### WE ARE 'REACHING HIGH'

# **Fairlands News**

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#### **Dear Parents and Carers**

Issue 19

Welcome back! We have a very busy half term ahead of us with Sports Day, our Open Evening, the Year 6 performance and the Friends of Fairlands' Family Fun Day. I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible supporting these events.

### Robert Staples Headteacher

### **TOY LIBRARY RE-OPENING**

We are delighted to announce that the **Toy Library** will be re-opening on **Monday**, 9<sup>th</sup> **June**, 9.15am – 12.00pm in the **KS2 Learning Room**.

The library, which will be open every Monday during term, loans outdoor toys, games puzzles, dressing up cloths, protective behaviour resources, parents' resouce books and much more. Toys are suitable from birth to 5 years.

Membership is just £2.50 per year, per family, and you can borrow up to 3 items at a time for up to 4 weeks for a small weekly charge.

## CAN WE CONTACT YOU IN AN EMERGENCY?

Have you changed your home / work / mobile phone number recently? If so, please ensure that you have told the office – it is essential that we have your most up-to-date contact number on file, in the case of an emergency.

### SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE

We are busy arranging our X Factor Competition for Key Stage 2. We are also conducting a survey about what children think about school dinners, ahead of a meeting with a manager from the School Meals Service.

### SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

This scheme has now come to an end. So far we have counted over 5,000 vouchers, which we will be able to send off to claim PE equipment for the school. Please send in any vouchers by **Thursday**, 19<sup>th</sup> June. Thank you.

### ASDA GO GREEN FOR SCHOOLS

Asda have extended their scheme until 30<sup>th</sup> June. You will be issued with 1 green voucher for every bag you reuse in store, which we can then use to order some Eco-Equipment for the school! Please keep collecting.

### **OCCASIONAL DAY'S HOLIDAY**

Just a reminder that **school will be closed** on **Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> June** for an Occasional Day's Holiday.

DATES FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2007/2008	
Tuesday, 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Father's Day Present Room
Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Occasional Day's Holiday
Wednesday, 25 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 to Woburn
Thursday, 26 <sup>th</sup> June 9.05am	Parent Forum (KS2 building)
Friday, 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
Sunday, 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Friends of Fairlands' Summer Fayre
Monday, 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Reports home to parents
Wednesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> July 6-8pm	Open Evening
Wednesday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Last Day of Term : 2.15pm finish
Monday, 1 <sup>st</sup> September	INSET Day
Tuesday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Return to school
Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> - Friday, 12 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 6 to Boreatton Park, Shropshire