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Dear Parents/Carers,

Events this week

On Tuesday, two NSPCC teachers came to the school to support us in teaching the children about keeping safe. They led an assembly for Key Stage 1, an assembly for Key Stage 2 and workshops for all our Year 5 and 6 children. These were excellent sessions which will really support the children in understanding about what to do if they feel unsafe. On Thursday, our Year 5 girls went to St Ursula's to get a taste of life in secondary school and they really enjoyed this experience.

Today, a group of our Year 6 pupils led an assembly for all the children at the Junior site. They noticed from the survey they carried out last term, that a number of parents worried about their children not having enough friends. So they asked if they could lead an assembly to help other children to understand about being good friends. They were wonderful role models and really got their message across brilliantly.

Important Dates for your diary

11th June – Our Lady of Lourdes Afternoon Tea

17th June – Summer Discos - Junior site

20th June - Sports Day Reception 1 & Nursery am from 10am - Manor House Gardens - Parents /Carers invited

20th June - Sports Day Reception 2 & Nursery pm 2pm Manor House Gardens - Parents /Carers invited

21st June - Sports Day Yrs 2,3,4,5,& 6 at 1.45pm - Junior site - Parents /Carers invited

22nd June - Sports Day Yrs 1 & 2 at 2pm - Junior site - Parents /Carers invited

23rd June – Polling Day - School closed for children

29th June - International Food Day from 2pm- Junior site - Parents /Carers invited

2nd July – Family Fun Day - Junior site - all invited!

18th & 19th July – Extra school days

Congratulations

Congratulations to Sofia in Year 5 and Bethany in Year 2 for winning our Road Safety competition. Their posters have been sent to Lewisham Road Safety to be entered in their Schools' competition. We had a fantastic response and all those who entered will win a prize.

We also had an amazing response to our Home design competition. All entries will be given to Peter James to put on their web Site so that you can vote for your favourite.

Meeting for Year 1 Parents

On Monday 27th June, there will be a meeting for parents and carers of Year 1 children in the Junior school hall at 7pm. The purpose of this meeting is to find out about the transition to the Junior site in September and to ask any questions relating to this. There will also be an opportunity to have a look around the school. We will be providing a crèche in the library.

Our Lady of Lourdes – Afternoon tea

Saturday 11th June at 2pm until 4pm – please see the flyer on our web site.

Jimmy - 21 Bridges sponsored walk on 2nd July

Please see the link on our Newsletter web site page.

Dinner money (Year 3 – 6)

This should be paid either £9.50 weekly or £58.90 in advance but not in arrears.

First Communion Programme 2015/16 , Our Lady of Lourdes , Lee

The next meeting will be at 10:00am Saturday 11th June. The children to meet in the church; parents to meet in the hall where there will be teas & coffee from 9:45 to 10:00am. The topic of this session is Chapter 9 - The Greatest Gift. It is very important for parents and children to attend this meeting as it will be the last session before the children make their First Communion.

Summer Disco - Friday 17 June

Next Friday is the summer disco at the Junior site. Tickets are sold at the door £4.00 each or £7.00 for a family (siblings). Price includes a hotdog, juice, an ice lolly and lots of dancing and games for the children.

Reception - Year 2 runs from 4.45 pm - 6.00 pm followed by Years 3 - 6 from 6.15 pm - 7.30 pm. Prompt drop off and pick up please. Teachers and volunteers will be supervising the children on the day.

If you are able to volunteer on the night please e-mail the Friends.

Donation Day - Tuesday 21 June

Thank you for all your donations of bottles and jam jars for the Family Fun Day tombola stalls. Please keep them coming. Empty jars can be found in the office at the Infants if you need any.

Next week on Tuesday we are asking for donations of a teddy bear for the teddy shy and sweets for the sweetie cone stall. Empty cones and ties will be in book bags next week. Simply fill the cones up with sweets of your choice (no nuts) and return along with a pre-loved teddy to the office. See poster attached.

Family Fun Day

We still need lots of volunteers to help run stalls at the Family Fun Day. Shifts are for only 1.5 hours leaving you the rest of the afternoon to enjoy with friends and family.

We particularly need help on the bar and bbq and with the activity stalls. If you can help please contact the Friends at stwinifredsfriendsse12@gmail.com and we will let you know what is available.

Thank you to all the children who entered the Peter James Fantasy Home Competition. Pictures will be displayed on rotation in their office window in Lee Green and on Facebook from 16 June. Don't forget to ask friends and family to 'like' entries on the Peter James Estate Agency Facebook Page. The fantasy home with the most likes will receive a prize at the Family Fun Day.

Attendance & Punctuality

Total lates 18 throughout the school. Congratulations to Rec 2 & 4M with no lates and 6F with 100% attendance.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Lates</u>
Reception 1	99%	1	Year 2A	99%	2	Year 4M	98%	0
Reception 2	99%	0	Year 2F	97%	1	Year 5L	99%	2
Year 1 R	99%	1	Year 3P	98%	1	Year 5/6T	97%	1
Year 1 A	99%	6	Year 3/4K	99%	1	Year 6F	100%	2

Have a lovely weekend.

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