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Message from the Head...

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have enjoyed lots of sunshine in this shorter week, following the bank holiday weekend. You will have seen a message regarding sun cream, sun hats and water, to support children as the summer finally comes into view. I am sure you will support us in keeping the children safe in the sun!

We are hoping that the good weather will bless us again for our Colour Run on Friday 24th May. This PTA event is just £5.00 for children to enter and promises to be lots of fun. You can sign your child up for the event using <u>this form</u> and paying the entry fee. We are also hoping to receive donations for the Rainbow Raffle, which will take place at the same event. These donations can be brought into school by the end of the next week, as per the poster attached. Refreshments for spectators and participants will also be on sale! We hope you will join us for the evening!

On the same day as the Colour Run, we will welcome the Royal Institution to school for a science day learning about *Explosive Food*. The day will include a community show at 3.30pm in the school hall. You are all invited. This was a popular and widely-enjoyed event last year so we hope to see many of you in school for the show, before you head home for a quick change and return for the Colour Run!!

Next week our Year 6 pupils will be sitting their Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs). We will be hosting SATs breakfasts for these children throughout the week to support their preparation. These tests are something of a milestone in the children's education as they prepare for life at secondary school. We are sure all of our pupils will represent themselves positively before enjoying some additional 'down time' towards the end of the week.

We have included with this newsletter some information from Jane Rogers, our Local Authority's Education Inclusion Family Advisor. One event to note is a face-to-face workshop being held here in school on June 10th. There are also several offers of online workshops which are free to join. I would encourage you to access this offer if any of the topics are relevant to you and your children. As the pressure on services increases and wait times for support often get longer, I hope these course and workshops might be beneficial to families in our community.

Richard Martin

Diary Dates...

Fri, 24th May - Royal Institute Science Day & PTA Colour Run (after school)

Mon, 27th - Friday, 31st May - Half Term

Monday, 3rd June - Training Day (School Closed)

Friday, 7th June- Fathers & Others Present Day Room

Wednesday, 12th June - Fathers & Others Present Day Room

Friday, 28th June - PTA Outdoor Disco (FenHil Festival)

Thursday 6th June - 11th July - Swimming for Yr6

Dates, Reminders & Other Info...

- Yr6 Swimming payments for the return coach journey across the 6 weeks is due 13th May please. Any final payments from Yr5 children's parents would also be gratefully received.
- Last shout out for payments for Yr1 & Yr2 trip to Meadow Lodge please.
- Yr1 trip will go ahead on Tuesday, however a decision on the Yr2 trip will be decided on Monday 13th May.
- **KLEE Class** Payment & Google Form Reminder for Shepreth School Visit. **Deadline 23rd May**.