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Dear Parents,

This has been such a short (but busy) half term and I cannot believe we will be entering the final term of the year when we come back. The children have engaged so brilliantly with their learning experiences based around Cary in Bloom, undertaking both science and art work. We are looking forward to sharing their work with the judges of the competition in July and also displaying the work in the Cary in Bloom art exhibition in the Market House in July. We will be making scarecrows after half term and beginning to get our new raised beds planted out. Please let us have any plants you have been growing for us during the first week back. We will also be starting our "Little Sprouts" lunchtime gardening club then too supported by volunteers from the community.

Breakfast Club

We will continue to run our FREE breakfast club after half term from 8:30 - 9:00am. Places must be booked in advance. We will also be running our paid for Breakfast club from 8:00am - again places must be booked in advance.

Clubs

Clubs will continue for another 5 weeks after half term. Please can I remind you that if your child no longer wants to attend a club to let us know as we have a waiting list for some clubs.

YTFC

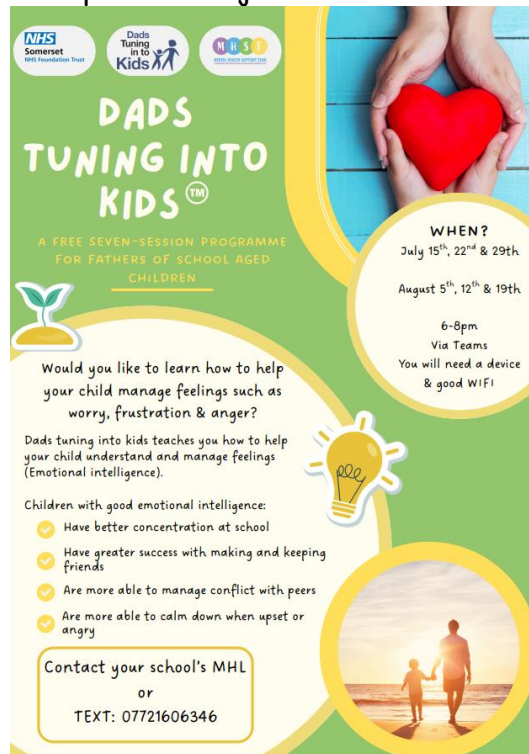
Well done to the girls who have been attending YTFC sessions for the last 4 weeks. I know they have had a great time and it was an absolute shame that it rained on their final session after all the lovely weather that we have been having. Thank you to all the parents who helped out with transport over the 4 sessions.



Tuning into Kids - just for Dads

As you are aware we work closely with the MHST (Mental Health Support Team) and regularly run Tuning into Kids sessions in school. We are aware that many people work during the school day, so the MHST are putting on a TINK course just for Dads. This will be run over TEAMS and in the evenings to enable as many of you as possible to engage with it. The sessions are based around understanding how to help your child

understand and manage their feelings (emotional intelligence and emotion coaching). We know the impact these sessions have had on so many families and would really encourage as many of you as possible to join them.



Key dates for your diary

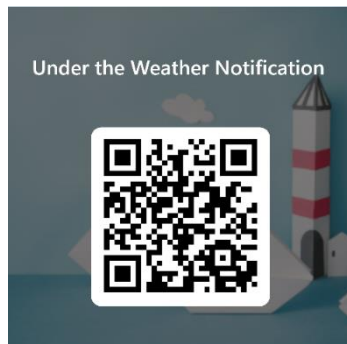
2.6.25 School opens
 2.6.25 Class and leavers photos
 3.6.25 PTFA Meeting 7:30pm at The George
 4.6.25 Memory Café
 9.6.25 PTFA Colour Run
 12.6.25 New Parents meeting (September 2025 intake)
 18.6.25 5/6 Cricket at Ansford
 18.6.25 Stay and Play session
 20.6.25 South Cary House
 23.6.25 Highfield House
 25.6.25 5/6 Rounders at Ansford
 26.6.25 INSET
 27.6.25 INSET
 30.6.25 Musical Theatre ACE performance
 1.7.25 Year 1 Athletics at Ansford
 1.7.25 Reports sent home
 2.7.25 Transition morning
 2.7.25 Stay and Play
 2.7.25 Parents evening
 4.7.25 Sponsored walk
 9.7.25 Stay and Play
 10.7.25 Year 6 Sports Day at Ansford
 11.7.25 Bikeability
 14.7.25 Year 6 production
 16.7.25 Year 6 production
 15.7.25 ACE Olympics

15.7.25 Highfield House
16.7.25 Memory café
17.7.25 Cary's Got Talent
18.7.25 Bikeability
18.7.25 South Cary House
21.7.25 Sports Day
21.7.25 Leaver's Picnic
22.7.25 Leaver's Assembly
23.7.25 INSET



Starfish - Freddie May
Sea Otter - Edith Morrice
Turtle - Elsie Whitehead
Dolphin - Amelie South
Octopus - Casper Taylor
Swordfish - Ruby-Mae Watson
Jellyfish - Dylan King
Head teacher's award - Ethan Cook

Sarah Martin



Please remember to use this notification if your child is feeling under the weather when you bring them to school so we can keep an eye on them!