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Dear Parents and Friends,

It's hard to know at the moment which day is which as we go through this very strange half term of four day weeks. The children seem to be coping with the disruption and are enjoying the days off far more than the staff! Amazingly just another couple of weeks and then we are looking at the last half term of the year, time really is flying along. Still lots going on as ever to keep us all busy.

Polite request about packed lunches

The new school dinner menus have been very popular so far and it has been great to see children trying new and different foods. For those children bringing a packed lunch into school I have a polite request to make about the contents. We have several children and staff in school with different allergies, although most of these are non-life threatening a couple of them are. The foods that cause these problems are eggs and nuts. As a result please can you ensure that any food brought into school does not include whole eggs or nuts. Eggs which are included in ingredients for cakes etc. are not a problem and we all know some foods, "may contain traces of nuts", this too is not an issue, as the people with allergies would not be eating these foods. However whole eggs and nuts can release particles into the atmosphere which are then breathed in causing problems for sufferers or a substantial piece may end up in someone else's food. I'm sure you all appreciate the potential seriousness of this and will do your best to help, thank you.

Rugby Stars



We sent a team of boys and girls to St Bees yesterday to take part in a rugby festival which they both enjoyed and did very well at. They were also congratulated on their team spirit and sportsmanship which makes me even more proud, well done team.

Maryport Maritime Museum

Class 2 as an introduction to our Coast and Oceans project visited the Maryport Maritime Museum last week. We had a tour of the docks comparing how they would have looked a 100 years ago with how they looked today and then after looking at all the artefacts in the museum we were lucky enough to be given a fascinating talk on the Titanic and the White Star Line by Cliff Ismay a relative of Thomas Henry Ismay the founder of the line. The children had a 1001 questions for him and still have more now so they have written to him both expressing their gratitude for coming to talk to us and asking him for even more information!!

SATs

The week after next is SATs week for the Year 6's. They have all been working hard and I know will do their very best. Please can you make sure all children are in school promptly so there is no disruption to the older children. We will be running our special (free) breakfast club for the Year 6's during the week.

Liverpool Residential

A kit list and parental consent form with medical information on it is coming home today for Class 2 children, please can you complete the form and return to school. A parent's information evening will take place on Monday May 20th from 3.30 to 4.30.

And to finish another polite request

Another quick request, can I ask parents to make sure they let Sarah know they have their children when collecting them from after school club please and not just whisk them out of the door, thank you.

I hope you all enjoy yet another long weekend and we'll see you on Tuesday next week.

Best wishes

D Moore