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Wednesday 14th February

Dear Parents,

Miss Forbes

Miss Forbes, who works with the reception class, is expecting a baby and will be going on maternity leave from 30th May (summer half term) and I would like to reassure parents that we will be advertising for a suitable replacement to cover her role in school while she is off.

May I also remind parents that certain illnesses are potentially hazardous for expectant mothers and their unborn child such as rubella, measles, chicken pox and slapped cheek disease and if you suspect that your child has one of these please adhere to guidelines for infectious diseases in schools. If in doubt please contact the school office.

Rose Queen 2018

We are planning to reorganise the Rose Queen and King so that in the future they will be chosen from Year 5. This is so that the Rose Queen and King will be still at school during their final year at Bosley.

Therefore for this year only we will need to have a Year 5 and Year 6 Rose Queen. We will select a Year 5 Rose King as no boys in our current Year 6 wish to take on this role.

Sylvia will draw the names, out of a hat, for the Year 5 and 6 Rose Queens and King after half term.

PTA dates for your diary

2nd March - Movie night 4:30pm

18th May - Beetle Drive 3:30pm

23rd March - Easter Bingo 4:30pm

19th July - Leavers Disco 6 - 7:30pm

40Acts

Starting this Wednesday, 14th February - the first day of Lent - we are taking part in the popular **40Acts** Lent project for the fourth year at Bosley school.

Each day, the children will take on a different generosity challenge: 'giving out' instead of giving something up. There is also a family challenge wallchart attached for them to do at home if they would like to.

The project is run nationally by UK Christian charity *Stewardship*. (40acts.org.uk)



Drop Off

Some parents are continuing to park in the restricted area at the front of the school to drop off/pick up their children. This is very dangerous they need to stop doing this before there is a serious accident.

Drinks in school

Research has shown that maintaining a healthy amount of fluid in the body is essential for learning. Therefore I would encourage parents to send a labelled drink bottle into school, containing water, which can be topped up throughout the day at the school water fountain.

School Website

Please do keep an eye on our website. As well as providing lots of useful information and links to helpful resources, we regularly update our galleries and blogs with all the exciting things we have been doing in school. Right now you can see photos of our incredible school plays, our recent carol service and science work from both classes.

Our website address is: <http://bosleyschool.co.uk/>

Fixed Penalty Notices for Unauthorised Holidays

As from 1st September 2017 any requests made for a holiday to be taken in the academic year 2017-18 or thereafter which is not considered by the head teacher to be exceptional in circumstances, will be recorded as unauthorised, and a Fixed Penalty Notice will be issued by the Local Authority.

I hope this clarifies the situation but if you have any questions or queries please contact the head teacher.

Diary so far...

Friday 16 th February	School closes for half-term
Monday 26 th February	School re-opens
Tuesday 27 th February	Bosley Book Day
Wednesday 28 th February	Parents evening
Thursday 1 st March	Parents evening
Tuesday 26 th March	School photographs
Wednesday 28 th March	Easter Service at Wincle
Thursday 29 th March	School closes for the Easter holidays
Monday 16 th April	School re-opens for the Summer Term
Monday 14 th May	KS2 SATs week begins
Monday 21 st May	'I Sing Pop' week begins
Thursday 21 st May	'I Sing Pop' evening performance – times to follow soon
Saturday 16 th June	Rose Queen and Fell Race
Sunday 17 th June	Rose Queen Church Service
Thursday 5 th July	Astbury Leavers Service Y6 pupils only
Friday 20 th July	School closes for the summer holidays

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Barard

