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**Newsletter**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June**

**GEMS Assembly:**

The winning team for the weekly GEM Trophy was **Diamond**. Well done to everyone in Team **Diamond**! Find out about our GEM procedures here: <https://whinfield.net/parents/gems/>

**Water bottles:**

Please do not send your child to school with glass water bottle. Please make sure they are plastic. Thank you.

**Year 5/6 athletics:**

A big Whinfield 'WELL DONE' to all of the Year 5 and 6 children who attended the town athletics yesterday. You were all extremely resilient in what was a very long day and gave your very best in your individual races/events. Several children returned with some very impressive medals, bronze, silver and gold - what an achievement! We are extremely proud of all of you and what great representatives you were for our school - well done!

**Parents activities:**

Thank you to all the parents/carers who came to the activities this week - I know you all had a great time! Please see the list below for the ones still to take place.

**Afterschool Activities:**

Day	Club	Year group	Time
Tuesday	Football	Year 4 & 5	3:15pm - 4:15pm
Wednesday	Choir	Years 5 and 6	3:15pm - 4:15pm
Wednesday	Dance	Years 2,4,5&6	3:15pm - 4:15pm
Thursday	Gardening Gang	Year 3 and 4	3:15pm - 4:15pm

Activities will start week commencing 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024 and finish week commencing 8<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Children need to be collected after the club by an adult from the Asda entrance. If your child is attending a sporting activity, please send them to school in their school PE kit (no football strips).

**Important Dates for the Summer term :**

W/C 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 phonics screening
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5 Parent Workshop 9:30am (more information to follow)
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 Parent Workshop 1:30pm (more information to follow)





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Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception new starters 2024 meeting 4pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Parent workshop 9:15am (more information to follow)
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Parent meeting for new year group - Year 5 moving to Year 6 - 3:15pm
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Reception Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 1 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 parent workshop - 1:30pm (more information to follow)
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 2 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Parent meeting for new year group - Year 4 moving to Year 5 - 3:15pm
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Parents evening 3:30pm - 6pm -Drop in, no appointment needed.
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent meeting for new year group - Year 1 moving to Year 2 - 3:15pm
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent meeting for new year group - Reception moving to Year 1 - 3:15pm
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Sports morning 9:30am - 10:30am Parents can attend.
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent meeting for new year group - Year 2 moving to Year 3 - 3:15pm
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent meeting for new year group - Year 3 moving to Year 4 - 3:15pm
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers performance (more information to follow)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers disco - 4:30pm - 6:00pm
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term. School closes for Summer.

