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BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 1 MAY

School will be closed on Monday 1 May, we are back on Tuesday 2 May.

FAREWELL

We bid farewell today to Mrs Bealin Kelly who has been a Learning Support Assistant for over 12 years. We thank her for the help and care she has given to our children over this time.

MASS OF CELEBRATION—TUESDAY 11 JULY 6.00PM

As you know Ms Keany will be retiring at the end of term after serving as our headteacher for 15 years. A Mass of celebration will be held at All Saints Parish Church in Hersham on 11 July at 6.00pm. Mass will be followed by refreshments in All Saints parish centre. All are welcome so please spread the word to families past and present.

NEW DIARY DATES

Tue 16 May Happyshoes Day (see overleaf)
Thu 18 May Coral Class assembly 9.00am
Wed 7 June Reception Sep 17 Intake New Parents' Evening 7.00pm
Fri 9 June BHF Jump Rope for Heart (details to follow)
Thu 22 June Topaz Class assembly 9.00am

RECEPTION AEROPLANE DAY—THURSDAY 4 MAY

Reception children may wear their own clothes for Aeroplane Day on 4 May. They need to bring in a small backpack, a sunhat and a teddy (all labelled, please).

TOP OF THE FORM QUIZ

Well done to our team who beat Cleves 58-47 on Wednesday to reach the semi finals (Gabriella, Louise T, Lucas B and Daniel D).

SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

The last day to collect these is next Tuesday 2 May. Last year we collected nearly 10,000 vouchers which helped us buy sports equipment.

BOXES OF TISSUES

Reception and Year 1 classes would be very grateful for donations of tissues for children to use at school. Thank you.

EFFORT AWARDS

Red	Iris R	Jacob N	Topaz	Rafferty R	Oliver G
Orange	Charlie C	Fabio G	Coral	Jack E	Ronak C
Green	Grace J	Ben B	Opal	Lara M	Daniel G
Yellow	Anna-Liis V	Isabel P	Emerald	Annabel B	Keira D
Violet	John O	Roisin G	Sapphire	Izzie G	Shayna L
Blue	Sean C	Beatriz A	Garnet	Leo B	Guiseppe G
Ruby	Marcel M	Nathan G	Amethyst	Emily G	Lukas S

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PARKING COMPLAINTS

Unfortunately we have had three further complaints about parking this week; two about the area around Kenilworth Drive and Lindley Road and one about Molesey Road. Parents are parking on corners and parking opposite cars in narrow roads thereby blocking access to emergency vehicles as well as in private garage areas. Residents have noticed that a number of these cars, whose drivers spend time looking for spaces, have permits for parking in the Hersham Station car park—this is hardly any further distance and always has spaces available at drop off and pick up times.

In Molesey Road a parent was parked across a neighbour's drive and although they moved to allow the resident into their drive they then moved back and blocked the drive again even though there were two free spaces nearby.

Please can we ask once again for parents not to do this and to park safely and with consideration for our neighbours and pedestrians, including our children, at all times.

Free parking permits for Hersham Station car park are available from the office—this car park is just a short walk to school, especially in the summer, and you can always find a space. Please consider using this option.

BAG2SCHOOL TEXTILE COLLECTION—FRIDAY 12 MAY

Bags for your textiles for recycling will be sent home with children today. Please bring them to school on 12 May by 9.00am (please contact Mrs Kelly if you cannot bring yours on Friday 12th at kerrypoulton@live.com to make alternative arrangements).

CRICKET LEAGUE

Our team played their first two matches in the Elmbridge Primary Schools Cricket League at Walton Cricket Club on Monday. You can follow their progress on our website. The next matches are on 15 May.

HAPPY SHOESDAY—TUESDAY 16 MAY

Living Streets is a charity which promotes everyday walking for people of all ages. May is National Walking Month and on 16 May Happy Shoesday encourages every child who can walk to school to do so. Children may wear their own shoes on this day and bring a voluntary 20p to 50p donation for Living Streets. Please see our website for more information about this charity and their work.

WHITELEY VILLAGE RACES

Please look on our website for information about the 2017 Annual Whiteley Village Races on Sunday 11 June in this their 100th Anniversary Year.

PA CIRCUS—FRIDAY 12 MAY

Tickets are still available, please find the form on our website. Doors open at 4.30pm when you can join us for BBQ stalls and a bouncy slide before the circus.