

# Fenstanton and Hilton Primary School and Pre-school

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## Message from the Head...

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back to the last half term of the school year! I hope you enjoyed the sunshine and warm weather during the half term break. It has been a positive week in school and the children have settled into their routines very quickly. Our Year 6 children started their swimming lessons in St Ives yesterday. Their lesson included a fire alarm at the leisure centre and the need to evacuate the building. Mrs McKay informed me that the children were very well behaved throughout and handled the unique situation very well. We also had a fire alarm in school yesterday following a very short power cut. We used this as a chance to practise and review our evacuation procedure.

In assembly today we introduced a new weekly 'Attendance Prize'. We are keen to improve school-wide attendance and in an attempt to motivate our children we have introduced a weekly raffle, where children who have a 100% attendance record for the week will have the chance to be drawn out as our weekly prize winner.

Next week, our Reception children (Klee Class) are heading off to Shepreth Wildlife Park. This should be a fun, exciting and educational day for the children. We are also looking forward to welcoming parents and carers of next year's Reception cohort for a short information-sharing session next Thursday evening.

We will have photographers in school on Monday to take the whole-class pictures. Please ensure your child is in full school uniform and presented how you / they wish to appear in the photograph. Say cheeeeeeeese!!

We are looking forward to many of our current Preschool children joining our Reception cohort from September. This movement of children into the main school means that we currently have some space in Preschool for children to start in September, or in January or April of 2027. If you know of families looking for provision for their children, please do advise them of our preschool. Our partnership with Kids R Us means that we have on-site provision available daily from 7.30am until 6.00pm.

With best wishes, from Richard Martin and all of the team in school.

## Diary Dates

**Mon 8<sup>th</sup> June**, Class Photos.

**Wed 10<sup>th</sup> June**, Klee Class Shepreth Wildlife Park.

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup> June**, Father's & Others Present Room 1

**Wed 17<sup>th</sup> June**, Father's & Others Present Room 2

**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> June**, Fenhill Festival.

**Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> June**, Sports Day.

**Wed 1<sup>st</sup> July – Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – Year 6 PGL

**Sat 4<sup>th</sup> July** – The Big Village Fun Day

## Reminders & Other Info...

### Reminder

- **Year 6 Swimming payments for the cost of the weekly return coach transfer. Please access the payment via School Comms Gateway app.**