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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of another term, it does feel as if the last few weeks have flown by. I hope the children have enjoyed all their learning and extra activities that have taken place. It is always lovely in sharing assemblies to see the children talking about what they have been doing, and it never ceases to amaze me how much the teachers manage to fit in!

Staffing news

We sadly said goodbye to Mrs Noble today and thanked her for all her hard work at our school. Next term Mrs Pasarica will be working in Scarlet class in the mornings and Mrs Redgwell in the afternoons. We are also looking forward to welcoming back Mrs Jennings and Ms Kirk after Easter.

School uniform

Please remember that children should not wear jewellery to school. A number of children have started to wear anklets, bracelets, rings and hooped earrings. Some children are also wearing trainers to school, or oversized brightly coloured headbands. We would be very grateful for your support in making sure your child comes to school wearing the correct school uniform so that we do not have to ask them to remove the offending items!

Diary dates for next term

I have included a list of diary dates in this letter to give you lots of notice about events that are already planned for next term. More dates will be added as class trips and other events are confirmed.

Excellent progress board

The teachers have chosen one child's work from each class to be displayed on the excellent progress board in my office this half term, and last Friday these children enjoyed a tea party with me to celebrate their achievements. Each half term a different child's work will be chosen and I hope this will help to motivate and encourage every child to always try their best.

I hope you enjoy a relaxing break with your children and the weather becomes a bit warmer and sunnier for the holidays. School reopens to the children on Wednesday 24th April at the usual time. Have a very Happy Easter!

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Stray

Term Dates:

23 rd April	Inset day
24 th April	School opens to children
25 th April	PTA meeting 7.30pm
26 th April	PGL Parent meeting 8.45am
30 th April	Young People's Puppet Theatre working with Year 6
6 th May	Bank holiday
9 th May	Year 4 Pedestrian skills training
13 th May	Year 6 SATS week
15 th -17 th May	Year 5 PGL trip

22 nd May - 9.15am	Year 3 Performance
23 rd May - 9.15am	Year 4 Performance
27 th -31 st May	Half term
3 rd June	Inset day
5 th June	E safety parent talk 9.00am
5 th June	PTA meeting 7.30pm
10 th June	Open Evening 4-6pm
20 th June	Amethyst class puppet show performances
21 st June	Magenta class puppet show performances
24 th June	Year 6 puppet show performances in St Albans Cathedral
25 th June	Whole school photograph
26 th June - 9.15am	Year 2 Performance
29 th June	Summer Fair
8 th July	PTA meeting 7.30pm
11 th July	Moving Up Day and New Reception parent talks
12 th July	Reports sent home
16 th July	Sports Day
17 th July	Sports Day reserve date
18 th July - 9.15am	Year 6 performance
19 th July	Year 2 visit to Roald Dahl museum
22 nd July	Year 6 Leavers Trip to Phasels Wood
23 rd July - 9.00am	Y6 Leavers Assembly.
23 rd July	End of term 1.30pm
24 th July	Occasional Day