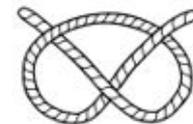




# MANOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Summer Term Newsletter



*Fighting the fires of our future*

### Sports Day - Everyone's a Winner!

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Thank you for the tremendous support we had for our Sports Day last week. We managed to arrange a gap in the clouds for a sunny, dry morning and the children had a great time racing in front of an appreciative audience. The winning team was Bryan with 88 points, very closely followed by Dudley on 86, Bassett on 84 and Peel on 68. Well done to all for competitive racing with a smile on their faces, win or lose. The Olympic and Paralympic values that the teams adopted for the day were 'Friendship', 'Equality', 'Respect' and 'Courage', and these were displayed in abundance.

### Dates for your diary

Tuesday July 19 <sup>th</sup>	Rio Olympics Day
Wednesday July 20 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Reading Challenge assembly
Friday July 22 <sup>nd</sup>	10am Leavers' assembly PTA Leavers' Disco Break up for Summer Holidays
Monday September 5 <sup>th</sup>	INSET Day for staff
Tuesday September 6 <sup>th</sup>	Back to school for children
Friday September 9 <sup>th</sup>	Magical Maths Club assembly
Tuesday September 13 <sup>th</sup>	Roald Dahl Day - 100 years since birthday - Dress as a character or in yellow (Roald Dahl's favourite colour)
Wednesday September 28 <sup>th</sup>	Wilnecote Music School assembly
Friday October 7 <sup>th</sup>	Owls and Penguins - first of three Friday sessions of tag rugby with Tamworth rugby club coaches.
Friday October 21 <sup>st</sup>	Break up for half term
Monday October 31 <sup>st</sup>	INSET day for staff training
Tuesday November 1 <sup>st</sup>	Back to school for children

### Summer Works Planned

Over the summer holidays there are several projects planned for the school building and grounds. These include:

- Digging a soakaway into the bottom corner of the playground to avoid the regular appearance of a boating lake every time it rains! This will mean we will also have the entire playground resurfaced.
- New toilets for boys, girls and Robins with new doors, floors, ceilings, walls, vanity units etc. Part of school that parents don't really get to see but is in desperate need of renovation and will provide a much nicer environment for the children.
- The hall floor to be sanded down and re-varnished.
- The soft play bark surface around the outdoor play equipment on the field that cats, mice and mushrooms have enjoyed so much, to be replaced with a rubberised compound.
- A mud kitchen to be made in the forest school area for the younger children.
- A staging 'performance area' for Robins outdoor area.
- A bike/scooter shelter for Robins.

There may well be other smaller developments too. Keep an eye out as you drive past in the summer. It should be exciting for the children to see the changes on their return.

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