



Dear Parents,  
Well the sunshine is here and so is half term!

**News from Classrooms:**

**Class 1:** This week Class 1 have been creating shopping list and recipes for Lighthouse Keeper lunches. The class had a picnic and ate all the super sandwiches they made.

**Class 2:** In Class 2 this week the children have investigated light and shadows, measuring their own shadows at different times of the day. They also researched whether the sun is a hero or a villain. The class used their thinking skills to help the Lighthouse Keeper with his lost key catastrophe.

**Class 3:** This week Class 3 visited the Church and found inspiration to write a gargoyle adventure. They have also been busy practising their artistic skills.

**Kingswood Trip – Message from Y4/5**

We are ready to share with you the highlights of our trip to Kingswood. We would love for you to come and join us in the hall on Monday 12th June at 3.30pm for our special Kingswood presentation.

**Message for Parents of Sewing Club Pupils**

**Making Shorts** – Please bring with you on the first week back, 1.5m of 100% cotton fabric, 1m of 3cm wide elastic, a bobbin of thread to match the fabric and glass head pins.

No sewing machines are required for the first week.  
Thank you.

**Polite Reminder**

Our worship time, as well as celebration time, is particularly important for us and creating a spiritual atmosphere is something children value, as do parents. If younger children attending school events, such as assemblies, become restless and noisy, I respectfully ask that parents take them outside until they have settled.  
Thank you.

**Congratulations in order!**

I am delighted to announce that Miss Geeson is expecting her first baby early next term. I'm sure you will join me in wishing her many congratulations at this very exciting time.

Governors and I are working closely with Waltham governors regarding the maternity cover. Details of this and class organisation for next year will be sent out after the holiday.

**Trespass Reminder**

Please remember that no children should be on school grounds during the holidays or times unsupervised by authorised members of staff. Please would you remind children to ensure their understanding. Thank you.

**Verruca's**

Please note that if your child has a verruca and your treatment method does not ensure the complete coverage of the area, we advise you provide your child with a suitable sock for swimming lessons and barefoot PE lessons. Thank you.

**Head lice Check**

Don't forget to do some bug-busting this holiday!

**Andy Wing's Sports Camp**

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 9.30-12.30 here at Redmile

**Sports Day**

We have received notification that the hockey county finals will be on the same day we had hoped to run sports day. As we have a team representing the Vale and Melton in the tournament we are moving sports day to **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**, as the team won't want to miss out on sports day, especially if they are Y6 and it's their last one here at Redmile. I do hope you understand the need for us to involve all children.

**Letters going home this week**

Class 1 parents evening

Have a lovely half term!

Yours sincerely,

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Head teacher