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NEW MENUS – WEEK 1
AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

Friday 14th July 2023

Dear Parents,

In our last full week at school, the KS2 children entertained us brilliantly with our version of Mary Poppins. They sang, acted, told jokes, did magic tricks etc with such enjoyment and enthusiasm and our audiences were very appreciative of all their hard work.

This morning we celebrated our last Team Assembly of the year together. We reflected on all the challenges and fun times we have had and thanked the children, parents and teachers for all their hard work this year. After losing the slip of paper with the Sports Day scores for a week, I was pleased to announce that Nightingales won the Sports Day cup and Copeland class won the Enterprise cup; there was only 19p between Copeland and Quickbury classes!

Yesterday the children had a lovely afternoon with their new teachers. I must apologise for the very last minute teacher change for Fitzwalter class for next year. I am sure you can appreciate how hard the governors and I have worked to find the right teachers for our classes and after the letters went out, everything changed. The class teacher will be Mr Hume and he was really pleased to meet his new class. The children took the change in their stride and were eager to tell Mr Hume all about themselves.

While I am still saddened to know that one of our Sheering elderly residents had a very nasty package left on her doorstep, I am very pleased to know that it **WAS NOT** left by one of our Sheering school pupils. It was thought to be one of our pupils as the uniform is similar to ours. I am proud to know that our children can play respectfully and responsibly and I am sorry for ever doubting them.

Dogs at School

Please can I ask the families who enjoy walking with their dogs on the school run, to be mindful of 2 things; not all of our children are confident with dogs and can find even the small one frightening and also, for health and safety and hygiene reasons, do not allow the dogs to urinate on the school equipment/toys. I would not like to ban dogs from the school site as I also enjoy bringing Vinnie to school but yesterday was a particular busy day for dogs and some of our children were afraid, especially in the outside areas that were narrow.

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week; someone thanked Leo, Teagan and Laura 'for helping me tidy my stuff' and we all wanted to thank Mr Burton for all of the technical things you brought to school to help enhance our production of Mary Poppins.

Achievement from Home and School

Home: Charlie was presented with the Player of the Year from his football club, Gabriel passed his Learn to Swim 3 assessment, Sylvia, Olivia and Maisie received certificates for their progress in netball, Scarlett was proud of her medal for gymnastics and Patrick told us all about the 5 badges he was awarded at Cubs.

School: The following children have all achieved their **Bronze Athletics** award: Laura, Charlie, Alfie, Mya, Elsie-Mae, Max, George, Robin, Olivia, Sonny and Catherine. Mya, Max, George and Olivia were presented with their **Silver Athletics award** and George and Olivia were very proud of their **Gold Athletics award**. Harry, Elsie and Archie achieved their **Silver Building Learning Power award**, Belle, Harry, Ray and Bethany were very proud of their **Gold BLP award** and Amalie, Lenny, Poppy, Sophia, Elsie, Jessica, Lyra, Tilly, Charlie, George, Elsie-Mae and Aviana worked so hard to achieve their **Platinum BLP award**. Our class **Spelling Shed** superstar is Durrington class with 101,356,001 points and our **Top 10 Super-Spellers** are Pablo, Charlie, Alfie, Noah, Joshua, Harry, Ray, Lilly, Mya and Edith.

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have remained as enthusiastic about their learning at the end of the year as they were in the beginning.

Copeland: Charlie, Rory, Elliana and Alfie come to school eager to learn and have been good role models all year.

Durrington: Rose, Lyra and Charlie have shown great enthusiasm and have also impressed me with their TERRIFIC values.

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Fitzwalter: Patrick has shown fantastic enthusiasm through the whole year and is still extending and challenging himself, especially in maths.

Quickbury: Finley, Maisie, Sienna, Abigail and Danielle have remained enthusiastic about every piece of learning this year. Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Mrs Brittain's Star of the Week

My Star of the Week is Hannah for her resilience and professionalism when performing her solo so beautifully.

Birthdays: We sang the birthday song to all the children who will be celebrating their birthdays in July and August; Freddy, Oliver, Rory, Elsie-Mae, Aviana, Noah, Betsie, Harry, Tilly, Mia, Phoebe, Archie and Jacob. Have a very happy birthday everyone!

Dates

Please note these dates are subject to change if necessary.

Wednesday 19th July: Leavers BBQ (after school)

Thursday 20th July: Leavers' Assembly

Thursday 20th July: Last Day of term (school finishes at 1.30pm)

Friday 21st July: Inset Day (non-pupil day)

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain
Headteacher