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Friday 18 June 2021

Dear Parents

Mrs Price is now on maternity leave and we look forward to receiving her happy news within a couple of weeks. We will keep you informed! Thank you for your generous contributions towards a present for her and her baby.



Father Roger did a lovely assembly. It has been over a year since he visited the school and many children did not know him, or his guitar!



Following the Government's announcement on not lifting Covid restrictions until 19 July, the Department for Education has advised **schools to continue the current system of controls.**

Although groups of up to 30 (the legal gathering limit) and multiple groups of 30 are permitted for outdoor events such as sports days, our field does not have the capacity to open our Sports Day to all our parents ensuring safe social distancing. We have therefore sadly decided that we are **unable to open Sports Day to parents.** I know that you will be understanding of our decision to follow government guidance and keep our school community safe. **We will continue with Sports Day for the children.**

We are hopeful that Covid restrictions will be lifted on 19 July, in which case we may be able to have an open event on the last day of term, 23 July. Fingers crossed!

DASP are considering how to run **Transfer Day (1 July)** for children in their transition years. I will let you know when a decision has been reached.

Yours sincerely,

Jyotsna Chaffey



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Celebration Awards for this week...

Well done to our superstar award winners this week:



Caterpillar - Abi

Butterfly Class - Grace and Connor

Kingfisher Class - Emily and Alicia

Lunchtime - Mabli and Eloise

PE - Mr Crowe: Harrison R and Gabriel

DASP Citizen - Alexa



Remember: we are registered with easyfundraising. Given that more shopping is happening online, each of your online purchases could help raise money for the school. Please go to the [easyfundraising website](#) for more information. Thank you!

Safeguarding Support

**If you ever have a concern about a child, please contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead
Mrs Chaffey**

**In the absence of Mrs Chaffey please speak to our deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads:
Mrs Collett or Mrs Mowlam**



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Dates for the diary... Summer Term 2021

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Details</i>
Tuesday 22 June	Years 3 and 4 to Dorchester Museum	
Thursday 1 July	DASP Transfer Day	
Friday 2 July	Annual reports to parents	
Wednesday 7 July	Butterfly Class to Weymouth Beach	
Friday 9 July	Sports Day	
Thursday 15 July	Butterfly Class to Alpaca Farm	
Wednesday 14 to Friday 16 July	Year 4 to Hooke Court (residential)	
Tuesday 20 July	Arts Day	
Thursday 22 July	Whole school trip to Thorncombe Woods	
Friday 23 July	Leavers' event (Covid restrictions permitting)	1.30: Year 4 families 2.30: all families



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2020-21 Term Dates

SUMMER TERM 2021

Monday 19 April - Children return for Summer Term 2021

(Monday 3 May - May Bank Holiday 2021)

SUMMER HALF TERM - Monday 31 May - Friday 4 June 2021

Monday 7 June - start of second half of Summer Term

Friday 23 July - Last day of Summer Term

SUMMER HOLIDAYS



Newsletters and Information - Please remember that key information and copies of letters are on the school website: www.cheselbourne.dorset.sch.uk