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## KEY INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK

Welcome back to the start of a new term which promises to be a busy one with several important events coming up. Next week we will be placing an emphasis on the importance of physical activity with five days devoted to sport. By now you should have received several letters, one informing you about the activities your child will be taking part in during the week and another two giving you arrangements and timings for Sports' Day on Friday.

Throughout the week, as one letter indicates, your child should come to school dressed in their P.E. kit with the exception of Year 5 and 6 on Monday only who should arrive in their school uniform ready for their trip out. These children should bring their P.E. to school with them ready to change into later. You could help us each day by ensuring your child has long hair tied back and is wearing no jewellery. It is essential that they bring water bottles.

During the week some classes will be taking a trip out to a sporting venue; if this applies to your child you will have received a letter notifying you. If you wish your child to take part in the trip, reply slips must be returned to school promptly. However, by paying through Scopay, you are automatically giving permission. Moving forward, this is the preferred method of giving consent as the office would like to reduce the amount of paper used in order to support our Eco Council.

You will have noted that on Sports' Day our catering team, Dolce, will not be serving lunches. Instead you and your child are invited to join us for breakfast. This does however need to be preordered by Monday. Please note that because of this, there will be no supervised Breakfast Club on Friday. At lunchtime you are very welcome, once you have signed your child out of class, to stay and picnic with them on the field. Throughout the day tea and coffee will be served as organised by the PTA. Please also be aware that no clubs will be running after school on Friday.

On the run up to half term, Year 5 and Year 6 worked with Wates, the construction company building the new leisure centre on the Braywick site. The children produced some fantastic art work on the theme of sport which will soon be decorate the hoarding. If you are passing, do take a moment to stop and have a look at their work.

This week every class has enjoyed the opportunity to work with Mrs. Lucas who has choreographed some superb dance routines for Arts and Culture Week. You are invited to come along and see their creations in three weeks' time. For their performance they will need to be kitted out in black t-shirts, black shorts and black plimsolls. Your help in organising this ahead of time is greatly appreciated.

Finally it has been brought of our attention that a handful of children have been successful in getting through to the next stage of the Explore Learning 'Save the World' story writing competition. Our congratulations go to them as well as the Year 6 Cricket Team who on Wednesday reigned supreme over Oldfield School and Lowbrook Academy in a cricket fixture up at Cookham Dean Cricket Club.

Anna Smith

## MONTHLY CALENDAR DATES

10 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Week
11 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Meeting at 8pm
14 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
17 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 trip - River & Rowing Museum
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Arthur Burgin Science Exhibition (Year 6)
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Sport Groups & Choir Photos
21 <sup>st</sup> June	Year 2 Class Assembly
24 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Arts & Culture Week
25 <sup>th</sup> June	Musical Evening at 6.30pm
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Bucks CC Transfer Test Portal closes
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Arts & Culture Exhibition



**Cygnets Class** – Raamiz Rizvi – for being so excited to share his Eid presents with Cygnets Class

**Swan Class** – Dublin Lennon – for showing a positive attitude to learning during dance rehearsals and on the class trip

**Kingfisher Class** – Henry Harding – for his tremendous enthusiasm when visiting the Lookout Centre

**Gosling Class** – Jacob Wingrove – for always listening and following instructions precisely

**Teal Class** – Archie Downey – for being on fire completing his maths and English work

**Cormorant Class** – Fred Britton and Niamh Brennan – for superb team work and for creating clever choreography for our class dance

**Moorhen Class** – Joshua Mustard – for always celebrating the success of others