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Message from the Head: We have had a very productive start to the summer term so far, with our pupils working very hard to complete their learning for this academic year before move up day in July. We were very proud of all our classes last week when we were visited by our Local Authority Inspector for her termly *keeping in touch visit*. She commended our pupils for their excellent learning behaviours and their calm and caring attitude towards their school life. This term we continue on our journey towards becoming a Level 1 Rights Respecting School and our pupils have been consulted through our Big Conversation on what kind of event they would like to host for you as parents to tell you more about our Rights Respecting work. We also continue to work hard towards our Artsmark Silver and our Sportsmark Gold awards.

Please Don't Forget...

- As the weather is getting warmer, children will need named sunhats, sun cream and plenty of water to drink to keep them sun safe.
- We are working to maintain our Healthy Schools status, so please send in only healthy snacks for morning / afternoon break times. We promote fruit as the healthiest option, but cheese or reduced sugar cereal bars are acceptable. Whilst parents may choose to send in crisps or chocolate biscuits as part of their children's packed lunches, pupils will be actively discouraged from eating these at morning / afternoon play.
- ...to name all personal items! We have a large amount of lost property, which will be cleared at the end of half term. Y1 lost property is on the washing line in the window, Reception items are hung on the gate and lost property from Years 2-6 can be found in the children's kitchen.
- Please remember to avoid holidays in school term times. See the letters and forms section of our school website for more information on this topic: <http://wytonprimaryschool.org.uk/Newsletters.htm>

A Huge Thank You!

- ... To Mrs Fagg and Mrs Best, who have been busily planning for our Dangerous Curriculum Days this term. Feedback from our children about these days is always really positive.

Friends of Wyton News & Dates

- Just a reminder that our Friends of Wyton are holding a Ladies' Pamper Evening tonight, Friday 5th May from 7pm-10pm.
- Due to popular demand - the Friends of Wyton are organising a **Father's Day Gift Shop**: during the week leading up to Father's Day, after lunch between 1.30 and 3pm on the following days:
 - Monday 12th June - Johnson Class (Reception)
 - Tuesday 13th June - Nightingale Class (Year 1) & Hillary Class (Year 2)
 - Wednesday 14th June - Keller Class (Year 3) & Seacole Class (Year 4)
 - Thursday 15th June - Da Vinci Class (Year 5) & Luther-King Class (Year 6)
 Pupils are invited to choose a Father's Day Gift with the help of Friends of Wyton members. All gifts £2. Children wishing to take part should please bring £2 in a named envelope, which they can hand in to their class teacher on their day.
- Garden Party:** Friday 23rd June 3.15-4.30pm (details to follow)

Coming Very Soon...!

- Build-a-burger Day:** Thursday 18th May is a special school dinners day, which has proved very popular in schools across the county. Pupils who have booked a school meal for that day will be invited to create their own burger, with an ice cream parlour style pudding. You will already have received a booking form for this lunch via your children's book bags last week, but if it has gone astray, we have some spare forms in the School Office. The deadline for pupils to return their forms is 12th May. Please note that the roast dinner which would normally be served on a Thursday will be served on the Monday of that week (Monday 15th May)
- Thursday 25th May 3.15 - 5pm:**
Book Look for parents and carers in classrooms (Year 5 in the Learning Hub)
- Thursday 25th May 6 - 7pm:**
Parents' Forum

Let's Celebrate!

Well done to our Cross Country team, who went along to Priory Park in St. Neots to compete against all of the other primary schools in the county in the annual cross-country running championships. The children had been well prepared throughout the year by Mrs. Duffy and the training paid off on the day with both the boys and the girls teams putting in amazing performances to both finish 7th out of 24 in the Small Schools competition and 54th out of 137 schools overall. The team will continue to train after school on Mondays and we look forward to hearing about future results.

For a full list of this and previous weeks' achievements, please visit our school website <http://wytonprimaryschool.org.uk/HeadteacherAwards.htm>

Attendance

Congratulations to **Keller Class** for having the best attendance so far this term. You are really helping us towards our annual target of 96.4%.

	So far this term
Johnson (Reception)	95.7%
Nightingale (Year 1)	95.5%
Hillary (Year 2)	96.6%
Keller (Year 3)	97.7%
Seacole (Year 4)	96.9%
Da Vinci (Year 5)	97.4%
Luther- King (Year 6)	96.4%
Overall	96.6%

Diary Dates

Please read this section in conjunction with the Key Diary Dates for 2016-17 and any other letters from class teachers and club leaders

Please note that there are 27 school days this half term, therefore the total for parents ordering daily school dinners for this half term is £60.75

Monday 8th May - Thursday 11th May:
KS2 SATS

Monday 15th May: Y5&6 History trip to Sutton Hoo

Monday 22nd May - Thursday 25th May: Y6 Bikeability course

Tuesday 23rd May - Multiple Intelligences Day for all pupils

Thursday 25th May 3.15 - 5pm:

- Book Look for parents and carers in classrooms (Year 5 in the Learning Hub)

Thursday 25th May 6 - 7pm:

- Parents' Forum

Friday 26th May break up at 3.15pm for half term holiday

Monday 5th June: Pupils return to school for the second half of the Summer Term

Monday 12th June - Thursday 15th June, Friends of Wyton Father's Day Gift Shop (£2 per gift) (Gifts will be gift-wrapped to avoid spoiling the surprise!)

Wednesday & Thursday 21st (3.15 - 7pm) & 22nd June (3.15 - 5pm): Parent Consultations

Friday 23rd June: Garden Party 3.15 - 4.30pm - all welcome!

Friday 30th June: Sainsbury's School Games / Sports Day from 10am on the school field

Friday 7th July:

- 9.20am and 2.20pm End of term music concerts, in which all classes perform a group piece.
- Teddy's Big Night Out sleepover (details to follow)

Monday 10th July - Thursday 20th July: Move up fortnight

Thursday 20th July-Last day of summer term- Non uniform day.

Next Full Governing Body Meeting: 12th July 6pm We currently have vacancies for School Governors. Please contact our Chair of Governors, Carolyn Daines, via the School Office for details.

Invitations for parents & carers to join us for a school lunch for the Autumn Term will be sent out at the end of the Summer Term. (adult school lunch =£3.20)

Just a reminder that the Mobile Library Service stops outside the playpark every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 3.15pm. If we don't make use of this valuable service, we could lose it altogether!