



Dear Families,

I hope you all had a restful half-term break. As we enter the last half-term of our first year, I find myself reflecting on what an incredible journey it has been. This first year at Wellington Place Primary School has been remarkable, and concluding it with our founding class is something we will always remember. Thank you for being part of this wonderful community as we prepare for a very busy and exciting few weeks ahead!

## Upcoming Events

### **Market Harborough Carnival - Saturday, 14th June**

We are thrilled to announce our participation in the Market Harborough carnival this year! The float theme will be Flower Power, and we are already brimming with excitement to bring this colourful vision to life. A thank you to all the parents who have emailed to offer their support with decorating the float, joining the parade, or getting the party started on Burnmill Road before the float departs. Later this week, I will send an email to the children who are attending with more information about the event.

### **Farndon Fields Sports Day - Wednesday, 18th June**

The next exciting event on the calendar is the Farndon Fields Sports Day, taking place on Wednesday, 18th June. Although we were kindly invited to join Kibworth's sports day as well, we decided to attend only Farndon Fields for logistical transport reasons. The Sports Day will start at 9:15 am, with families welcome to spectate. Please consider arranging car shares between families so that everyone can meet at Farndon Fields at 9:15 am. Street Parking is limited around the school.

If you wish to use Jetsetters Breakfast Club on the morning of the 18th, you can still do so, and we will transport the Jetsetter children to Farndon Fields. If this applies to you, please inform Jetsetters in advance.

The plan for the day is as follows: after the Sports Day finishes at 11:15 am, our Wellington children will stay at Farndon Fields to enjoy lunch with the Farndon Fields children. Following lunch, we will walk to Welland Park for some outdoor games in the sunshine and treat them to an ice cream. We kindly ask that you collect your child from Welland Park Tennis Courts at 3:15 pm. If you would like to utilise Jetsetters After School Club in the afternoon, you are welcome to do so, and we will arrange transport back to the school. We are looking forward to what promises to be a great day out for everyone!

### **Transition Day – Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> July**

The next significant date is Tuesday, 1st July. On this day, the children will have the opportunity to meet their new Year 1 teacher, Mrs. Loomes. She is looking forward to spending the day with the children and getting to know everyone. Although there will be an official 'Meet the Teacher' meeting in August, Mrs. Loomes will be present in the classroom on this day to greet families, offering an early chance to say hello.

Miss Connolly will also be working across Year 1 and Foundation next year and will join the children in the new Year 1 classroom on this day. Mrs. Loomes will collaborate closely with Miss Harland to ensure a smooth transition by understanding the children's foundation journey. Please share the attached 'Meet the Teacher' poster with your child. As the new Year 1 classroom takes shape, the children will spend time there to become accustomed to their new environment. The outdoor area will be accessible for both Year 1 and Foundation students next year, ensuring it remains a safe space for continuous provision. While the Year 1 curriculum will introduce new subject areas, our approach centred on curiosity and child interests will continue into Year 1.

### **Teddy Bear's Picnic Afternoon – Friday, 4th July**

Join us for our Teddy Bear's Picnic on Friday, 4th July at 1:30 pm on the school field. All family members are welcome. Please bring picnic blankets and deck chairs. We ask all children to bring their Wellington Bear with them (labelled!!) and with a ribbon to identify which ones is yours. We all know which Wellington bear belongs to Cassidy!

**The Summer term will conclude on Tuesday, 8th July** with a roller skate party. The school will be closed on Wednesday, 9th July. Therefore, the last school day for children will be Tuesday, 8th July. We anticipate an eventful few weeks ahead and hope for favourable weather to enjoy these memorable moments together.

Kind regards,

Mrs Cressida Knox



# MEET YOUR TEACHER

MRS LOOMES



MY FAVORITE THINGS



## Welcome

Hi there! My name is Mrs Loomes. I am so excited to be your Year 1 teacher next year and get to know you and your family.

## About me

I am a mummy to Henry who is 11 years old and I have a dog called Betty!

My favourite food is Italian pizza! I love to travel to new places with my family and in my spare time I love reading a new book in a quiet space. I can't wait for us to read together and learn the Wellington Way!