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Dear Parents and Carers,

With the end of the school year rapidly approaching, our minds are turning to Summer and all of the exciting events we have planned. If you are able to support any of the following initiatives, we would be very grateful. We know it is an expensive time of year for everyone so please do not worry if you are unable to help, we do understand.

SUMMER FAIR - 23rd June 2023 (3.40-5.30pm) - free entry, all welcome!

This year our **red**, **white**, **and blue themed Summer Fair** is nearly here and we can't wait to see you! A massive thank you to the parents, carers, staff and children who are working hard to make this a fun event for everyone. You are amazing, and we couldn't do this without you. We have lots planned, including:

- Raffle and Tombolas a fair's not a fair without a raffle and a tombola! Take your chance and win a prize!
- Games roll up, roll up! All the fun of the Summer Fair!
- Take a break with some delicious cake and a cup of tea.
- Will you be lucky at the ever-popular 'Wine to Water' stall?
- What will you find inside our Lucky Boxes?



As at previous fairs this one will be cashless - blue Fair Tokens are available to pre-purchase via ParentPay and will also be on sale at the Fair on the day (purchase by debit or credit card). Tokens are 50p each.

We will be holding our traditional **Summer Raffle** with lots of lovely prizes up for grabs (donations of additional Raffle prizes would also be greatly appreciated). Raffle tickets are £1 and can be purchased via ParentPay in advance or at the Summer Fair.



The "big draw" will take place at the end of the Summer Fair (we will contact anyone that wins a prize but is unable to attend the Summer Fair).

Pre-purchase tokens and raffle tickets will be available for collection from the school office from after school on Monday 5^{th} June (if you have any blue tokens from previous Fairs you may use them at the Summer Fair).



This year we will be selling **Lucky Boxes** - please can the children help us fill a small box with gifts worth £1 (it can be sweets, colouring pencils, a keyring etc. - see poster for more information.

NON-UNIFORM DAY - On Friday 16th June we are having a non-uniform day in preparation for the Summer. If your child would like to come to school in their ordinary clothes they will need to bring a chocolate or bottle donation for the Summer Fair.

We would welcome donations of:

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new and unused bottle - bubble bath, cordial, pop, alcohol etc Adults please carry the alcohol (or any glass bottles) into school as we do not want to put any child at risk.

a box, grab bag or bar of chocolate











In the past we have received lots of invaluable help from parents and other helpers. Whether it was sourcing, donating or collecting amazing raffle/tombola prizes, wrapping gifts, labelling tombola items, helping to set up in the afternoon or helping on a stall during the fair.

If you, or someone you know, is able to help this year, either:

- pop into the PTA final planning meeting? (22nd May at 3.40pm in the staffroom)
- got an idea for a stall and are happy to prepare it, set it up and run it on the day
- sticking tombola tickets onto tombola prizes (during school hours 22nd or 23rd June)
- help setting up on the day (in the afternoon of Friday 23rd June from 1.30pm)
- help on a stall during the fair (between 3.30pm -5.00pm)
- making tea for our volunteer stallholders
- or any other help would be appreciated.

Please contact the school office (<u>office@arnoldmill.nottts.sch.uk</u>) to let us know how you can help.

Alternatively, we are seeking donations of:

- · small prizes suitable for tombola/lucky dip
- · a raffle prize or two
- · bottles for the water into wine stall
- · chocolates (no nuts please) or wine for the tombola
- · soft toys
- · lucky boxes fillers
- · cakes/cookies for the refreshments stall

Any donations can be dropped off at the school office.

Kind Regards Jackie Oldfield



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Red & White & Blue

Summer Fair

on 23rd June 2023

We hope that the Children will...

fill a small box/bag with

around £1 worth of treats such as

sweets, Crayons, a Keyring

or anything you think will make a nice Lucky Box prize!

Any donations would be gratefully received, please drop them off at the Classroom or office by 20th June (thank you)