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Friday 17th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you have all had a lovely week and have been enjoying the sunshine. As we move into the summer, can I make a plea for **your** child to put on **some** sunscreen before they come to school and to **then** pop some in your child's book-bag so they can add it themselves across the day. If you have any sunscreen worries, then please let your child's teacher know so we can help.

SPORTS WEEK:

Our sporting enrichment week is fast approaching and I think we have most activities sorted. The children can wear sportswear/sporting clothes/PE kit for the week as they will be active and will get up to quite a bit of exercise each day. So our week is currently looking like:

Monday: Sports day!

The children will do activities in the morning, earning points for their 'houses' and working together to get as many house points as they can. We'd like to then invite you to come and have a picnic on the field (or the Hall if it is really rainy) from midday and the races will take place from 1.30pm. The winning trophy will be given out at the end of the day.

Tuesday: Walk around Woodchester Mansion and Park:

We will be going to Woodchester Park and going on a country walk, seeing the sights and building up our walking stamina. There will be a separate letter going out for this as we will be going on a coach and will need additional permission.

Wednesday: FOCS trip to Funky Warehouse, Cheltenham

This is one of the many amazing opportunities paid for by FOCS this year. There will be another separate letter as we will need permission again as we will be going on a coach. It's going to be a fantastic jumping-crazy day!

Thursday: inflatable obstacle course and Atlas Sports

We have hired an inflatable obstacle course for the children to play on which is going to be lots of fun. Atlas Sports will also be in to give us our PE session this week for the Robins.

Friday: Tennis lessons from a real life tennis coach!

We have a proper tennis coach booked in and the children will be learning from the best to get ready for Wimbledon!

The children will also be running a daily mile and I'm still waiting to hear from FGR on seeing if they can offer us some sporting excellence. I'm sure you can see that it's going to be an exhausting but exciting week!

FGR AMBASSADOR

Talking of FGR and all things sporty, I'd like us to have two FGR ambassadors this year to represent our school at matches and to get involved in your local League 1 side. You get a free season ticket and get a chance to be involved in the match day experience. If anyone would like to do this, please can you child write a letter saying why they think they'd make a good FGR ambassador. It's going to be an excellent season and it would be great to have some Coaley candidates along for the ride too.

About the FGR Ambassador Scheme:

<https://www.fgr.co.uk/the-fgr-ambassadors-scheme>

Video outlining the FGR Ambassador programme and success stories:

https://twitter.com/FGRFC_Official/status/1503406631425613825?s=20&t=YriN4_0h4xqyJUUC1ZE2EQ

COALEY-FEST

Coaley-Fest is fast approaching and I'm crossing lots of fingers for good weather. We still need as many volunteers as we can to make it work and so please sign up to do a small job to make a big difference. Also, if anyone has a clicker for counting people in and out, we'd also be eternally grateful.

We will also be holding a non-uniform day on **Friday 24th June** and are asking for pre-loved soft toys and cakes for two stalls that will be a part of the Coaley-Fest experience. Please support FOCS by bringing in any pre-loved toys (with permission from their young carers of course!) and cakes on the Friday morning.

Yours

Richard Lucas
Executive Headteacher

Year 6 leavers Service – Tuesday 14th June





Midday Supervisor Vacancy

Are you enthusiastic about school lunchtimes and able to support children in eating and playing?

We are looking for a committed person to cover the maternity leave of a permanent member of staff.

The hours will be every day from 12noon to 1.20pm.

The start date for employment will be Monday 5th September 2022 and continue for the duration of the maternity leave.

If you are interested, please ask Sarah Edwards in the school office for further information and an application form.

School Photos

Have you ordered your school photos yet?

A polite reminder that the closing date for **free delivery** back to school is **Monday 20th June 2022**. Please order your class phones through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit www.tempest-orders.co.uk

The order envelopes for the Year 6 photos need to be in school by the end of today to enable us to return the orders to Tempest by 20th June.

If you need any assistance in ordering your photos, please contact Tempest on 01736 751555 (option 3).

Family support over the 2022 summer holidays from the Children and Families Hub

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Over the summer holidays, the Children and Families Hub has several different schemes in place to support families.

The Holiday Free School Meal Voucher Scheme

Once again, the Holiday FSM voucher scheme will be returning for the summer holidays. Like last year, the scheme will be covering 2 of the 6 weeks of the holidays. Parents will receive £30 per child (£15 per week, per child) from reception to year 11, that receives benefits related free school meals.

Key dates:

Applications will open on the 28 June and close at midday on the 12 July. A separate communication will be released to schools to announce this on the 28 July as a reminder.

Vouchers will be released between the 13 and 14 July.

For more information, visit our website at www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/holiday-school-meal-vouchers/

If you have any queries, please get in touch at childrensfund@gloucestershire.gov.uk

The Holiday Activity and Food Programme (HAF and HAP)

The HAF programme will be returning from 1 to 27 August covering 4 weeks of the summer holidays to provide families with enriching activities and nutritious food for families who receive benefits -related free school meals.

Our extended Holiday Activities Programme (HAP) offer will also be returning so that all families in Gloucestershire will have the chance to participate in the holiday fun.

More information will be released from 20 June.

To stay up to date on news, families can subscribe to our HAF newsletter by clicking the link below:

https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKGLOUCESTERSHIRE/subscriber/new?topic_id=UKGLOUCESTERSHIRE_287

For more information, visit our website at www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/haf

Holiday Food Boxes

Holiday Food boxes will be available across Gloucestershire for the month of August. More information on when these will be available to book will be released from 20 June.

Eligibility for the Holiday Food Boxes requires your children to receive benefits-related free school meals.

The Families in Partnership newsletter includes information and articles from teams within Education, Health, Care and the voluntary sector with updates that are relevant to specific times during the academic year.

[Families in Partnership newsletter - June 2022 - Gloucestershire County Council](#)

To subscribe to receive Families In Partnership newsletter via GovDelivery, please [sign-up](#).

Proud Cloud Certificates:

Robins: Jack and Alfie

Starlings: Stephie

Owls: Bella

Values Certificates:

Robins: Eloise

Starlings: Leo

Owls: William

Growth Mindset Certificates:

Robins: Abigail for understanding and using arrays for multiplication

Starlings: Lucas for beginning to realise the importance of handwriting

Owls: Lewis for hard work in maths this week

June Dates

Tuesday 14th June – Year 6 Leavers' service at Gloucester Cathedral

Tuesday 21st June – Y4 & Y5 Marling Open Evening (visits must be pre-booked)

Friday 24th June – Non Uniform day in exchange for cakes and pre-loved toys for sale.

Saturday 25th June – 3 to 10pm CoaleyFest

27th to 29th June – Owls' residential to Kilve Court

Wednesday 29th June – Robins' swimming session

1.30 to 2.30pm New reception Stay & Play session

July Dates

Friday 1st July – Y5 Rednock Open morning

Wednesday 6th July – Owls' final swimming session

1.30 to 2.30pm New reception Stay & Play session

Monday 11th July – Sports Day

Tuesday 12th July – Whole school trip

Wednesday 13th July – Whole School Trip

Thursday 14th July – Inflatable fun

18th to 20th July – Year 6 Bikeability

Thursday 21st July – Final day of the academic year

September Dates

Wednesday 2nd September – Start of new academic year

Please note - Dates and times are subject to change. We will advise you of any changes as soon as possible.

WE ARE COALEY - We Believe We Respect We Belong

To pre-order Coaleyfest tickets, please fill in the form and return to the school office.

Name _____

Child's name _____ class _____

Tickets required:

Ticket type	Quantity	Cost
Adult @ £7 each		
Child @ £5 each		
Helper @ £5 each		
Total cost		

Please delete as appropriate.

I am paying by cash / bank transfer (details below)

Bank transfer – Please use your name as reference and pay into the FOCS Lloyds Account:

Name – Friends of Coaley School s/c – 30-98-29 account no. – 03051454

REDNOCK SCHOOL

**YEAR 5 OPEN MORNING
FRIDAY 1ST JULY**



Come and visit Rednock School for our Summer Open Morning and see us in action.

We will be running tours of the school starting at the following times:

- Tour 1 – 9.15am
- Tour 2 – 9.30am
- Tour 3 – 9.45am
- Tour 4 – 10:00am

Please note that this event is for Year 5 families only!

**PLEASE VISIT OUR
SCHOOL WEBSITE
TO BOOK TICKETS**

SCHOOL TERMS AND HOLIDAYS

2022/23



Gloucestershire
COUNTY COUNCIL

SEPTEMBER					OCTOBER					NOVEMBER					
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	3	10	17	24	31	Mon	7	14	21	28
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	1	8	15	22	29
Wed	7	14	21	28	Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	2	9	16	23	30
Thur	1	8	15	22	Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	3	10	17	24	
Fri	2	9	16	23	Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	3	10	17	24	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	5	12	19	26
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	6	13	20	27
DECEMBER					JANUARY					FEBRUARY					
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	2	9	16	23	30	Mon	6	13	20	27
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	3	10	17	24	31	Tues	7	14	21	28
Wed	7	14	21	28	Wed	4	11	18	25	Wed	1	8	15	22	
Thur	1	8	15	22	Thur	5	12	19	26	Thur	2	9	16	23	
Fri	2	9	16	23	Fri	6	13	20	27	Fri	3	10	17	24	
Sat	3	10	17	24	31	Sat	7	14	21	28	Sat	4	11	18	25
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	1	8	15	22	29	Sun	5	12	19	26
MARCH					APRIL					MAY					
Mon	6	13	20	27	Mon	3	10	17	24	Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tues	7	14	21	28	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	1	8	15	22	Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thur	2	9	16	23	Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	4	11	18	25	
Fri	3	10	17	24	Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	4	11	18	25	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	6	13	20	27
Sun	5	12	19	26	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	7	14	21	28
JUNE					JULY					AUGUST					
Mon	5	12	19	26	Mon	3	10	17	24	31	Mon	7	14	21	28
Tues	6	13	20	27	Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	1	8	15	22	29
Wed	7	14	21	28	Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	2	9	16	23	30
Thur	1	8	15	22	Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	3	10	17	24	31
Fri	2	9	16	23	Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	4	11	18	25	
Sat	3	10	17	24	Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	5	12	19	26
Sun	4	11	18	25	Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	6	13	20	27

Term Time	Holidays
Bank Holiday	Inset

Term 1: Thurs 1st Sept - Fri 21 st Oct, 2022	37 days
Term 2: Mon 31 st Oct – Fri 16 th Dec 2022	35 days
Term 3: Tue 3 rd Jan - Fri 17 th Feb 2023	34 days
Term 4: Mon 27 th Feb – Fri 31 st Mar 2023	25 days
Term 5: Mon 17 th April – Fri 26 th May 2023	29 days
Term 6: Mon 5 th June – Fri 21 st Jul 2023	35 days

Christmas Bank Holidays	26 th December 2022
	27 th December 2022
New Year Bank Holiday	2 nd January 2023
Good Friday	7 th April 2023
Easter Monday	10 th April 2023
Early May Bank Holiday	1 st May 2023
Spring Bank Holiday	29 th May 2023
Summer Bank Holiday	28 th August 2023