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Dear Parents and Carers

The Summer Fete is only two weeks away and the FODs are busy making preparations. Next **Friday 22 June** there will be a non-uniform day with the aim of raising prizes for the tombola stalls. Please could Reception and Key stage 1 children bring in a donation of sweets and Key Stage 2 children a bottle. Any alcohol should be brought to the office by parents rather than children please. Year 5 children will be going to Sawston Village College in the morning, so please could they come in uniform and bring something to change into for the afternoon. Thank you in advance for your support.

Doves class assembly

Doves performed a creative assembly which provided lots of information about inventions through time. We especially enjoyed learning about all the inventions from the Victorian period from their song. Well done Doves.

Whole school trip Friday 6th July

On 6th July we will all be going to the IWM Duxford. More details to follow closer to the time but we would love to have another whole school photograph taken. Does anyone have the skills & equipment to do this, or can you recommend a photographer?

Book Fair

The Book Fair will be in school during the week beginning 25 June and our Year 6 class will be running it once again. We will let you know the opening times next week. We will use any commission raised towards books for the school library.

The GDPR and our school

In common with all other organisations, we have been busy reviewing our procedures and policies to make sure we are compliant with the new General Data Protection Regulation. Staff have received training on the regulation and on our website you will find a new Privacy Notice for parents/carers regarding pupil information. We would urge you to read that and refer to it in the future as necessary. A new Data Protection policy will also be uploaded onto the website shortly, together with a Record Retention Schedule.

Library books

Please could you have a hunt for any library books that may be at home and bring them all in by Friday 29th June so we can do an audit. Thank you.

Governor Visit Day

Today the governing body spent the morning in school talking to staff about elements of the school development plan. They also had the opportunity to visit classrooms and chat to children and staff.

Duxford Saturday Workshop Taster Morning – Saturday 30th June

Duxford Saturday Music Workshop are holding a Taster Morning on 30th June – 11.00-12.15. This is for adults and children. Children from Year 4 upwards can sign up for group instrumental tuition and there is a Junior Music club for children from Year 3 upwards as well as Mini Workshop for younger children. Please see <u>www.duxfordsaturdayworkshop</u> for more information.

Water bottles

There are still a lot of children coming to school without water bottles and getting thirsty during the day. Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school. Bottles can be refilled from any classroom tap.

Yours sincerely

Suzanne Blackburne-Maze *Headteacher*

	Red Option	Green Option (usually Vegetarian)	Blue Option (Light bite)
Monday	Margarita pizza	Spanish quorn paella	Jacket potato with BBQ beans
Tuesday	Chicken lasagne	Quiche with pasta salad	Tuna & sweetcorn pasta pot
Wednesday	All day brunch	Veggie all day brunch	Ready to go picnic
Thursday	Roast turkey	Stuffed roast peppers	Turkey salad wrap
Friday	Bubble fish & chips	Quorn dippers	Ham & cucumber baguette

Lunches for week beginning Monday 18th June

Swimming timetable

Date	Classes swimming
Thursday 21 June	Year 5, Year 6 (double session)
Thursday 28 June	Year 5, Year 6 (double session)

Diary Dates			
Tuesday 19 June	NSPCC assemblies & workshops		
Thursday 21 June, 9.00 am	Bluebells class assembly		
Friday 22 June	Non-uniform day – tombola prizes		
	Year 5 taster day at SVC		
Tuesday 26 to Wednesday 27 June	Year 5 residential		
Wednesday 27 June, 6.00 pm	Evening for parents of children starting		
	Reception in September		
Thursday 28 June	Sunflowers class assembly		
Friday 29 June, after school	Summer Fair		
Tuesday 3 July, 2.45 pm	Transition meeting - Year 2 to Year 3		
Thursday 5 July	Year 5 class assembly		
Monday 9 July	Sports Day and family picnic (reserve day		
	Thursday 12 July)		
Tuesday 10 July	Year 6 production 2.00 pm		
	Year 6 BBQ & rounders 4.00 pm		
Saturday 14 & Sunday 15 July	Air Days		
Friday 20 July	Year 6 leavers' assembly 2.00 pm		
	Summer term closes for pupils		
Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 July	Professional days		

Message from FODS

Thank you to everyone for the many bag2school bags, we made £76, keep saving those old clothes as we will be doing another collection in the autumn.

We are putting together a dedicated marquee team. It is incredibly hard work for the handful of committee mums to put up the marquee and then go on to run two full air days. This is a great way for the dads to get involved as it can be done later in the evening, we only have 2 or 3 dads who help with set up for any of the events and we would really encourage more of the guys to take part, if you could help please let me know on classlist or via the email.

You may be wondering where the FODS emails have gone, you can now get all the latest information on classlist, we are fully up and running and it is proving to be a really useful time saving tool for parents, uniform has been reunited, all kinds of community events are being highlighted and questions are being answered from swimming to homework dates. It will prove incredibly useful for organising and getting advice for events like the year 6 leavers BBQ, the whole school trips and the year 5 residential. To join in with the conversation, download the app via the App Store or visit classlist.com and search Duxford.

Non-Uniform Day will be on Friday 22nd June, We ask kindly if KS1 can offer sweets and KS2 Bottles for their contributions towards the tombola for the Summer Fete, which is fast approaching on the 29th June. It promises to be lots of fun, we have an underwater theme this year 'saving the seas'. We do need lots of volunteers to run this event and it is the most difficult event to get help for, so if you could do half an hour or an hour on the tea tent, BBQ, raffle, face paints or on one of the stalls please let me know. We also need help with raffle prizes if you work for or run a local business who would be generous enough to donate to this yealrs raffle all donations would be gratefully received. Contact Victoria or Zoe on classlist or at <u>fods.email@gmail.com</u>

Please see attached leaflet for the chance to win 1 of 5 £50 restaurant vouchers to dine out the summer, all you have to do is join our lottery <u>www.yourschoollottery.co.uk</u> and search for Duxford C of E Community Primary School.