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Dear Parents / Carers

This week has simply flown by at school! The children have been working extremely hard and now deserve a week of rest and recuperation so they are prepared for the final term of this academic year!

### **Key Stage One SATs**

This week the children in Year Two have been working really hard completing their Key Stage One SATs. The children have approached the tests maturely and have all tried their best. Everyone at school is extremely proud of them!

### **Ecole Saint Valery En Caux**

On Monday we were visited by our friends from Ecole Saint Valery En Caux. The children arrived slightly weary from their journey but were soon excitedly joining in the activities the teachers had planned. Children from both schools had lots of fun and really enjoyed practising the conversational language they have been learning in class. The afternoon culminated with the sharing of treats and ice lollipops on the Recreation Ground.

### **Community Gardening Day**

Today the children have spent the day gardening and tidying up our school environment. We have been sprucing up the area around the Bug Hotel, tidying and planting in the Reception outside area and planting and weeding the Individual Class Gardens. I would like to thank parents who volunteered their time or donated gardening materials to support us with this event.

### **Safety In Action**

On Tuesday the children in Year Six spent the day at Newhaven Fort participating in Safety In Action. This is an annual event organised by Lewes District Council and Sussex Police. The event involves children experiencing a number of scenarios at action stations, which have been designed to educate them about personal safety and the correct responses should they be faced with a similar, real life situation. These scenarios are very realistic, but are carried out in a safe and controlled manner, designed to be interactive and fun.

## **Important Diary Dates For Term 6**

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – INSET DAY ( No Children)**

**4.6.14 – 6.6.14 – Yr 6 at PGL**

**9.6.14 – 3.30pm KS2 Parents Sex and Relationships Meeting, Yr 6 Bikability Group 1**

**12.6.14 – Hedgehogs Break Out Of Barcombe Primary School**

**13.6.14 – Class Photos**

**17.6.14 – Priory Transition Day, New Reception Parents Meeting**

**18.6.14 - Yr 6 Leavers Service at Crowborough**

**19.6.14 – Yr 6 Junior Sports Day at Chailey School**

**24.6.14 – 2.30 – 3pm New Reception Children Story time**

**26.6.14 – Fox Class Assembly 9am, Rounders Tournament at Barcombe Primary School**

**30.6.14 – Yr 6 Bikability Grp. 2**

**1.7.14 - 2.30 – 3pm New Reception Children Story time**

**3.7.14 – Badgers Class Assembly**

**4.7.14 – Foxes Class Break Out Of Barcombe Primary School**

**7.7.14 – Chailey School Induction morning (Yr 6)**

**8.7.14 – Ringmer School Induction morning (Yr 6), 1.30-2.30 New Reception Taster Session**

**9.7.14 - 1.30-2.30 New Reception Taster Session, Chailey Secondary School New Parents Meeting (7pm)**

**10.7.14 – Squirrels Class Assembly 9am, 1.30-2.30 New Reception Taster Session**

**11.7.14 – PATINA Moving On Parade Yr 6**

**15.7.14 – SPORTS DAY**

**17.7.14 – Hedgehogs Class Assembly 9am, Connect To The Countryside at Ardingly Showground – Yr 5 and 6**

**18.7.14 – Owls Break Out Of Barcombe Primary School**

**21.7.14 – Transition Day – Meet New Teachers**

**22.7.14 – Yr 6 Leavers Assembly, Last Day of Term 6**

I would like to wish you all a relaxing and peaceful half term holiday and look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 3rd June.

Best Wishes

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