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(Letter 16)

Dear Parents / Carers

A reminder that the school is closed next Thursday 23rd June for the referendum voting.

We have ended this week with a very successful **Pirate Day**, organised by the School Council. The children have enjoyed themselves enormously today, with a range of activities. Well done to the School Council who are getting better and better at organising these events. I am sure that they will be writing to you shortly to let you know how much money they have raised.

Thank you to Ms McGill for all her hard work with the School Council.



open futures

In a couple of weeks we will be having another **Open Futures Day**. This will be an opportunity for you to come in and join the children doing a range of sessions based around Grow It, Cook It and Ask It – it is a chance to pull together a lot of the activities and learning that goes on throughout the year in these areas. You will have noticed that the garden has had a lot of hard work done in it, and is looking really healthy at the moment. Thank you to all the staff and children who have been helping to do this. There will be a letter coming out shortly to explain more about what the children will be doing on the day – Open Futures Day will be on Wednesday 29th June.

Year Six are working hard at the moment on the **Fiver Enterprise Challenge**. They have each been set the challenge of using five pounds to set up an enterprise project to see how much money they can make from it. There are a wide range of ideas being developed, with the children working both individually and in small groups. There will be a letter coming home to you to explain more, as there will be a day when they launch their projects! They have put a lot of thought and time into their ideas, and are looking forward to making millions!!



A reminder that if the children are **using the playground after school** they must be closely supervised by an adult, and must still be following the expectations that we have for the playground – no climbing on top of things, no footballs, no scooters or bikes. If you are in the playground with your children can you please make sure that you remind them of this please.

Class photos will be done on Monday 27th June (weather permitting!) Please make sure that the children are in uniform on that day, and especially neat and tidy! Thank you.



Some dates for next half term for your diaries:

Referendum – Thursday 23rd June – SCHOOL CLOSED
Open Futures Day – Wednesday 29th June
Whole School Storytelling project – 4th – 15th July
Eid-UI-Fitr – Thursday 7th July – SCHOOL CLOSED
Sports Days – 12th – 14th July
International Food Fair – Friday 15th July
Parents' Evening – Wednesday July 13th (4-6pm)



ASSEMBLIES

Eid-UI-Fitr (Muslim) – Wednesday 6th July
Leavers' Assembly – Friday 22nd July

End of Summer Term – Friday 22nd July 1:30pm
Autumn Term start (for children) – Monday 5th Sept

The staff are busy writing the **end of year reports** and assessments at the moment. They will be coming out to you on 12th July. **Parents' Evening** will take place on Wednesday 13th July. There is no need for appointments, please just come in if there is anything that you would like to discuss following your child's report. It will also be an opportunity for you to find out who will be teaching your child's class next year.



Kate McGee
Headteacher