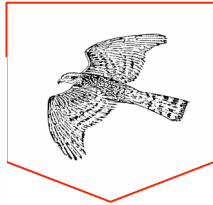


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Dear Parents,

It has been a HOT week in school! The problem with an older building is when it is hot, it is HOT, and in the winter when the heating breaks down it is COLD!

If this weather is set to continue can I just remind you to send your child into school with a bottle of water (not squash) & a hat to wear at lunchtime. I have invested in a big 'vat' of Factor 30 sun cream that the Dinner Supervisors can distribute to all children. If you are worried about your child wearing sun cream please let us know / send them in with some of their own.

Talking of hot weather.... by now you will have received your child's report and parent evening appointment slip. Many parents will be coming to Parents evening to find out their child's class teacher next year. All the teachers are staying next year except one.....

Miss Clancy has decided to take a year off (!!!) and go to Australia. She is only going for one year, and is hoping to live in a house, 3 streets away from the beach near Adelaide. She intends to teach in Australian schools for the year and enjoy some really sunny weather (and probably nice wine!) before returning to Hawkinge for September 2010 (she has promised that she will!) I know that many parents, pupils and staff will miss her whilst she is away, but her mind is made up....! I am sure that you would like to join with me in wishing her well for her 'trip'. The conditions that Miss Clancy is allowed to go for a year, is that she will keep in touch with the school & send photographs regularly so that we can update a geography board with her travels, and all of us can see what she is up to!

It is a busy few weeks until the end of term, sports day, some class trips, Summer Fair, Y6 Leavers plays and discos and the Leavers / Prize Giving Assembly on Monday 20th July.

Please remember that we are all at school on Monday 20th July – some schools are not, but we are!

Enjoy the sunshine

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Diary Dates

6th July – Parents evening
7th July – Sports Day
16th & 17th July – Y6 Leavers Opera
18th July – Summer Fair
Monday 20th July – Last day, Prize Giving assembly, Y6 leavers disco



PTFA up-date

Dec the Duck Decorating Tips..

- 1) Try rubbing down the duck with light sandpaper before apply enamel paints. It helps the adhesion.
- 2) Use wood glue (PVA) and glitter. Glitter pens do not stick very well
- 3) Nail Varnish is also good to use.
- 4) Try not to paint over your number on the bottom, as we will not know where to return lost ducks.

Mr Rogers will be posting some good examples on the website over the weekend!

Remember:

Once a week, take a peek!

*Actual size of headlice
in stages of growth*



Y5 Parents Please remember if you intend for your child to take the Kent Test this year you must apply on line before the 10th July www.kent.gov.uk/ola

Parents Evening – Monday

Have you booked your Parents Evening Appointment yet?

If not please do so sooner, rather than later – the teachers get really booked up. Use this opportunity to speak to the class teacher about your son / daughters year, and find out which class they will be in next year!

E-Safety

Mr O'Brien will be running 2 sessions about keeping your child safe on the internet – we have already had a staff meeting about this which was very interesting. The sessions will start at 5pm and 6pm, and they will last approx 20mins.

News for September

School dinners are going up to £2.03!
I know it is madness ... but get saving your coppers!

Money Tip of the week

Have you got a 20p, worth £50, in your pocket?

Take a close look at that shiny new 20p piece in your purse or pocket - it could be worth a lot more than you think.

A rare error at the Royal Mint means that tens of thousands of the coins produced earlier this year don't have 2009 stamped on them. Coin experts say the lack of a date makes them worth £50 each, and potentially much more in future.

The blunder occurred after a redesign of the 20p piece. The Mint does not know exactly how many undated coins were produced and released into circulation, but estimates range between 50,000 and 200,000. This is the first undated British coin to enter circulation in more than 300 years - the last occasion was 1672, when Charles II was on the throne.

People who find an undated new 20p need to register their details with The London Mint Office before sending in the coin and claiming their reward.

Full details of how to register are available online at www.undated20p.com.

Let me know if you have one!

Hawkinge Primary School Summer Clubs

Are you interested in a place at the holiday club for your son / daughter during the summer holidays?
The club will be open for 3 weeks between 8am – 6pm

Tuesday 21st July-Friday 24th July

The theme of the week is

'Holiday Club has Got Talent!'

Monday 27th July – Friday 31st July

It's Water week!!!

Monday 3rd August – Friday 7th August

The theme of the week is Cartoon Capers!

To book telephone Dianne on 07909 935 821 or Kent Play Clubs – 01233 713 813