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Dear Parents and Carers

Reception & Key Stage 1 Fairytale ball - Thursday 8 February

The children are looking forward to this very special part of their fairytale topic. The children are very welcome to dress up as their favourite fairytale character next Thursday. The staff will be dressing up too!

Parents evenings and reports

We are sending home letters with the children today inviting you to make an appointment to see your child's class teacher between 3.45 and 6.15 on Monday 26th or Wednesday 28th February. Please return the reply slips by Wednesday 7th February, so that we can sort the appointments out and return the times to you on Friday 9th. Pupils from Years 4, 5 and 6 are invited to attend the appointment with their parents.

We will be sending out short mid-year reports ahead of the parents evenings.

Years 3 and 4 athletics

The children really enjoyed their indoor athletics with young sports leaders from Sawston Village College this week. A small group of children from each year are going on to compete against children from other cluster schools next Tuesday at SVC. We wish them every success!

Vision screening for Reception children - Thursday 8 February

A reminder that vision screening for Reception children will be held next Thursday. This is a great opportunity to check that all is well with your child's vision and is a national screening programme for children of this age.

Meeting for Year 6 parents

Mr Lloyd will be holding a meeting about this year's SATs tests for Year 6 on Tuesday 6th February, 5.00-6.00 pm. Please come along if you can.

Winter Sports Day - Friday 9 February

Winter Sports Day is an annual Duxford tradition and great fun. All the children take part in teams with representatives from each class, and move around the school doing indoor games such as jumping, basketball and throwing bean bags. It makes for a very special day and it is lovely to watch how kind and encouraging the older children always are with the younger ones and how much all the children enjoy themselves.

Class photographs

Proofs have gone home with the children this week. Please could you return any orders to school by Friday 9 February.

School disco, Friday 23 February

The School Disco is on Friday February 23rd. Please open the two disco attachments. Many thanks, FODS

Yours sincerely

Debbie Gould
Headteacher

Lunches for week beginning Monday 5th February

| | Red Option | Green Option (usually Vegetarian) | Blue Option (Light bite) |
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| Monday | Macaroni cheese | Veggie sausage roll | Egg & cress bap |
| Tuesday | Chicken pie | Vegetable enchilada | Tomato & basil pasta bake |
| Wednesday | Pork meatballs with pasta | Cheese quiche | Fish fingers |
| Thursday | Roast chicken | Yorkshire pudding with vegetables | Ham wrap |
| Friday | Salmon | Veggie burger | Chipolatas under wraps |

Diary Dates

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| Tuesday 6 February, 5 pm | Meeting for Year 6 parents |
| Thursday 8 February | Vision screening for Reception |
| Thursday 8 February pm | Reception and Key Stage 1 Fairytale Ball - children welcome to dress up |
| Friday 9 February | Winter sports day |
| Monday 12 to Friday 16 February | Half-term - DX Holiday Club, see below |
| Friday 23 February | Yoga day |
| Friday 23 February | Children's disco Key Stage 1 & Reception 4.30-5.30 pm Key Stage 2 5.45-6.45 pm |
| Monday 26 & Wednesday 28 February | Parents' evenings |
| Thursday 1 March | World Book Day - children to dress as favourite character |
| Thursday 8 March | Reception & Year 6 weighing and measuring |
| Wednesday 14 March, 9.30 am | KS2 production |
| Thursday 15 March, 6.00 pm | KS2 production |
| Thursday 29 March | Spring term closes |
| Monday 16 April | Professional day - school closed to pupils |
| Tuesday 17 April | Summer term starts |
| Monday 7 May | May day holiday |
| Monday 28 May to Friday 1 June | Half-term |
| Wednesday 6 to Friday 8 June | Year 6 residential |
| Tuesday 26 to Wednesday 27 June | Year 5 residential |
| Friday 20 July | Summer term closes for pupils |
| Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 July | Professional days |

DX Holiday Club – February Half Term

The DX Club are running a holiday club at Hinxtton Village Hall during February Half Term (Monday 12th to Friday 16th). Prices are £28 per child per day and £17.50 per child per half day.

Activities for this half term holiday club are Mary Poppins Day, Pancake Day, Valentine's Day, World Radio Day and Tug of War Day!

Please get in contact with Lisa Wood on 07855 225267 or email thedxclub@hotmail.co.uk for further details.