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It is a very busy next half of term, we hit the ground running so please read this carefully and ask us if you have any questions.

On Tuesday 7th June Y3 and 4 will be playing in a tennis tournament. They will need to come to school already dressed in smart logoed PE kit with their cap. We will send any PE kit in school home, this Friday.

On Thursday 9th June, Y1 - 4 will be going to the children's agricultural day at Glendale. All the children will need a small rucksack, a bottle of water, waterproof coat / sun cream and hat, sensible shoes or boots, to enable them to walk easily on uneven, muddy ground.

On Friday 10th June we are celebrating the Queen's birthday with some of the more senior members of the community joining us for lunch and singing. We would like this to resemble a garden party and ask that the girls could wear pretty summer dresses and the boys, trousers / shorts with a shirt and tie, if possible.



There is a PTA meeting on Monday 13th June, a crèche will be provided if necessary.

For those children that stay for Together Time on a Monday night, our last session this term will be Monday 20th June.

On Wednesday 22nd June, Y3 and 4 will be going to Brinkburn Priory. This is an interactive day, exploring religion and faith through the eyes of a monk.

On Monday 27th June, Reception and Early Years will be going to Alnwick Gardens for the day.

On Tuesday 28th June, Y3 and 4 will be attending an Alnwick Partnership Music Day at Alnwick Gardens. The children will be joining other local schools to play the musical instruments they have been learning in school. (Ukulele) Parents are able to buy a ticket on that day directly from the Gardens, for the reduced price of £6.00. You will just need to explain that your child is performing. All the schools have a time slot and we will be playing at 10.25 am. The children will need to be in extremely smart school uniform, the press will be taking pictures.



Y 3 and 4 will be going on a residential trip to Alnwick Hostel on Thursday 7th - Friday 8th July. A letter has been sent home.

On Monday 11th July we will be holding sports day. A celebration of the school's achievements and the move to Primary will be held afterwards. More details will be available closer to the time. We hope as many of you as possible will be able to attend. Early Years children will be able to stay that afternoon at no additional cost. If your Early Years child doesn't come in on a Monday but would like to come in for the afternoon to take part in Sports Day, please speak to Kathy.



On Monday 18th July, we will be having a Brazilian Olympics themed lunch. We are asking the children to wear something representative of the Brazilian flag colours.



We are hoping to hold a swimming gala on Thursday 14th July at 1.00pm at Willowburn Sports Centre. We will confirm closer to the time. Thank you for those who continue to support us by paying for swimming on a regular basis. If you would like a bill calculated or would like to make a donation towards the cost please speak to Kathy. Swimming will remain at a cost of £4.00 per session. The school is currently subsidising swimming due to the number of parents struggling to pay on a regular basis. Any donation will help offset this.

We will be looking for an extra parent helper for swimming from September. You don't need to get in the pool! Please ask Kathy if you would be interested in committing to a Thursday afternoon from 1.00pm - 3.00pm. A DBS check will need to be done.

Due to increased pupil numbers from September and our offer of 30 hours Early Years provision, we will need to introduce a rota for swimming on Thursdays. This will mean the Reception pupils will not be swimming in the Autumn term. Arrangements for the Spring and Summer terms will be confirmed later.

Please have a PE kit in school. Always bring a coat. Don't forget swimming on Thursdays.

Please stay away from school for 48 hours if you have been sick or have diarrhoea.

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From September there will be a slight increase to the school meals of 20p a day. This will apply to all year groups up to Y4. Y5 parents will already be aware that their school meals will increase to £2.50p including break time fruit. Fruit will continue to be provided to all Year groups up to Y4 free of charge. A small charge will be incorporated into Y5 meals.

Universal Infant Free School Meals

From September, the Year 3 children cease to be part of the government funded free school meal initiative. Please can parents of children moving into this year group in September, confirm with Kathy that they will be taking paid school lunch (£2.20 a day) or bringing a healthy packed lunch from home. Please don't include fried food, chocolate or sweets or fizzy drinks.

If you haven't already spoken to Kathy please let her know about milk for next school year. If your child had milk this term and you don't speak to Kathy, the order will be repeated for next school year.



Please ensure that any money owed for lunches etc. is up to date. If you need a bill calculating before the end of term, please ask Kathy. The last day of banking will be Monday 18th July. Balanced accounts for the end of the school year need to be submitted that week. If your account is not paid in full by 11th July you will receive a phone call and be asked to come into school to pay it on that day, or a card payment will be taken over the phone.

We continue to encourage everyone to be smartly dressed in a school sweat top/ hoodie and charcoal grey trousers or skirt / pinafore/ blue checked dress. School uniform can be purchased on line at www.border-embroideries.co.uk. The deadline for free deliveries to school is 6th July for delivery on the 18th. We will be changing the school name but not the colour of the uniform from September when we become a Primary school. New uniform will be available as soon as possible in September. We are also looking at having badges made that could be sewn over the current logo; we will keep you informed of our progress.

Please see below some information that we have been asked to bring to your attention



Would you like to join in?



Seahouses Lifeboat Station is looking for young volunteers who would come and collect donations for us on our Family Fun Day on the 29th August 2016

Please come to the crew room in the boathouse from 9am on the morning to take part.

All volunteers will go away with a goodie bag, trip on our all-weather lifeboat and a prize for the one who collects the most!!!

Seahouses RNLI
Family Fun Day
Bank Holiday Monday, 29th August

We need your help.....

- Tombola Prizes
- Bottle Prizes
- Raffle style prizes
- Helpers on the day for stalls or collection buckets
- Old Crockery

Call in to the Lifeboat Station to register your interest or donate

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