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#### Dear Parents,

I think this could possibly be the busiest week of the whole school year! We had a TERRIFIC turn out at our Summer fair on Sunday. The PTFA members worked so hard to organise the whole event and we are so grateful for all their time and efforts. The classes had fun selling their wares from Enterprise Week and the final totals are in; the winning class will be announced during the last assembly next Wednesday.

The weather was perfect for our Sports Day on Tuesday. It was wonderful to see the determination and enjoyment on the faces of the children (and adults!) and the sporting behaviour from the spectators.

Throughout the week the children have been finding their courage to take part in the heats of 'Brittaine's Got Talent'; we have been entertained by dancers and singers and have loved the comedy timings of our joke-tellers! As the heats are still continuing in school and we have run out of time for the final performance, the winners will be announced next week.

The end of term reports went home and the children had their 'meet the teacher' session yesterday. It was great to see the new Reception class and Miss Woodwright, their new teacher was in school to spend the time with them.

#### Hot Weather

As it is forecast to have some extremely warm temperatures next week, we will be taking the following precautions;

Children may come to school in their usual summer uniform or wear their PE kits (strictly school colours only, no football kits or hoodies). Breaktimes and lunchtimes will be only in the shaded areas with no running around or football. Classes will organise their own cooling events e.g. paddling pools so please refer to Class Dojo for any information. Lunch will only be picnic food and ice creams/ice pops.

Please can you make sure that the children have sufficient sunscreen, a water bottle and a hat each day. However, if you are concerned and would rather collect your child before lunch, please arrange this through the office as early as possible (emails can be sent over the weekend and picked up on Monday) so that we know the numbers for lunch. Children can be collected between 11:45-12:00-no earlier and no later please. For everyone else, school will finish at the normal time on Monday and Tuesday.

#### Happy Book

I would like to thank all the children who found their courage and didn't hide their talent under a bush-well done for entertaining us all week. I also wanted to thank all the members of the PTFA for last Sunday's Summer fair.

#### Achievement from Home and School

**Home:** Elsie-Mae and Max passed their Sea Turtle Level 1 swimming award; Mya passed her Gymnastics level 7; Rory and Lyra were proud of their trampolining certificates (Level 4 and Level 1) and Archie passed both his 400m and Level 8 Learn to Swim awards.

School: The following children have all achieved their Bronze Mathletics award; Ellen, Harry, Alfie, Noah, Elsie Mae, Max, Mitchell, George, Maisie and Patrick. Harry and Patrick were presented with their Silver Mathletics award and they both also achieved the Gold Mathletics award. Our Spelling Shed superstar is Fitzwalter class with 190, 662, 622 points. Our Top 10 Super-Spellers are Catherine, Freya, Josie, Isabella, Sienna, Archie, Mya, Joshua, Maisie and Patrick. Harry, Tilly, Poppie, Pablo, Leia, Oliver, Zac, George, Logan, Ellen, Esmee, Aviana, Darcy, Max, Mae, Mya, Scarlett and Harper were presented with their Gold Building Learning Power awards. Elsie, Elsie-Mae, Jessica, Lyra, Max and Teddy were presented with our first Platinum Building Power Awards.

#### Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who are still working as hard at the end of the as they were in the beginning.
Copeland: Esmee always works so hard and is always wanting to learn more and more every day!
Durrington: Lyra always works extremely hard. You should be very proud-we certainly are.
Fitzwalter: Harry is still working incredibly hard and has wanted to finish his work during breaktimes!
Quickbury: Izzy has given her all to every activity in every subject right from the start.
Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

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# Mrs Brittaine's Star of the Week

My Star of the Week is Lilly for her amazing running at Sports Day.

### **Birthdays**

This morning we sang the Birthday Song to Oliver and Rory who will be celebrating their birthdays next week.

# **Dates**

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July: Oliver! 6pm (KS2 children only taking part) Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July: Oliver! 9:30am Leavers' BBQ 6pm Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July: Leavers' assembly 9:15am End of Term 1:15pm Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> and Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July Inset (non-pupil) days

Have a TERRIFIC weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittaine

