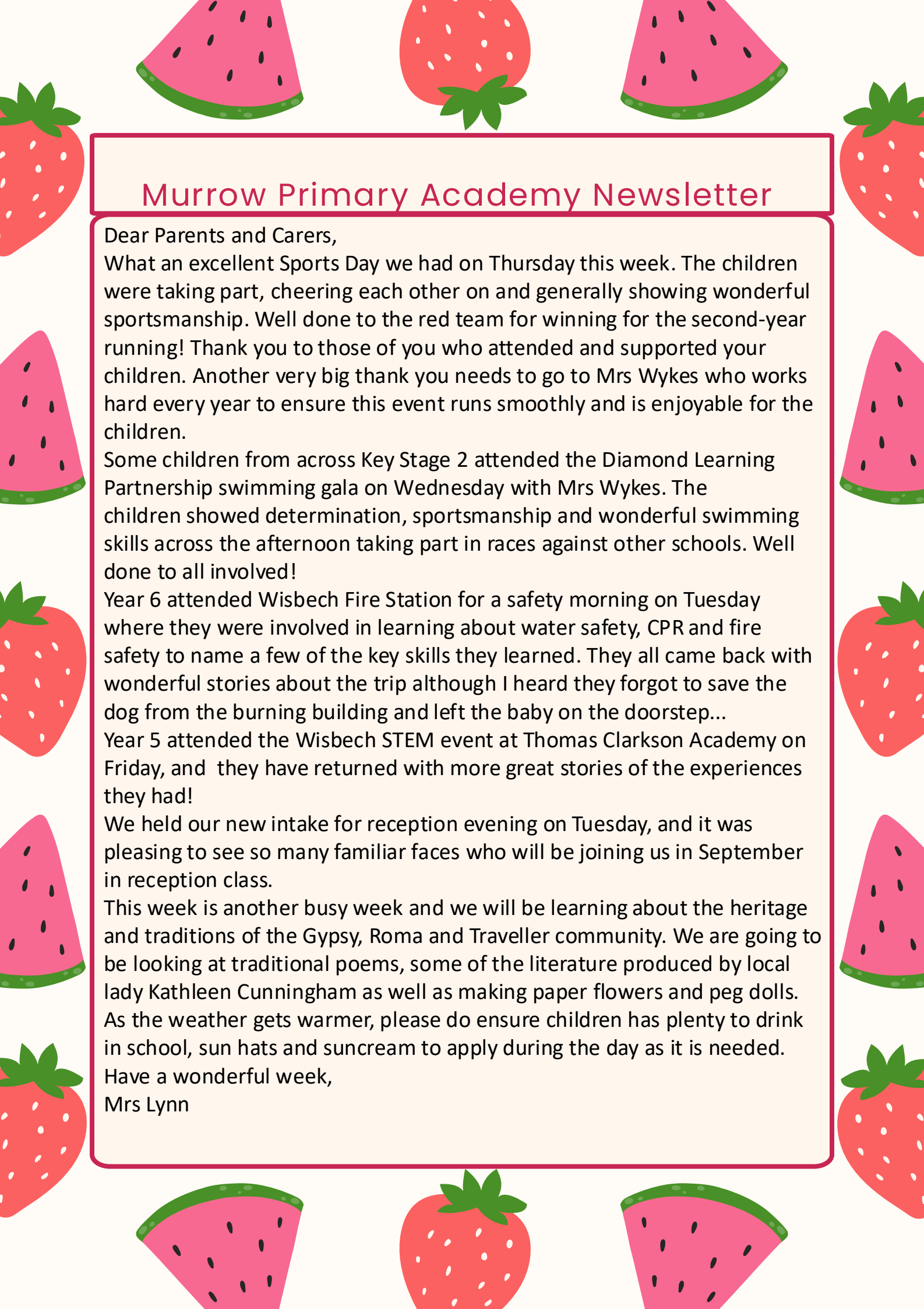




Murrow Primary Academy Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an excellent Sports Day we had on Thursday this week. The children were taking part, cheering each other on and generally showing wonderful sportsmanship. Well done to the red team for winning for the second-year running! Thank you to those of you who attended and supported your children. Another very big thank you needs to go to Mrs Wykes who works hard every year to ensure this event runs smoothly and is enjoyable for the children.

Some children from across Key Stage 2 attended the Diamond Learning Partnership swimming gala on Wednesday with Mrs Wykes. The children showed determination, sportsmanship and wonderful swimming skills across the afternoon taking part in races against other schools. Well done to all involved!

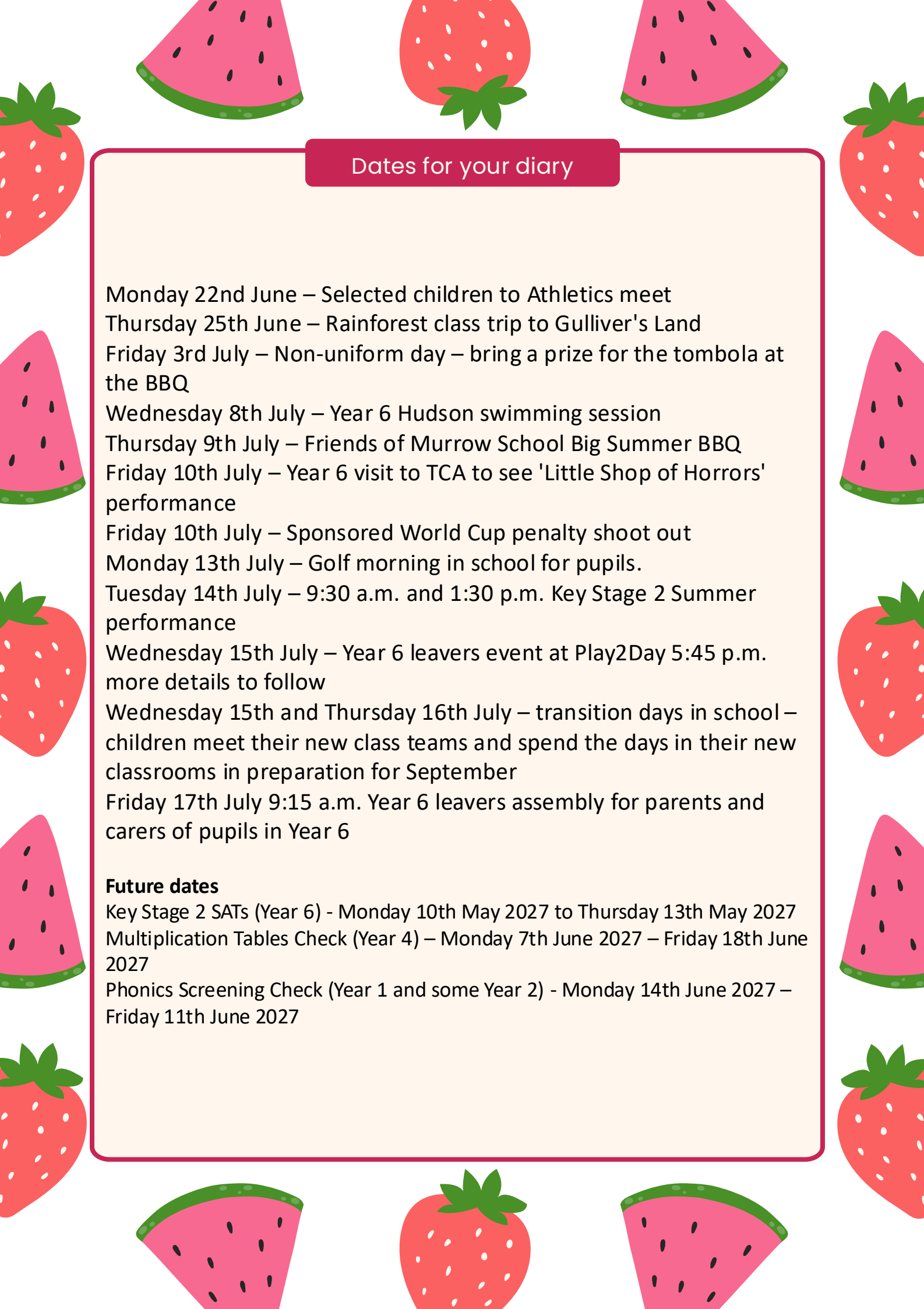
Year 6 attended Wisbech Fire Station for a safety morning on Tuesday where they were involved in learning about water safety, CPR and fire safety to name a few of the key skills they learned. They all came back with wonderful stories about the trip although I heard they forgot to save the dog from the burning building and left the baby on the doorstep...

Year 5 attended the Wisbech STEM event at Thomas Clarkson Academy on Friday, and they have returned with more great stories of the experiences they had!

We held our new intake for reception evening on Tuesday, and it was pleasing to see so many familiar faces who will be joining us in September in reception class.

This week is another busy week and we will be learning about the heritage and traditions of the Gypsy, Roma and Traveller community. We are going to be looking at traditional poems, some of the literature produced by local lady Kathleen Cunningham as well as making paper flowers and peg dolls. As the weather gets warmer, please do ensure children has plenty to drink in school, sun hats and suncream to apply during the day as it is needed.

Have a wonderful week,
Mrs Lynn



Dates for your diary

Monday 22nd June – Selected children to Athletics meet

Thursday 25th June – Rainforest class trip to Gulliver's Land

Friday 3rd July – Non-uniform day – bring a prize for the tombola at the BBQ

Wednesday 8th July – Year 6 Hudson swimming session

Thursday 9th July – Friends of Murrow School Big Summer BBQ

Friday 10th July – Year 6 visit to TCA to see 'Little Shop of Horrors' performance

Friday 10th July – Sponsored World Cup penalty shoot out

Monday 13th July – Golf morning in school for pupils.

Tuesday 14th July – 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Key Stage 2 Summer performance

Wednesday 15th July – Year 6 leavers event at Play2Day 5:45 p.m. more details to follow

Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th July – transition days in school – children meet their new class teams and spend the days in their new classrooms in preparation for September

Friday 17th July 9:15 a.m. Year 6 leavers assembly for parents and carers of pupils in Year 6

Future dates

Key Stage 2 SATs (Year 6) - Monday 10th May 2027 to Thursday 13th May 2027

Multiplication Tables Check (Year 4) – Monday 7th June 2027 – Friday 18th June 2027

Phonics Screening Check (Year 1 and some Year 2) - Monday 14th June 2027 – Friday 11th June 2027



Saturday 27th June 2026

ARMED FORCES DAY

Murrow Street Pride is proud to host a
Village Fete in the grounds of **The Bell Inn**
from 12 noon until 4pm with an

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

at 3.45pm at Murrow War Memorial

followed by the Raffle



Cash Events

Adult Tombola

Children's Tombola

Raffle

Royal British Legion

Merchandise

Drinks & Barbecue
available to buy from



THE BELL

ATTENDANCE

WITH EFFECT FROM 19 AUGUST 2024

WHAT THE NEW RULES MEAN FOR ME



Nottingham
City Council

I'm a single parent of one child and we want to go on holiday for a week.

Your holiday will not be authorised and you must talk to the school before you book anything.

Because your child will miss 5 school days you will be given a penalty notice fine.

The fine is £160 but if you pay it in 21 days it will be reduced to £80.

1

£160



FOR EVERY CHILD A PENALTY IS GIVEN

2



+£160



+£160



+£160



+£160

4 children & 1 parent = £640

Reduced to £320 if paid in 21 days

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IN

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If your child is absent for 10 or more sessions in 10 weeks and their absences are unauthorised, the school will consider prosecution.

1

DAY =

2

SESSIONS

FOR A FAMILY OF TWO PARENTS

4

**4 children & 2 parents
= £1280**

+£160



+£160



+£160



+£160



Reduced to £640
if paid in 21 days

If in any period of not more than 3 years, your child has a 2nd and 3rd leave of absence or pattern of irregular attendance...

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2ND TIME

2 parents and...

1 child - £320

2 children = £640

3 children = £960

4 children = £1280

**No discount for
early payment**

3RD TIME

A penalty notice fine will not be given.

Your case will be taken to court.

A magistrate can fine each parent
£2500 for each child.

1 parent & 4 children = £10,000

2 parents & 4 children = £20,000



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gov.uk/government/publications/working-together-to-improve-school-attendance