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Date: Friday, 21st July 2017

All classes start back in school on Tuesday 5th September.

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Remember to label all of your childrens school uniform ready for the new school year.

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For this years Dolphins that are moving up into Lions, please remember that if your child will be having a school dinner, these will now be chargeable at a cost of $\pounds 2.15$ per meal and are to be paid via parentpay.

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School dinners for the first half term in September are $\pounds73.10$. (34 meals x $\pounds2.15$). If your child has a meal plan, the amounts owing are as follows:

I meal per week - £15.05

2 meals per week - £30.10

3 meals per week - £45.15

4 meals per week - £60.20

If your child has a meal on a Monday, please remember to deduct £2.15 for our inset day on 4th September. When making payment please ensure your account for any debits and credits on your account.

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We will be holding our annual One Page Profile at 8:50am on 11th September. If any parents wish to attend please let the school office know.

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The community room will be undergoing a refurbishment for the first few weeks of the summer holidays. Access to the school field will still be allowed, but please be vigilant at all times as there will be contractors and their vehicles on site. As a reminder, anyone using the school grounds out of school hours do so at their own risk.

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We would like to say a huge thank you to Parents & Friends for all their hard work once again in organising the Summer Fair and making it another successful event. Thank you also to everyone who came along on Saturday, sponsored the event, and helped out - your support is very much appreciated. We are very pleased to announce the total amount raised at the Summer Fair is £1848.61! In addition to this Parents & Friends also raised £273.44 on Sports Day with the raffle and refreshments and Mrs Mason kindly sold off the remaining ice-creams raising another £67.00. This amount of fundraising really does make a difference and helps us purchase resources and equipment for all the children. Thank you!!

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Please see the holiday dates for next year on our website. It is important for children to be in school, please be mindful when booking holidays. Attendance should be above 95%, please be aware schools have a legal duty to write to parents outlining attendance concerns.

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Message from Breakfast Club: From September, Active Start from 8am will be increasing to £2. For those attending from 7:30, the price remains at £3.50.

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Safety over the holidays- we wish everyone a safe and restful holiday. The school grounds are a wonderful resource for the village, however we have had some damage over recent years. Things like goal posts broken, resource boxes damaged, Starfish resources damaged etc. If you come and use the grounds please make sure all children are supervised by a responsible adult.

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All the staff at Kirk Smeaton wish everyone a lovely summer break. Good luck to all children moving to their new schools, and we'll see you on the 5th September.

