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Dear Parents

Welcome back to what looks to be another action-packed school year. I hope you all had a wonderful holiday and that your children are refreshed and ready for school. A very warm welcome to the new Fox Cubs joining us this year: Ella, Zara, Emlyn, Bethany, Freya, TJ, Felicity, Sophie, Frankie, Oscar, Cora, Jude, Samson, Jayden & Elsie. Alon has joined Year 4 and his sister Gali has joined Year 2. Also we welcome Mr Lambden, our Year 1 and 2 teacher, and Adam Cruickshank as our Sports Coach.

Summer Holidays

The refurbishment of our School Hall has now been completed with several coats of paint and a good varnish of the floor, thank you to Derek and Julie. All the classrooms have been thoroughly cleaned, rearranged and tidied during the holidays and are looking like really productive spaces for learning.

Foxton Fun Day

A big thank you to our FSA and to the Harborough Lions for all their work in making the Foxton Fun Day a success. Despite the blistering heat a good sum was raised. Thank you for supporting this event.

Swimming

Children in Years 1, 2, 5 & 6 start their swimming lessons next week. Please remember the children need to wear a swimming hat so please check it is in their kit bag.

Annual Calendar

The yellow Annual Calendar should be with you soon, if you need an additional copy feel free to ask.

Breakfast Club and After School Care

Breakfast Club is available from 8am in the School Hall, £2.00 for supervision, £2.60 for breakfast and supervision, no booking required, just turn up! Breakfast stops being served at 8:30am. After School Care is available daily until 5:30pm at a cost of £5.50. Please book places through the School Office in advance.

Learning Log and Planner

These will soon be sent home with children in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6. Please read through the Learning Log and Planner and find the Home – School – Child Agreement and the ICT Acceptable Use Policy which need signing. The children can complete the Times Tables Practice Grids at any time. The diary pages are to be used as a reading record and homework diary. The Learning Log and Planners need to be in school every school day and there will be a charge for a replacement if they are lost. The covers are not to be drawn on or coloured in.

School Dinners

The cost of school meals for children in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 are £2.25 per meal (£11.25 per week). Please remember that meals need to be paid for in advance. Children in Fox Cubs, Year 1 and 2 are all entitled to a free school dinner, this can be everyday or just occasionally.

Can you help us?

We welcome parents/grandparents coming in and working with us. We have had parents who have run workshops for the children, shared their interests, listened to readers etc. Is there anything you could offer? Please complete and return the slip below.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Clark

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Helping In School

Name: (please print)

I can offer

When: Contact number:

**** ATTENTION ALL CHILDREN ****

WOULD YOU LIKE TO CREATE A FUN CHARACTER USING A PLASTIC PLANT POT? OR MAYBE YOU'D LIKE TO DECORATE A BUTTERFLY?

**IF THE ANSWER IS "YES", COME ALONG TO
THE ROBERT MONK HALL ON SATURDAY 31ST
AUGUST**

**BETWEEN 10 AM AND NOON
AND LET YOUR IMAGINATION FLY!!**

**THERE WILL BE DIFFERENT SIZED POTS SO YOU CAN USE
JUST ONE OR BE ADVENTUROUS AND STICK SOME
TOGETHER!!**

We have lots of materials to decorate your character: wobbly eyes, tinfoil hats, pipe cleaners, stickers and lots more!

**HOW ABOUT THEN SHOWING OFF YOUR CREATION BY
ENTERING THE PRODUCE AND CRAFT SHOW THE
FOLLOWING DAY?**

**DO COME - YOU ONLY NEED TO BRING 50p AND AN ADULT WITH
YOU**

(There won't be time to paint - it will be all about sticking things together - so get your thinking caps on NOW!!)

