



Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,  
Welcome back to all our families as we start the final half term of the academic year. This is always a busy one, so we thought it best to send out a reminder of key dates below. As always things can sometimes change due to unforeseen circumstances or other additional extra opportunities may arise during throughout the term. There are also a couple of messages from the newsletter to remind you of too.

**School Council: 'Freeze Pop Friday'**

The school council are raising money for additional playground equipment. Each Friday after half term they will be selling freeze pops. To purchase the 'freeze pops' please log on to parent pay and select the 'Freeze Pop Friday' and pay £3. These will be handed to the children at playtimes as we come to the warmer weather. The freeze pops are suitable for vegetarians and vegans. Please log in by **Friday 8th June at 9am.**



**Rota Kids: 'Donate a book'** The 'Rota Kids' group are collecting books for children around the world. They would like to ask if anybody could donate a book or two to the Rotary Club. These books will then be delivered to other children who do not have regular access to books and libraries. If donations could be passed to your class teacher by **Friday 16th June**, then the Rotary club will come and collect them for us.

We would also like to share the news with you that Mrs Leetham, who has been our nursery nurse in Reception class for over 16 years, will be leaving Harden Primary on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June. Mrs Leetham has been studying hard, completed her degree and has now secured a position working with families in the School Nursing Team. We wish her lots of luck and best wishes in her new role and thank her for her many years of hard work, care and support in the Reception classroom.

Thank you for your continued support, and please do not hesitate to come and speak with a member of the team if there are any questions.

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Leanne Ruddock  
Head of School



### Upcoming Dates

- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**- Last day of term
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June**- School reopens after Spring Bank
- W/C Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June**- Y6 Bikeability *More details to follow*
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June**— Year 1 Ponderosa trip
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June**— PTFA Fathers Day event *More details to follow*
- Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June**— Harden Gala—meet at North Walk at 1:15pm
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June**— Y5 Trip to University of Bradford
- Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June**- Reception Worth Valley Museum trip
- Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**— 1:15pm KS2 Sports Day *at Gala field*
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**— 1:30pm KS1 Sports Day *on school grounds*
- Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June**— Y3/ y4 trip to Bradford Literature festival
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July** —Whole school transition day *More details to follow*
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2:15pm** —Reception parents event
- Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2:15pm** —Year 1 parents event
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July** —Year 6 to Ingleborough residential
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2:15pm** —Year 5 parents event
- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 9am** —Year 3 parents event
- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2:15pm** —Year 2 parents event
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 9am** —Year 4 parents event
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 9am** — Final whole school Assembly of the year
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2pm** —Year 6 Final Assembly
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 3pm** —School closes for summer

*\*Please note this does not include the additional Year 6 events and the planned sporting events \**