

# Road Update

Week ending 15 July

## Awards Assembly

Our Awards Assembly takes place on Monday, 18 July at 9.05 am. We welcome younger children to watch the children accept their awards but would ask that parents and carers remove their child from the hall if they are causing a disturbance. Many thanks.



## Photographs and videos

It has been brought to your attention that images from school events have been uploaded by parents to social networking sites such as Youtube and Facebook for public viewing. Whilst it is lovely to capture images and videos of **your** child participating in school activities for posterity and personal viewing, parents are gently reminded that there are many families in our school community who would not wish for photos or videos featuring their child to be added to social networking sites. Therefore, we kindly ask that any parents wishing to share school related images online ensure that it features their child/ren only or have sought consent from other parents beforehand. Many thanks.

## Open Evening

Our Open Evening will take place this Thursday, 14 July, from 5.00 – 7.00 pm. Children are welcome to accompany their parents.

## Donation

We were very pleased to accept the donation of a digital piano from Mr Andrew who previously taught at our school. We can now offer piano lessons in addition to keyboard. Please contact Mrs McMillan if your child is interested in studying the piano. Many thanks.

## Dr Gwilt

We are delighted that Dr Gwilt, one of our governors, was recently awarded the MBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours. Dr Gwilt works tirelessly for the benefit of the children in our school and this award is richly deserved.

## Hot Meals

Contractors are currently on site, preparing for our Hot Meals Pod (a small building in which meals will be prepared) that will be delivered in the summer holiday. Hot meals will be available from September and information about this is being sent home this week.

## Road Crossing Patroller

The Local Authority is removing funding for the Road Crossing Patrollers and Mrs Blaikie will therefore not be continuing in this role in September. Some parents have asked if they can contribute to a leaving gift for Mrs Blaikie. Contributions can be sent into school, arriving no later than Wednesday, 20 July.

## INSET Day

We would like to remind parents and carers that this Friday, 15 July, is a training day for teachers. The school will therefore be closed to children on that day.

## End of term

School closes for the summer on Friday, 22 July and re-opens to Years 1 – 6 on Tuesday, 6 September. Year R will start on Thursday, 8 September. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all our children, and their families, a very happy holiday.