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Subject: MOORFIELD MESSAGES - FRIDAY 30TH APRIL 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Hope you have all had a good week.

SCHOOL DINNERS

Just a reminder that school dinners should be paid for in advance. The cost is £2.40 a day and you can pay by putting cash in an envelope in the boxes in Reception or using the Telford and Wrekin online account. Mrs Perrin will give you more information about this if you need it.

WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPH

Some of you have been asking about school photographs. We have provisionally booked the traditional whole school photograph for towards the end of the summer term. We will write to you nearer the time if the restrictions allow us to proceed with this. We have also booked the photographer for individual photographs in October as usual.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

We know that everyone has been missing our after school clubs, our trips and our family events such as the end of term discos. We are all hoping for some normality before the end of term and we will inform you of any plans as soon as the restrictions allow us to do so.

COLLECTION REMINDER

Please help us to keep the congestion on the schools site to a minimum by leaving promptly after collecting your child. If you are waiting for siblings to be collected, please ensure that they are not running around the front of school by the raised beds as children in these classes are still working. Thank you ☺

DEER PARK EVENTS

Deer Park have asked us to share some information about an open day that they are holding on Saturday.

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The park is to host another open day, “Spring in your Step” Saturday, 1st May 2021, 11am – 3pm

Warmer spring days means you can shed a few layers on a local walk. It's also the time of year when you can experience, tiny green shoots pushing up through the soil, to birds nesting in the hedgerows and trees bursting into leaf.

Take a leisurely walk down by the Pool side and grab a bite to eat or a refreshing drink with our selection of local street food.

The perfect location for a family walk about.

Tickets need to be booked in advance, **online only** and don't forget to download!

General public £5 per person, Society member's – Free, Children 15 years and under – Free, All profits from this event will be donated to NHS Local Charities Together.

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/newport-district-agricultural-society>

BANK HOLIDAY

A reminder that school will be closed on Monday 3rd May for the May Day Bank Holiday. Children will return to school on Tuesday 4th May.

HALF TERM – WHIT WEEK

Also a reminder that children finish school for Half Term on Friday 28th May. Monday 7th June is a PD day and children will return to school on Tuesday 8th June.

COVID-19

Whilst rates of Covid in the area are decreasing , we must remain vigilant.

Please can you continue to email – sue.hedges@taw.org.uk if you or a member of your family are being tested or test positive. This email address will be monitored over the weekend for this purpose.

If you, your child or another member of your family are being tested, you should all stay at home until you get the result.

The main symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) are:

- a high temperature – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

You should also get a test if you or any of your family have any of these 'precautionary' symptoms:

- Headaches
- Aches and pains
- Feeling very tired for no good reason
- Sore throat
- Runny nose
- Sneezing
- Tummy ache in children

You can book online at nhs.uk/coronavirus

When booking for these precautionary symptoms, make sure you answer the question 'Why are you asking for a test' with 'My local council or health protection team has asked me (or someone) I live with to get a test, even though I do not have symptoms'

Enjoy the next three days – it must be a bank holiday as rain is predicted!

As always

Kind Regards

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Headteacher