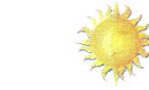


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CATFIELD SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – 18th April 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to all our families for the summer term - I hope the foul weather didn't dampen your spirits too much over the Easter holidays! As I write this I am listening to the children practice for the 'Big Sing' in May and they are sounding fabulous already! The summer term is always a very busy one and we have lots of lovely things planned for the children in addition to the not so lovely things such as all the statutory assessments we have to carry out! The Year 6's have really hit the ground running and we have quickly got into the swing of SATs preparation - they are really working their little socks off!

Lions and Tigers already have their first trip planned to Sheringham Park with Hickling next Tuesday. I hope the sun shines for them.

A bit of staffing news for you is that Mrs Twigg is not coming back to school following the Easter break. She has been with the school for a number of years and we wish her all the best in her new adventures. Miss Blake, who worked with us two years ago and then transferred to Sutton has re-joined us to support Year 5/6. She is going to be doing her teacher training in September so it is great preparation for her to get more experience with the KS2 curriculum.

A quick nag..... Please could I ask you all to ensure that consent forms etc. are returned to the office promptly - Mrs Amos is spending a lot of time phoning parents when these are late and also time and expense reprinting forms off if they are lost. This does all add up and we would far rather spend this money on your children rather than repeated administration.

Finally, our value for this half term in 'Peace' - how very appropriate considering some of the events going on in our world at the moment.

Ms Nutbeam

Reminders:

- **Reception/Year 1 + 2 Trip to Sheringham – All contributions/consent forms must be completed and returned NO later than Thursday 19th April. On the 2nd page lunch preference must be completed.**
- **Year 6 'On Road Cycling' – Permission slips to be returned to the office by Friday 20th April to confirm your child would like to participate.**
- **Monday 23rd April St Georges Day – As per text children are invited to come dressed in red and/or white or as princesses, knights, dragons to celebrate**

SCHOOL PRODUCTION – Please note that the performance times have changed from the previous Newsletter. Due to transition dates being announced for Flegg High we have now changed the performances, Wednesday 11th July is now in the Evening and Thursday 12th July will be in the afternoon. Sorry for any inconvenience that this has caused.

Reception Class outing on Big Sing day – Thursday 3rd May

We will be going across to Sutton for the day to take part in shared learning with their reception class. The children will travel in staff/parent cars, this trip is covered by the generic parental consent form signed at the beginning of the year. If your child requires a packed lunch ordered from school, this must be ordered with the school office no later than 9am Wednesday 2nd May.

