheese Sandwich Chicken & Sweetcorn Pasta Pot Raspberry & Apple Doughnut Muffin		

SCHOOL MEAL PRICE INCREASE The price of a school meal will increase from 1 September 2022. The cost will be £2.80 per day (£14.00 per week).

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE The Summer Reading Challenge is running once again in local libraries during the holidays. The theme is Gadgeteers, and children will be encouraged to discover the amazing world of science and innovation all around them. Gadgeteers will feature amazing book recommendations, rewards, and ideas for experiments. Visit your local library or summerreadingchallenge.org.uk for more information about how to get started.

SWIM SAFE There are FREE outdoor swimming and water safety sessions for 7 – 14-year-olds at the North Bay between 8 – 12 August. Book your session in advance at swimsafe.org.uk or on the day at the beach.

IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 11 July – Open Evening 3.30 - 6.00pm
Thursday 14 July – EYFS family crafts and picnic
Friday 15 July – Family Beetle Drive
Thursday 21 July – Y6 Leavers' Celebration – 6.00pm
Friday 22 July – School closes

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Jonathan Wanless ~ Headteacher

