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Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear Parents,

The children have made a great start to Term 6 and over the next 6 weeks we will be completing important curriculum content before commencing our final assessments of the children's learning, progress and attainment for this academic year. Please can I stress the importance of attending school every day: holidays must not be taken during term time and appointments should be made for out of school time wherever possible. There have been many disruptions to learning this year as a result of the pandemic and to ensure all our children are in the very best starting point for their transition to their next year group, they need to access the full curriculum content.

#### **Fundraising:**

A MASSIVE thank you to everyone that gave so generously to our JustGiving page for Clever Touch Screens. We raised an amazing **£4,030** with **183 sponsors** which means that we can purchase screens for our ICT suite, Reception and Year 1 classrooms. These boards will be installed this term and will make such a difference to the children's learning.

#### **Online support for parents: LOOT BOXES and SKIN BETTING**

Please find attached a National Online Safety poster; LOOT BOXES and SKIN BETTING. We recognise the challenges of ensuring that your child is safe online and each week we will provide information to support you as a parent. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you need any advice or support regarding the online safety of your child.

#### **Reminders:**

- **Mereworth's Got Talent:** Children will need to bring in a memory (USB) stick with their recorded audition performance on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> June**. Please remember that we are currently still unable to access any emails that you may have already sent to the school.
- **Parent volunteers:** We are continuing our outside redecoration programme in June and also working on areas of the school grounds including the pond. If you would like to volunteer, please let the office staff know. Thank you.
- **Kent Test September 2021 registration for Year 5 parents is open until 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021.**

#### **Key dates for Term 6:**

<b>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June</b>		<b>First day of Term 6</b>
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5/6	Online safety training from KCC Officer
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Year 5 parents</b>	Kent Test Meeting
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6	Transition workshop
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6	Transition workshop
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	<b>Years R-6 parents</b>	Mereworth's Got Talent - FINAL
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Years R-6 parents</b>	Sports Day with grab bag picnic lunch
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Years R-6	Summer music concert – 5.00pm at school
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Years R-6	Reserve Sports Day in case of bad weather on 7 <sup>th</sup> July
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6	Residential trip to Carrot Wood
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Years R-6	End of Year academic reports go home to parents
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Years R-6 parents</b>	Optional parent consultations 3.30pm-6.00pm at school
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Years R-6	Special Lunch – Summer street party
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Year 6 parents</b>	Year 6 production – 7.00pm at school
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July</b>		<b>Last day of Term 6</b>

*\*Please note: More details on all Term 6 events will be confirmed nearer the time, once we have an update from the government as to when we can welcome parents back into school and or allow class bubbles to mix. All class trip dates to be added.*

Have a lovely weekend. Miss Lavelle, Head Teacher