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Launton C of E School Newsletter

Message from Friends of Launton School

We will be holding an EGM to elect a new PTA chair tonight at 7pm in the school hall. This is the only agenda item so it should be a short meeting. Please feel free to bring your children along should you need to.

Only 1 week to go until the Family Summer BBQ! This event will take place on 19th July 2019. You will all have the opportunity to pre-order tickets and food. Order forms and raffle tickets have been sent home in book bags. There is an additional £100 prize to be won on the day! We are still looking for volunteers to help for just 30mins each. Please let any member of the PTA committee know if you are able to help or contact Kate Greig via the fundraising page. We would also appreciate donations for the bottle tombola. We will not be taking bottles in the school playground, so please let Kate Greig (Eve's Mum) know if you are able to donate a bottle.

With a sunny day forecasted for this year's sport's day, lollies will be on sale on Tuesday 16th July from 3:10pm at a cost of 50p each to cool our super sports stars down. Refreshments will also be on sale throughout the day.

Thank you for supporting Lolly Friday, we sold a record breaking 132 lollies last Friday. Lollies will be on sale every Friday (from 3:15pm) until the end of term. This fundraising activity is for football goal posts and bean bags for the library.

A weekly update to Parents, Grandparents and Carers

Message from Mrs. Paterson

Oak and Willow Class acted, danced and sang with confidence and aplomb yesterday at both performances of their summer play. We all watched and listened with pride to fantastically well-delivered lines from our young thespians. Former pupils enjoyed talking afterwards of their own memories of performing a summer play.

Update from reporters in Rowan Class

"We are finding out about different minibeasts in Rowan Class," explained Benjamin and Laura. "Its our job to find out about bees and we are looking for information in a book to find out the answers to questions. We are researching. Bees eat pollen and they make honey for the humans." "Dragonflies are yellow, red and green," say Penelope and Elliot "and they have six legs and four wings." We're going on a minibeast bug hunt this afternoon," explained Clarence and Eliza.

Some of the newspaper articles about the field, written by reporters in Chestnut Class can be read by following this link

[Year 4 Newspaper](#)

We are looking forward to welcoming parents and carers for sports on Tuesday. Children should come to school wearing their sports kit, with a tee-shirt in their house colour if possible. The forecast at the time of writing looks dry...

Dates for your diary

Confirmed Term Dates 2018-2019
[Confirmed Term Date Link](#)

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Tuesday 16th July –
 Sports Day: 9.30am KS2
 Sports Day: 1.45pm KS1 And Rec

Friday 19th July – Willow Class Trip

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 Barbecue

Monday 22nd July – Willow Class
 Barbecue

Wednesday 24th July – 9.30am Leavers’
 Service

Further details will be provided closer
 to the time.

Updates and Reminders

Tuesday 16th July: Sports Day

- Beech Class, Chestnut Class, Oak Class and Willow Class in the morning from 9.30am
- Rowan Class and Ash Class in the afternoon from 1.45pm

ACA Coaching who run some of our afterschool clubs will be running a number of clubs over the summer holidays please visit their website to find out more information - <http://acacoaching.co.uk/>

Stay and play at the HUB every Tuesday 9.30-11am. This is for children aged 0-8yrs during holiday time

[Summer Holiday Clubs](#)

[Free Tennis Session](#)

[Bicester Bike Fun Day 2019](#)

Advance notification from the Local Authority

Change of the early May Bank Holiday - not Monday 6 May 2020 but will be Friday 8 May 2020 to celebrate VE Day

In 2020 the early May Bank Holiday will be on Friday 8 May to coincide with the VE Day 75th celebrations, instead of the first Monday of the month.

Please remember that ball games are not permitted in the playground before 8.50am.

[Breakfast and Afterschool Care Booking Guidelines](#)

[After school clubs Information](#)

Please be aware that we have children in school with serious food allergies. To ensure the safety of all of our children please avoid sending your child to school with anything that contains nuts. We have recently been reminded of the advice for parents to cut grapes in half for small children, due to the risk posed by choking.
