### June 2022 Newsletter 13

# Moon's Moat First School

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Dear Parents,

I hope you all enjoyed our Platinum Jubilee Picnic. It was so nice to be able to invite parents into school again. We had lots of lovely comments about the children's performances and were very proud of them!

Thank you to all the parents, families and friends who came along to make it a day to remember.

Mrs. S. Fisher

Headteacher

#### Year 4 Leavers photos

Please remember to place your online order as soon as possible if you would like to order a leavers photo.

#### Attendance and Lateness

Our Education Welfare Officer has expressed concern about the increase in the number of children coming into school late.

Our school doors open at 8.50 a.m. and lessons start promptly at 9.00 a.m. Important learning starts at this time so it is vital that your child is here on time. When children arrive late it causes disruption for the whole class.

The first lessons in school each morning are:

Reception - phonics

Year 1 – handwriting, reading or phonics

Year 2 - handwriting, reading or phonics

Year 3 - phonics and literacy

Year 4 – numeracy/literacy/phonics

### **Upcoming Events**

June 15

Reception eye tests

July 1

Whole school Art Day

July 4

Active Week

Blackwell Adventure Year 4

July 7

Year 1 - 4 Sports Day (afternoon)

July 8

Reception and Nursery Sports Day

(morning)

July 11

Heights and weights check Reception

July 12

Warwick Castle Year 3

July 13-14

**Transition Days** 

July 19

Year 4 Leavers Party

July 20

Year 4 Leavers Assembly

If your child is regularly late they are missing these core subjects and they will find it very difficult to keep up with their classmates. We will now be asking parents to complete a 'late slip' explaining why their child is not on time if they arrive after 9.10am.

If you feel that you need some help getting your child to school on time please speak to their class teacher in the first instance. Lisa, our Family Support Worker is also available to offer advice, help and support so please contact the office if you would like to arrange an appointment to see her.

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If your child is going to be absent for any reason please let the school office know as soon as possible, either by phone or via the 'contact us' page on our website. Holidays during term time are discouraged and will only be authorised in **exceptional** circumstances. Please book family holidays during the 13 weeks of school holidays. Many thanks.

#### **Healthy Eating Week**

Our caterers, AiP, are supporting the British Nutrition Foundation's Healthy Eating Week from  $13^{th} - 17^{th}$  June. They have created new menus for the week which focus on fibre, 5 a day, hydration, reducing food waste and protein. They also have the usual options of jacket potatoes and packed lunches available. It's not too late to order so please login to 'School Food United' and check out the healthy options. There is only one dessert option on the menu for this week but Aip have said they will send some extras each day.

#### Reports

Reports will be coming out later this term. Please ensure the office has up to date details of everyone who is entitled to receive a copy of your child's report.

### Uniform and book bags

If you are ordering uniform from Mapac don't forget to place your order by 31<sup>st</sup> July to ensure you receive it by the start of term in September. Book bags can be paid for on SchoolMoney any time and we will take them to your child's classroom for them to bring home.

#### **Privacy Notice**

Our privacy notice is available on the Policies page of our website.

#### St. Leonard's Church Summer Fete

St. Leonard's summer fete is on Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July from 1.30-4.30pm. Please go along if you can!



## Our Value for June is Caring