

Good Morning everyone

I hope it is cooler at home than it is here in our office! Luckily the classrooms are a lot cooler.

I just wanted to give you a few more details about the last three days of term, which we are hoping will be 'celebration' days. There are implications for the days that your child attends school so I wanted to give you enough warning. We would like to invite our Mon/Tues groups of children to come in on Monday 20th July, and our Thurs/Friday children to come in on Tuesday 21st July. Our Key worker children will have their celebration on Wednesday 22nd July. Key worker children can of course attend school on the Monday and Tuesday of that week and if they don't normally attend on a Wednesday they can come in for an extra day for the celebration if they would like to.

We are hoping to base this day outside so that we avoid the need to deep clean the classes in between, but if necessary we will do that. We intend to have a picnic lunch outside on that day in bubbles around the field. Lunches will still be provided by the kitchen or you can send a packed lunch from home. We will organise some simple races and games in our bubbles to make up for missing sports day (which was due to be tomorrow!), and we would also LOVE to have our Crofton's Got Talent competition on a smaller scale. This is always the highlight of our last day in school and we didn't want the children to miss out. So please encourage your child to get practising! Unfortunately they won't be able to bring in any kit from home (sorry George!!) but we can provide them with things from school if they need props. Last year I was a magician's assistant in one of the acts and ended up with egg on my face - literally! It is moments like that which are never forgotten!

Unfortunately we can't invite parents into the bubbles but we will try and take lots of photos and promise to make it as special as we can for the children.

I just wanted to add, for Year 2 parents who won't know yet, that Mrs Plumridge will be retiring at the end of this year after over 20 years at our school. If any of you wanted to send her a card or a message I will make sure they are passed on to her. She is very sad to be missing her last ever sports day - she always ensured it was a brilliant day - so we are hoping she will return next year as our guest of honour to watch, rather than organise the event!

With love from

Jacky