

23rd May 2012

Parents' Evenings

Thank you for supporting your child by attending Parents' Evening recently. We hope you found it helpful.

Diamond Jubilee celebrations

We will be participating in the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations both before and after the Jubilee weekend.

Next Thursday, the day before we close for half-term, the children in Year 1 and 2 are having a **Garden Party** – Nursery and Reception are also having a **Jubilee Party** on that afternoon.

The Key Stage 2 classes will also be having an afternoon of fun activities on Thursday.

Please remember that on Thursday **every child** is invited to wear non school uniform and we've asked them to wear **red, white and blue colours** on that day!



The day after we return to school after half-term, on **Tuesday 12th June**, we are going to serve all the children a **Jubilee Lunch** outside in the playground, rather like a street party, but in school.

We will need plenty of help on that day so if you are able to volunteer to help set up and serve, between 12 o'clock and 1.15 pm, then please sign your name on the list in the School Office.

Olympic Carnival Event with local schools.

Our Reception Class pupils will be taking part in an Olympic Carnival morning on Thursday 14th June.

We will be processing to Maryland School and meeting the Reception classes from Colegrave School and pupils from Ronald Openshaw Nursery.

There will be a steel band leading the procession.

Besides music there will be refreshments at Maryland school and a chance to admire each others' costumes which will be in Olympic colours (our colour is yellow)

Any parents who can join us would be very welcome indeed; please give your name to Miss Hughes or Miss Kelleher

Half term

School and nursery will be closed on **Friday 1st June** and from Monday 4th – Friday 8th June. School reopens on **Monday 11th June**.

Complaints Guidelines

We always aim to provide a very good service for all our children and their families.

However we know that there may be times when things do not work out as we would like them to.

The guidelines overleaf set out the procedure that the school follows to manage complaints

Dates

Letters offering new nursery places will be posted in the week beginning Monday 4th June.

The meeting for parents of children who are joining the **Nursery in**

September will be at **3.30 pm on Tuesday 12th June** – in the Nursery.

New Reception pupils: The meeting for parents of the **September Reception intake** is on Wednesday 20th June at 10.30 am in the school hall.

The **last day** of the Summer term is Friday 13th July 2012. School ends at 2 p.m.

After School sports activities will finish the week before.

Autumn Term begins for pupils on Wednesday 5th September 2012.

Training Day: (School closed) Monday 22nd October.

Autumn Half-term is Monday 29th October to Friday 2nd November 2012.

Donate-a-Plant! Please help! Again!

We're appealing again for plants - to make the school look more attractive for the children outdoors.

Thanks to those who responded to the appeal at the end of April. The children really enjoyed planting them.

So if you're out shopping and see trays of bedding plants for sale - please put one in your trolley to donate to school. Any type welcome! Many thanks.

Coffee Morning

There will be coffee and tea available after our Assembly next Friday, 25th May, for parents who can stay. Mrs Ikwueke and our Family Support Worker, Suzy De Freitas will be at the Coffee Morning to chat and to listen to your views from 9.30 – 10.30.

