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Dear Parents and carers,

I hope you all have a lovely half term holiday and bank holiday weekend. When we return to school, there are lots of different events taking place. I have sent a 'dates for the diary' sheet along with this newsletter so that you can all be prepared in advance!

Mrs H Obank



Celebrations

Star of the Week

Acorn Class:	Megan Cassie
Chestnut Class:	Adam Bakler-Kugler and Lila Gumble
Willow Class:	Corey Maison
Oak class:	Amira Nemeth

Information

Child Exploitation and Online Protection training for parents (CEOP)

This was really valuable to parents, thank you to those that attended. If you couldn't make it and would like some information, please ask in the office for a pack. If you attended this workshop, please could you spare a few minutes to complete this 10 question online survey <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/8FRDSP7>

Clubs

On a Thursday there will now be a free **dance club** after school, open to all year groups 3.15 - 4.15pm. This will replace the current gymnastics club. On Thursday lunchtime, a free **athletics club** for KS2 will take place at 12.45. All other clubs are staying the same.

Breakfast Club

After half term, breakfast club will be running every morning. It has proved quite popular this half term, so we are extending the days we open it. It is £2.50 per session, including breakfast. It starts at 8.00am and the children are taken to their classes afterwards. You can pay for several sessions in advance if you wish. Please keep breakfast club money separate to lunch money.

Dates for the Diary

26th- 30th May - Half term

2nd June - Back to school

6th June - Forest school for Oak class

11th June - Class photographs

News

Wedding fever

In school yesterday we held a pretend wedding to show the children what would happen when Miss Dice gets married on Wednesday next week. It was a wonderful occasion and Reverend Patrick came to officiate. There will be lots of photographs on the website soon.



We would all like to wish Miss Dice all the best for her real wedding on Wednesday. We hope that she has a perfect day, that the sun shines and she has a great start to married life. When she returns to school she will be called Mrs Goddard.

Golden Hinde trip

Oak class are spending tonight on the Tudor ship, the Golden Hinde. We will experience the life of a 16th century explorer aboard the Golden Hinde II, a full-sized reconstruction of the ship Sir Francis Drake used to circumnavigate the globe. We will be having a go at lots of activities including: map-making, sampling the crew's diet, and taking part in a mock battle with the Spanish! Hopefully the children (and staff) will get some sleep!

Maths Week

Thanks to Miss Hill for organising the competitions during maths week. The children worked really hard on their entries. My favourites were the raps and songs about maths! They were fabulous! The next page is full of information from maths week. The children in Oak class have written everything.