Dear Parents/Carers

The end of the school year is fast approaching and everyone is working very hard preparing for this. Work has started in preparation for the next academic year. The rehearsals for the Year 6 end of year production are underway and it is looking very promising.

We had two very successful meetings with parents of children who will be joining our Nursery and Reception classes in September. We look forward to giving our new parents and pupils a warm welcome to our school in September.

**Transition Day**
On Thursday the 12th July 2018 we will be hosting our Transition Day. Traditionally this is also the day Year 6 visit their secondary school. On Transition Day we will welcome any new teachers to the school who will be joining us in September. The pupils will meet their Class Teacher for September 2018. This will facilitate a smooth transition for all pupils to their next classes. For some pupils with additional needs and anxiety we will also be including separate more in depth transition.

**Sports Day**
Sports Day will take place next week, depending on the weather of course. We have been very lucky with the sunny weather recently so we are looking forward to welcoming everyone.

We would like to welcome you to join us in celebrating the skills that the children have learnt over the year in their PE lessons. This year the children will be competing in their classes and will be collecting points for their individual house teams, which will then be added up at the end to create an overall house winner. You are therefore able to follow your child’s class around to their different activities. All children in Year 4, 5 and 6 as well as Pine class (Year 3) will be doing their Sports Day events on Thursday 28th June at approximately 9:15am – 12:30pm. The children in Year 1, 2 and 3 (excluding Pine class) will then do their events in the afternoon at 1:00pm – 3.00pm. On Friday 29th June, all children in Reception and Nursery will then do their events at 9:30am – 11:30am.

Please could you ensure that your child has their full PE kit in school on their Sports Day, they will need to have trainers, PE shorts and their coloured house t-shirt. The house coloured t-shirts are as follows:

- Vicarage – Yellow
- Cassio – Red
- Ebury – Blue
- Brightwell – Green
**Hertfordshire Music Service**

We are working more closely with Hertfordshire Music Service and they currently provide cornet, ukulele and drumming lessons for pupils in the school. Initially there were a few hiccups but we hope to continue this partnership into next year and provide pupils with even more musical instrument provision.

**Trips**

We are progressing well with our end of year trips. I would like to extend a huge thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to assist us on our trips. Giving pupils these extra opportunities would not be possible without your help.

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**Concerts!**

Please join us for our forthcoming concerts.

**Wednesday 4th 2018** - Singing celebrations: Reception to Year 6 children will be showing off some of their musical learning with their class and sharing some key musical skills that they have learnt.

**Tuesday 10th July 2018** - 'No place like', this Year 6 vocal concert displays a variety of part singing and harmonised melodies. Truly unmissable!

**Wednesday 11th July 2018** - Whole school music concert: There will be a variety of singing from different genres, solos, duets, instruments. Don't miss out on a stunning set of performances from all our children.

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**Year 4 Drumming Show – Tuesday 3rd July 2018**

We would like to invite you to join us at the Year 4 drumming show. They will perform at 2:00pm – 2:30pm in the Olympic Hall

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**Challenge Cup**

On Tuesday 19th June 2018 4 Year 5 pupils represented the school in the Challenge Cup at Chater Junior School. It was an RE task which involved team work and a creative presentation at the end. The children watched a video about the Good Samaritan. They had to discuss the message of the story, think of a golden rule and find a way to present it to the other schools attending. Our children created an A3 poster about the Good Samaritan, wrote a poem on it and used quotes from the Bible. The children all represented the school with enthusiasm, determination and resilience.

*Well done Leandro, Subhaan, Joree and Miriam.*

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**Cake Sale!**

On Wednesday 27th June, Year 6 will be conducting a Cake Sale on the playground as they need to earn money for the Year 6 play, it will commence just after school. Alongside cakes, there may be pastries you might like to eat, so come on and buy our cakes and drinks! Shagithithi – Head Girl and Yumna.
School Dinners
The price of school dinners for Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 will be £2.20 per day from 4\textsuperscript{th} September 2018.

**Winners of The Golden Ticket for Friday 15\textsuperscript{th} June 2018**

Congratulations to the winners of the Golden Tickets!

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**Parent Information Sessions – Summer Term**

Pop in and join us for a coffee and discussion about the topic of focus for the week. No need to book.

Where: Holywell conference room
When: Tuesday 9:00am
Who: Sam Ward and members from Holywell Primary School

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Holywell Charter and Star Certificates!
Congratulations go to:

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Class Assembly
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### Attendance

Whole school Attendance up to Friday last week for this academic year is 93.8%

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Whole school Attendance and Punctuality, best classes are:

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### Dates for your Diary

**JUNE 2018**

Monday 25th June – Assembly NED – Never give up, Encourage others,
Do your best – 2:15pm
Tuesday 26th June – Year 3 Watford Museum
Tuesday 26th June – Year 6 – Magistrate visit
Tuesday 27th June – Year 2 Challenge Cup at Grove Academy – Geography
Thursday 28th June – Provisional Sports Day
Thursday 28th June – Year 3 Pine swimming
Friday 29th June – Year 6 Birch – Sailing Lesson - Rickmansworth Aquadrome
Friday 29th June – Provisional EYFS Sports Day

**JULY 2018**

Tuesday 3rd July – Year 5 Athletics at Watford Boys School
Tuesday 3rd July – Year 4 – Drumming show
Wednesday 4th July – Singing Celebration:
  - 9:30am to 10:15am Reception – Red and Blue, Year 1 Maple, Sycamore and Oak
  - 11:15am to 12:15pm Year 6 – Birch, Year 5 - Elder and Chestnut, Year 3 - Pine and Aspen Year 2 - Willow
  - 1:30pm to 2:30pm Year 6 – Elm, Year 5 - Ash, Year 4 Mulberry and Rowan, Year 3 – Beech, Year 2 Hazel
Wednesday 4th July – Year 4 Phasels Wood
Wednesday 4th July – Year 6 Challenge Cup at Central School
Thursday 5th July – Teddy Toddle – Watford Mencap – Nursery and Reception
Thursday 5th July – Year 4 Mulberry and Rowan Phasels Wood
Thursday 5th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 5th July – Reserve Sports Day
Friday 6th July – Reserve EYFS Sports Day
Tuesday 10th July – Year 2 Chiltern Open Air Museum
Tuesday 10th July – Year 6 concert
Wednesday 11th July – Summer Concert 3:30pm
Thursday 12th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 12th July – Transition Day – Year 6 out at their new schools
Friday 13th July – Year 6 End of Year Prom
Monday 16th July to Friday 20th July – No after-school clubs
Tuesday 17th July – Year 6 Performance – Dress rehearsal to KS1
Dates for your Diary - continued

JULY 2018 continued...

Tuesday 17th July – Parents Evening 3:30pm to 6:00pm
Wednesday 18th July – Year 6 Performance – Dress rehearsal to KS2
Thursday 19th July – International/Community Day
Thursday 19th July – Year 3 Pine swimming
Thursday 19th July – Year 6 Performance to Parents at 6:30pm
Monday 23rd July – Nursery Assembly to parents (provisional)
Monday 23rd July – Year 6 Performance to Parents at 2:00pm
Monday 23rd July – Year 6 Leavers Afternoon – 3:30pm to 4:30pm
Monday 23rd July – Award Assembly at 9:10am – Attendance, Spirit to Succeed medals, Sport, Spanish, Art
Tuesday 24th July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9:10am
Tuesday 24th July – Nursery finishes at midday – no afternoon session
Tuesday 24th July – last day of term (school finishes at 1:30pm)
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