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Newsletter #11 – Summer Term

Dear Parents and Carers,

End of Year Arrangements

We have an extremely busy week and a half coming up prior to breaking up for the summer holidays. I have outlined below the important dates:

Monday 10th July – Move Up Morning

All the pupils will 'move up' to their new year group for the morning. Pupils will spend the morning with their new classmates and teacher. Our current Year Six pupils will spend the morning with Mrs Foley.

Tuesday 11th July – SATs Results and Sports Day

Next Tuesday, school will receive the KS2 SATs results. We will send the outcomes of the assessments home with the Year Six pupils at the end of the day. It is also Sports Day. For our new parents, our Sports Day takes place after school. All children should be back at school, in their PE kits by 4.45 ready to start promptly at 5pm. The event will finish at approximately 7pm.

Thursday 13th July – Staff and Parents vs Pupils Rounders Match

On Thursday, the staff and parents will be battling the pupils from rounders club in a rounders match! If you are interested in joining the staff and parents team please let me know. If you would like to come and watch the game it will start at 2.30pm on the school field.

Friday 14th July – End of Year Trip

On Friday, pupils from Reception to Year Six will be visiting Brockhole in Windermere. If your child is participating, please remember to complete the waiver. If waiver hasn't been completed, your child will not be able to attend. <https://waiver.zipworld.co.uk/?orderref=2549134-MG86-88PS>

Tuesday 18th July – Leavers Service and Leavers Tea

The Year 6 Leavers Service will take place in church on Tuesday 18th July. The service will start at 2pm and finish at approximately 3pm. All are welcome. After the service, the families of the Year Six pupils are invited to the Village Hall for a special Leavers Tea.

Reports

All school reports were sent out on Wednesday. If you have not received your child's report, please check your junk mail in the first instance and email the office if you can't find it so they can resend it.

Class photos

Paper versions of the class photos will be coming home tonight. You will need to pay for the order online and return the form to the office before the 14th July. All details are on the form. Any orders received after the 14th will not be processed. An A4 version will be on display in school if you wanted to take a look at the finished product before ordering.

Uniform

Just a reminder if you would like to order uniform for the new academic year.

Orders placed before 1st August should be available to collect from school on 5th September – you will receive an email from school when your order is ready to collect

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Asda Donation



Thank you so much to our brilliant PTA for securing a £500 donation from Asda. We have used the money to restock the non-fiction section of our school website. Pupils in Class Four loved having a first look at the books and have already picked out their favourites ready for our next Non-Fiction Friday session. An Illustrated History of UFOs, Everything you know about Minibeasts is Wrong, Earth's Incredible Places Yellowstone and Earth Clock the History of our Planet in 24 Hours are very popular already!

Thanks to Bronnie and Bob from Bookwagon for helping to select such a diverse range of new and exciting texts. The books will really help further develop the reading culture we are trying to embed across the whole school.

PTA News and Appeal

As we are nearly at the end of the school year, I wanted to say a huge thank you to the PTA for their incredible support this year. So far this year the PTA have funded the following:

- Contributions towards Class 3 and Class 4 residential visits
- Underground tickets for the Class Four trip to London
- Leavers' Hoodies
- Coaches for the Beatrix Potter trip, Wildlife Oasis, Brockhole, Big Sing and Christmas Panto
- Entertainment for the Christmas Party and the Christmas presents for all the pupils
- £500 for non-fiction books
- Funding outdoor activities with Windermere Outdoor Adventure Centre
- Award winning author Tom Palmer's visit to school
- Guy Fawkes' visit to Class Two
- Class Three's Stone Age Day
- Annual Subscription to Tullie House Museum.

Thank you to everyone who has supported the PTA this year by spending money at school events and to those people who have made extremely generous donations. It is amazing the amount of trips and visitors we welcome to school each year, in a time of shrinking school budgets the money that PTA raise is invaluable.

The PTA are currently looking for a new secretary and treasurer. It is essential that these roles are filled for the PTA to continue. If you are interested in taking on one of these roles please contact the PTA by email on oldhuttonpta@gmail.com or speak with Aileen at drop off or pick up.

Skip2bFit

On Monday, It was great to welcome Dave from Skip2bFit into school for his final visit of the year. The pupils loved taking part in his skipping, boxing and fitness circuit training workshop.

We are looking forward to welcoming Dave back into school for three more visits next year.



National Online Safety

This week's National Online Safety update is all about the video sharing platform rumble. The guide, which is attached to the newsletter email, explains what rumble is and how people use it.

To sign up for your own free National Online Safety account please follow the link below.
<https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/old-hutton-cofe-school>

Thanks for your continued support.

Nick

Key Dates

Event	Date
Move up morning	Monday 10 th July
SATs results	Tuesday 11 th July
Sports Day	Tuesday 11 th July at 5pm (pupils to arrive at 4.45pm)
Staff & Parents vs Pupils Rounders match	Thursday 13 th July at 2.30pm
Deadline for school photo orders to be in	Friday 14 th July
End of year trip	Friday 14 th July
Year 6 Leavers Service	Tuesday 18 th July at 2pm followed by a leavers' tea at 3pm
Break up for Summer	Wednesday 19 th July at 2pm

PTA Update

Recent PTA funded activities

£200 donation for transport, Class 2 trip to Beatrix Potter world and Windermere Jetty Museum 27 June
£760 donation for transport to end of year Brockhole day, Reception to Year 6 classes.

Extra Helpers Needed

We have two of our great summer school events coming up that the PTA will be supporting. At both events we really need helpers from the wider parent and school community. Please read the briefs below and consider if you can offer us some time to help at these. Thanks to those who have already emailed us!

Sports Night July 11th from 5pm

PTA Tuck Shop

If you can offer 15 minutes to help at the tuck shop stall please let us know, the stall will have a great view of the races!

Leavers Tea Tuesday 18th July

There are 3 parts to the event - you might help at one section or all if you can!

Helpers needed for:

12.30 to 3pm: Preparation: decorate the hall, lay the tables

3pm to 4.30: Running the event: In the serving tea and coffee

4.30 to 5.30: Tidy up: clearing up and washing up Please note helpers in this time can use After School Club free of charge but please pre book by emailing Angela in the office!

School Year dates 2022-23

Summer Term 2023

Monday 17th April – Wednesday 19th July

School Year dates 2023-24

Autumn Term 2023

Staff training day Monday 4th September & Tuesday 5th September

Wednesday 6th September – Tuesday 19th December

Half Term Holiday: Monday 23rd October – Friday 27th October

Spring Term 2024

Staff training day Tuesday 2nd January

Wednesday 3rd January – Thursday 28th March

Half Term Holiday: Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February

Summer Term 2024

Staff training day Monday 15th April

Tuesday 16th April – Friday 19th July

Early May Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May

Half Term Holiday: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May