

Dear Parents/Carers,

A bright and sunny welcome back to school! The new term lies before us with its usual mixture of academic and sporting challenges, plus a talent show, a special day to be designed by our School Council and we may even squeeze in a trip to the seaside! So please dig out those sunhats, put lotion on your children before they come into school in the morning and label their water bottles because, as unbelievable as it sounds, here comes the summer!!!

SHOW AND TELL ASSEMBLIES – Begin again next Friday, April 27th, at 2.45pm and run throughout the term, please come and join us to discover more about what your children have been doing.

AFTER SCHOOL – Ducklings are running an after school club and would like to allow the children who take part access to the field and playground. Consequently, could we please request that parents collecting children at the end of the school day vacate the playground by 3:45pm. Following on from this we are also going to trial collection from all after-school clubs via the front door (by the Office). This means the side gate can remain closed, keeping the school site secure.

SWIMMING – Ash class began their swimming lessons on 16th April and will continue until 21st May.

HOPE CUP TOURNAMENT FINAL – 20TH April – Having played their ways through the knockout rounds our football team have one last hurdle to overcome - Hertford St Andrews stand between us and the trophy! Both teams have played some excellent football this season so the final is sure to be an exciting game!

CYCLING – Our KS2 children will be undertaking Levels 1 and 2 of the Bikeability course this term so you may see them out and about with Mr. Carthy and Mrs. Hargrave. If you are in your car and you do spot them please make sure you give them extra room as they may be a little wobbly! Also, if your child is taking part, please check over their bike with them to make sure that it is in good working order.

YEAR 4 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT – 26th April – A new tournament this year which will give our football-mad Year 4s an opportunity demonstrate their skills.

YEARS 2 AND 3 SCOOTER TRAINING – 27th April – Our Road Safety Officer, Samantha Parfitt, is visiting us again to teach our children how to stay safe when on their scooters.

GIRLS' FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT – 30th April – A team of Year 5/6 girls will be representing us on Monday 30th April in the Hertford and Ware 6 a-side festival of football! Our girls are, as yet, an unknown force in the footballing world so may cause a few surprises!

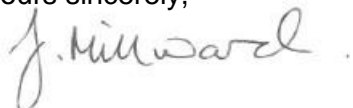
WALNUT CLASS MULTISKILLS – 11th May – Mrs. Lord's merry bunch travel to Wodson Park to take part in the Hertford and Ware Schools Multiskills Festival.

SATs WEEK – 9th – 13th May – Year 6's opportunity to pit their wits against the Department for Education. My money, as always, will be on our fabulous Year 6s!

MAPLE CLASS MULTISKILLS – 18th May – It's the Year 2's turn to throw, jump and run whilst having a lot of fun at Wodson Park.

HALF TERM – 28th May to 1st June Please note that we break up at the usual time of 3.15pm on Friday 25th May.

Yours sincerely,



Jon Millward
Head teacher

SUMMER TERM 2018

April 2018

16 th April	9.00am	Summer Term starts
16 th April	11.30am	Ash class swimming sessions begin
17 th April	3.30pm	Year 6 Booster sessions begin
18 th April	1.15pm	Cedar Class KNEX challenge
20 th April	3.30pm	Hope Cup Football final at Wodson Park
23 rd April	4.00pm – 5.30pm	Sports Ambassadors Training at Chauncy School
24 th – 27 th April		Level 1 Cycling Proficiency
26 th April	1.00pm	Year 4 Football Tournament
27 th April	9.15am	Years 2 and 3 Scooter Training
27 th April	2.45pm	Sharing Assemblies begin
30 th April	1.00pm	Girls Football Tournament

May 2018

11 th May	9.00am	Year 1 Multiskills at Wodson Park
14 th – 18 th May		Year 6 SATs week
15 th – 18 th May		Level 2 Cycling Proficiency
18 th May	1.00pm	Year 2 Multiskills at Wodson Park
21 st – 25 th May		Walk to school week
28 th May – 1 st June		<i>Half term</i>

June 2018

4 th June	11.30am	Cedar class swimming sessions begin
6 th June		Cedar Class Distraction Workshop
12 th – 15 th June		Level 2 Cycling Proficiency
18 th June	tbc	WWW Games
21 st June	am	District Sports Athletics Meeting at Wodson Park
22 nd June		Inset Day – School Closed
25 th June		Inset Day – School Closed
27 th June		Cedar Class 'Time for Change' visit by CORAM
29 th June	9.10am	Cedar Class Dress Rehearsal

July 2018

2 nd July	am	Oak and Apple Sports Day
3 rd July	am	KS1 and KS2 Sports Day and Picnic
4 th July	2.00pm	Cedar Afternoon Performance
5 th July	7.00pm	Cedar Evening Performance
6 th July	am	Years 5 and 6 Boys Athletics Team District finals
7 th July		School Summer Fayre
tbc		Whole School Outing
10 th July	1.30pm	Hunsdon Talent Show
12 th July		Secondary Transfer Day
13 th July		Chauncy Community Day
tbc		Year 6 Leavers' outing
20 th July	9.10am	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
24 th July	1.30pm	Certificates Assembly
24 th July	2.30pm	Term Ends