

Moor First School

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Dear Parents / Carers,

to our Inspire dancers! Their performance at the Inspire Dance Show was amazing we most certainly had the best costumes and the loudest parents cheering! We are very proud of you all!

Easter Hats - Thank you to the Nic & Neil from the Rose & Crown for judging our Easter Hats today and donating the prizes. The hats were amazing and it was a very hard decision picking the winners.

SATs Information Evening - Mrs Crowcroft and Mrs Wood will be holding a SATs information evening on the 17th April at 3.30pm for all year 2 Parents/ Carers. This will give you the opportunity to ask any questions about the SATs which take place in May.

Maypole Dancing - pupils have started Maypole rehearsals for the Well Dressing on the 17^{th} June. Thank you for support it is great for our school to take part in these community events.

Laches Wood - the children had a wonderful time at Laches Wood, they took part in archery; rock climbing; orienteering; den building and lots more fun activities. The children were amazing and had a fantastic time.



Forest Schools - Emerald class have had a fabulous time taking part in Forest Schools this term. The next year group to take part in Forest Schools will be Amethyst class on the 17th/ 24th

April and the 15th / 22nd May. Your child will need to bring in wellingtons; a waterproof

coat; waterproof trousers or trousers/joggers you don't mind getting dirty and wet. Parents can join in Amethyst class Forest School session on the 15th May.



School Photographs – Class and leavers; Graduation photographs for Reception; sports teams; Inspire dance photographs will be taking place on the 4th May.

Nursery Admissions - Admissions to our Nursey class need to be made via the school. If you would like your child to start in our nursery class in September 2023 please let the office know, as application packs will be sent out shortly.



Summer Fayre - Our Summer Fayre will be taking place on Saturday 13th May 1.30pm - 3.30pm. If you would like or know anyone who would like to have a stall at our Summer Fayre please pop in to the office for more information.

Holidays in Term Time - May we please remind parents that taking holidays in term time does have an impact on your child's learning. Can we ask you to read our Attendance Policy on our website so you are fully aware of the implications of taking your child on holiday in term time.

Car Parking - We have had repeated calls to school regarding cars blocking driveways, in particular the bungalows, which is preventing easy access for medical services. Can we also remind Parents/ Carers not to park on the yellow zig zag lines even when picking up from after school clubs. Thank you for your support.

Amethyst Class - Mrs Critchlow will be returning from maternity leave on 1^{st} May. Mrs Edge will finish as Amethyst class teacher on the 26^{th} April. We would like to thank Mrs Edge for all her hard work in Amethyst class.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs V Atherton & Mrs S Mayes Co-Headteachers

April	
Monday 17 th April	School opens
Monday 17 th April	SATs Information Evening for Year 2 Parents 3.30pm
May	
Monday 1st May	Bank holiday - school closed
Thursday 4 th May	School Photographs - class/ leavers/ graduation/ sports/ dance
Monday 8 th May	Bank holiday - King Charles Coronation - school closed
Saturday 13 th May	Moor First Summer Fayre
Friday 26 th May	School closes for May half term
June	
Monday 5 th June	School opens
Wednesday 14 th June	Year 4 Transition Games
Saturday 17 th June	Biddulph Moor Well Dressing
Tuesday 27 th June	Sports Day
July	
Friday 21st July	School closes for Summer

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