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PARENTS' NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Carer



End of Year Reports

The teachers have been busy preparing reports for every child. Obviously, these reports will be a bit different this year with the majority of the content covering September to March. If your child is going to be in school in the next two weeks, either in a bubble or for a transition day, they will bring it home with them. Anyone who is not in school will have their report sent in the post by the end of term. Thank you.



Teaching Arrangements for Next Year

With this letter, you will receive another letter regarding your child's class for next year and arrangements for transition support in the next few weeks.



Transition Week (Years 2-5) – Week Commencing 13th July 2020

Also, you will receive another letter today, telling you the day that your child will be able to access some transition support in class. Please check the time and date carefully.

Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 Provision

The above provision (Reception and Years 1 & 6) will cease on Friday 10th July in order that children in Years 2 to 5 can receive their transition support, although, Key Worker provision will still be available for those eligible.

In order to ensure the safety of all, this provision will take place with social distancing in place.

2019-20 Year 6 Leavers and Whole School Transition Day – Monday 7th September 2020

We are still planning to have the Year 6 children back in school on Monday 7th September if the Government guidance, that we are awaiting, enables us to do so.

We have arranged a photographer to come and take Year 6 class photos, which you will be able to order online. We will also be holding our usual end of year awards presentation for children only.



If possible, we also hope that children in all other year groups will be able to come back on Monday 7th September in order to have a Transition Day with their class and their previous year's teacher. However, if the government says that we still need to maintain a 'Bubble' system and that staff cannot cross bubbles, then this may not be possible. Please bear with us whilst we receive the relevant guidance and then put plans in place.

NB School newsletters, school news and events calendar can be found on the website: www.swanlandschool.co.uk

Meet and Greet Meetings for Parents

Usually, in September, we hold Meet and Greet sessions with parents/carers in the first few weeks of term. Unfortunately, these will not be able to be held this year, but the teachers will share comprehensive information with you in the form of a booklet that you can read at your leisure.



Spring Walk 2020 – Monies to be Donated by Tomorrow Please

All money raised will go towards helping those in need during this challenging time and after the social distancing measures end and will be divided equally between our two chosen charities: The Trussell Trust and Dove House Hospice.

Once you have completed your challenge, as we currently cannot accept cash, Swanland School PTA has offered use of their Swanland School [PTA Events website](#), where any monies can be donated online. Please donate all monies raised by Friday 3rd July 2020. Thank you.



PTA Bag2School Collection – Wednesday 8th July 2020

The PTA has arranged for Bag2School to collect bags of your unwanted clothes/textiles etc on the morning of Wednesday 8th July 2020. If you have any items that you no longer need, please bring your bag(s) to our bag drop off area, which will be located inside the school staff car park, to the left just inside the 'In' barrier (cover will be provided if it is raining!). The barrier will be left up, but please do not drive through the car park to drop off your bag. Please observe social distancing and be alert as vehicles may enter the car park. Thank you.



ParentPay **ParentPay**

Would you please check your ParentPay accounts and arrange to pay any outstanding balances **by tomorrow**. If the balance is under £10, the option of cash to the School Office is available. Should this be difficult, particularly bearing in mind the current situation, please do contact the School Office to speak with either of us, in strictest confidence.

Flyers on the School Website

Community flyers added to the school website this week are listed below. Please follow the link:

<https://swanlandeducationtrust.co.uk/swanland-primary-school/parents/out-of-school-events>

- Beverley Puppet Festival – 2 months of free puppetry online – 18th May–12th July 2020 www.beverleypuppetfestival.com Competition deadline is 19th July. (under 'Out of School Activities' tab)
- Kip McGrath Summer School (under 'Education Opportunities' tab)
- Reading Swans (under 'Education Opportunities' tab)

Teo's Tennis – Summer Camps – A Message from Teo

We are still waiting to hear from the Government and the LTA regarding increasing the group numbers. This may become clearer after 4th of July where some indoor facilities may be opening. As things are changing on a daily basis & to plan & prepare ourselves, we are now taking provisional bookings (without payment) for 20th July to 4th Sept

Full details are on: <https://www.teotennis.com/school-holiday-camps>

Please text or email for bookings

Teo Arkut Mobile: 07890783807 Email: info@teotennis.com



Vacancy: Part-Time Catering Assistant – DEADLINE: TOMORROW – FRIDAY 3RD JULY 2020

We currently have a vacancy for a part-time Catering Assistant in the School Kitchen, working 13.75 hours per week (11.00 am to 1.45 pm Mon–Fri), as part of a team of six, preparing and serving school meals to our children.



Vacancy: Midday Supervisors – DEADLINE: FRIDAY 10TH JULY 2020

We currently have vacancies for two Midday Supervisors, starting September 2020. One Mon–Fri (5 days) and one Mon–Tues and Thurs–Fri (4 days). The successful applicants would be supervising the children during the lunch break (working from 11.55 am to 1.15 pm), on the playground, in the classroom (if it is wet!) or in the dining hall whilst the children are eating their dinners.

If you, or anyone you know, is/are interested in either of these vacancies, please see further details on our website at: <https://swanlandeducationtrust.co.uk/vacancies/swanland-primary-school>

Dates for your



Summer Term 2020 Diary

Wednesday 8th July – PTA Bag2School collection (9.00 am)

Friday 17th July – School Closes for Summer Holidays (3.30 pm)

Autumn Term 2020 Diary (→ [New Diary Item](#))

Monday 7th September – School Re–opens for Transition Day – possibly for all children TBC

Tuesday 8th September – School Officially Re–opens for Autumn Term 2020–2021 (8.50 am)

Thank you for your continued support, now and into the future.

Yours sincerely

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Executive Head Teacher

Hannah Stephenson
Head of School