



Friday 7th July

Dear Parents

Important Dates

Tuesday 11th July

Whole School trip to Longleat.

Wednesday 12th July (morning)

The Big PE Event at Lavington School.

Tuesday 18th July

Parents' Evening for parents of children moving to a new class.

This week in Puffin Class

It has been a quieter week. We had a few children and staff off with upset stomachs, but we have taken extra care with hygiene, so hopefully no-one else will be affected.

We hope that you have enjoyed the banana cupcakes which we made yesterday. As usual, we made them gluten and dairy free so that they were suitable for everyone. It is great to hear any feedback about our cooking efforts!

Longleat Trip

As you know, we are going to Longleat next Tuesday. At the moment the weather looks as if it will be ideal (19°C and cloudy). Please remember to send a lunch for your child if they normally have a school dinner. We will take drinks, so there is no need to send those in. Please also send a lightweight raincoat and suitable shoes in case of rain. Sun hats would also be useful, if your child will wear one. We will take sun cream. I will send another reminder out on Monday and add anything I have forgotten.

If you normally send a buggy or wheelchair for Monday walks, please could you send it in for Tuesday too?

New Playground Experiences

The Upper School Playground, which we sometimes use, has some new additions made by Becky Churchill as requested by Penguin Class. These are two interactive boards which have a variety of tactile things attached such as: light switches; bolts; piping; door handles; and other interesting things.



We would love to have more boards around school. You may have something at home that we could use, e.g. odd bits of pipe, hose or tubing, a door chain you no longer need, or anything else you can think of (and no longer need). Donations will be gratefully received.

Classes for September

Next week we will be able to tell you which class your child will be in next year. There will be a Parents' Evening for you to meet your child's new teacher, if they are not staying in Puffins. As usual there will be a transition book for each child, whether they are moving or not, so that they know which children and staff will be with them next year. The last week of term will be Transition Week, so children and staff will be in the classes they will be in next term.

Summer Holiday

Please let me know if you would like any symbols made to support your child at home during the holiday. I can make a timetable for a week so that you can add symbols or photos, if that would help. Please let me know as soon as possible as I will need time to prepare.



Star of the Week

This week's Star of the Week is Phoebe.

Phoebe will be able to take Ben, the bear, home for the weekend.

We hope that you have a lovely weekend.

Mary Seaman and Puffin Class staff.