



Monday, 14 May 2018

Dear Parents



**Summer Fete and Maypole Dancing Saturday, 16th June 2018 at 1.45pm.**

The Summer Fete and Maypole Dancing will take place on **Saturday, 16th June 2018** and will follow the routine established over several years.

Please ensure that your child is here by **1.30 pm** dressed in 'smart' clothes. Traditionally, the girls carry a **small posy** of flowers and the boys a **small stick**, about 30cm long, **decorated with greenery/flowers**. For those children who have not taken part before, please see your class teacher if you are unsure about any of the arrangements. You can also find summer fete pictures from previous years on the school website under galleries. Please ensure that the children wear sensible shoes that they are able to dance in. If possible please bring them into school so that the children can rehearse their dancing in them.

When you arrive at 1.30 pm please could you bring your child/ren to the main entrance and hand them over to a member of staff and then they will go through to their classrooms to get ready.

At **1.45pm**, carrying their flowers, the children walk in a procession led by the Summer King and Queen. This year we have kept the procession into the village starting at School Lane, then Church Lane, Church Street and then enter the school grounds at the main gate. A road closure has been requested between 1.30 and 2.15pm to enable us to do this. Therefore, please bear this in mind when arriving and parking. Last year the feedback from parents was that the start of the parade was not clearly signalled. Therefore, we would encourage friends and families to line the streets after they drop their children off and **before 1.45pm** when the parade will begin.

The crowning of the Summer King and Queen will be followed by the Maypole Dancing. When the dancing has finished, the children will be dismissed by their class teacher and you can come and collect them. After this, the children are free to join you to look at the stalls, play some games and enjoy refreshments in the hall.

We hope for fine weather but if it is wet, activities will take place inside, as far as is possible. If you and your children are **unable to attend**, please notify your class teacher as this will have a huge impact on class partners for the well-rehearsed dancing!

May I also take this opportunity to request that no photographs taken on the day which contain images of other children, be uploaded onto *Facebook* or other social networking sites, without the permission of the child's parents.

The raffle will be drawn **around 4.15 pm** and will signal the end of the Summer Fete which will finish at approximately 4.30-4.45 pm.

Any help **in setting up from 9.30am or clearing away afterwards** would be greatly appreciated. The PFA will be collecting donations for their raffles, hampers, tombola before the fete. A PFA newsletter will be sent out shortly with further information about signing up to help and about the day.

Friends and family are welcome to attend and we look forward to seeing you there.

Yours sincerely,

Mr E Carlyle  
Executive Headteacher.



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Dear Parents and Carers.

After such a successful themed hamper raffle last year, it is back!

The classes have agreed on a theme each:

- ❖ **Robins – Pamper hamper**
- ❖ **Hedgehogs – Movie night in**
- ❖ **Foxes – Thirst Aid**
- ❖ **Badgers - Sport**
- ❖ **Red Kites – Picnic**



It would be lovely if every pupil could bring in an item related to their theme on or before 13<sup>th</sup> June. There will be a box placed in each classroom to collect all the wonderful donations!

There will be a treat for the class with the most popular hamper from the PFA.

Thank you,

Warmington School

