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<p><b>Wow!</b></p> 	<p>This week children in our <b>School Council</b> had a very productive meeting, Mrs Jennings has been planning our fabulous <b>Arts Week</b>, Years 5 and 6 took part in <b>NSPCC workshops</b>, Year 6 made <b>pizza in their pyjamas</b> and Year 5 had a talk by a <b>beekeeper</b> where they learnt all about bees. Many thanks to our hardworking staff team.</p>
<p><b>Next Term</b></p> 	<p>The coming <b>half term</b> is going to be very busy for children and teachers. In addition to their usual lessons, we have our <b>end of year assessments and reports, Sports Day, our first Arts Week and our Year 6 Production</b>, to name just a few things! Every day in school counts, and even a morning or afternoon away can have an impact on the <b>children's learning</b>. Please can you do your best to make sure that appointments are outside of school hours. We may not be able to authorise absences if a child's attendance drops below 90%. Thank you for your support.</p>
<p><b>Dropping Your Child Off</b></p> 	<p>Children should be arriving at school from <b>8.45am onwards</b>. If children arrive earlier than this, they need to be supervised by a parent or carers until 8.45am. If you do need to drop your child in early, we offer a lovely <b>Breakfast Club</b> provision staffed by Mrs Douse and Miss Gibson, at a cost of just £2.50 (including breakfast) from 7.45am, or £1 if you bring them in at 8.30am. This is run on a 'pay as you go' basis, so you do not need to book in advance.</p>
<p><b>Something to Talk About!</b></p> 	<p>Our '<b>Something to Talk About</b>' this week has been about being a <b>Peacemaker</b>. Please have a ten minute conversation with your child about this, ensuring there are no distractions. Here are some ideas for your conversation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Can you look the word 'Peacemaker' up, using a dictionary (this could be an online one)?</li><li>• What is a peacemaker? You could ask each other the following questions:</li><li>• Can you think of a time you acted as a peacemaker?</li><li>• Can you think of a situation where you could have acted as a peacemaker?</li><li>• How might this have helped the other person or people?</li></ul>
<p><b>NSPCC Visit – KS1 and KS2</b></p> 	<p>Our children went to one of two very helpful assemblies run by the <b>NSPCC</b> last week. They learnt all about ways in which they can keep themselves <b>safe</b>, and that if they are worried they should tell a responsible adult. They also learnt a 'bunny rabbit' mnemonic to help them remember the Childline number (0800 1111) if they ever feel they need to use it. Many thanks to Mrs Graham for organising this event.</p>



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<p><b>Inclusion and Wellbeing</b></p> 	<p>Our <b>Inclusion and Wellbeing</b> Lead, Joanne Rochester, will be holding <b>Drop in Parent Surgeries</b> next half term. These surgeries are for any parents or carers that may have <b>questions, concerns or worries</b> regarding their child or children. This could be regarding any aspect of their school life, home/family, attendance or educational needs. The dates and times are:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>9th June 2.30-3.30pm</td> <td>30th June 9-10am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>16th June 9-10am</td> <td>7th July 2.30-3.30pm</td> </tr> <tr> <td>23rd June 2.30-3.30pm</td> <td>14th July 9-10am</td> </tr> </table>	9th June 2.30-3.30pm	30th June 9-10am	16th June 9-10am	7th July 2.30-3.30pm	23rd June 2.30-3.30pm	14th July 9-10am
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<p><b>Eat Well!</b></p> 	<p>The new <b>Eatwell Guide</b> from Public Health England has set out updated guidelines for what a <b>healthy balanced diet</b> looks like. Sugary foods are not an essential part of a healthy diet, and fruit, vegetables and starchy carbohydrates such as wholegrain cereals and jacket potatoes should play a bigger part in your diet. You can download a free '<b>Sugar Smart</b>' app from the App Store or Google Play. <a href="http://www.nhs/changeforlife">www.nhs/changeforlife</a></p>						
<p><b>E-Safety Meeting</b></p> 	<p>We have rescheduled the <b>E-Safety Meeting</b>, and it will now take place on <b>Tuesday 14 June</b>. As before, it will be held in the Year 6 classroom at 3.45pm (crèche provided). Please come along and find out ways in which you can keep your child safe online, with particular regard to interactive games and activities, and social media. <a href="https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/">https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/</a></p>						
<p><b>Community Notices</b></p> 	<p><b>Half Term Activities in Wandsworth</b> If you are staying in the local area over half term, there are lots of <b>activities</b> you and your child can take part in, including sports and fitness, play activities, arts and crafts, days out, theatre and books, 'healthy stuff' and music! Please visit the Family Information Service for full details: <a href="http://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/fis">www.wandsworth.gov.uk/fis</a>.</p>						

### Dates for Your Diary

<p><b>Monday 30 May – Friday 3 June</b> Half Term Week – school and nursery closed</p> <p><b>Monday 6 June to Friday 10 June</b> Year 6 PGL Trip to Marchant's Hill</p> <p><b>Wednesday 8 June</b> Meeting for new Nursery parents 9.30am Meeting for new Reception parents 10.45am</p> <p><b>Thursday 9 June</b> Year 2 and Year 5 Fire Safety Talks</p> <p><b>Monday 13 June</b> Queen's Birthday Celebrations</p> <p><b>Tuesday 14 June</b> E-Safety Meeting 3.45pm</p> <p><b>Tuesday 21 June</b> Auditions for Talent Show</p> <p><b>Friday 24 June</b> Sports Day</p> <p><b>Monday 27 June to Friday 1 July</b> Arts Week</p>	<p><b>Thursday 30 June</b> Year 3 visit to Wandsworth Recycling Centre</p> <p><b>Monday 4 July</b> Book Fair in School Hall</p> <p><b>Thursday 7 July</b> School Talent Show and 'Dress up and Dance' event</p> <p><b>Monday 11 July</b> Year 6 Production – dress rehearsal</p> <p><b>Tuesday 12 July</b> Year 6 Production 6pm</p> <p><b>Monday 18 July</b> Sponsored Walk and Picnic at Windmill</p> <p><b>Wednesday 20 July</b> Year 6 Leavers' Service 9.15am</p> <p>End of Summer Term – children finish at 2pm</p> <p><b>Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 September</b> INSET Days – School and Nursery Closed</p> <p><b>Wednesday 7 September</b> Children return to school</p>
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*Wishing you an enjoyable and relaxing half term week! ☺*