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Dear Parent,

It appears that pupils had a good half term. They have returned refreshed and ready for this half term. It's a busy one!

It has been a better week weather wise thankfully and this has allowed many of the planned activities and sport fixtures to go ahead. It promises to be hot into the weekend and next week. Please could families ensure that children have water bottles, specific sun protection and hats available if needs be.

Next Thursday, the Year 8 pupils will visit their respective new Middle School Houses. It is unbelievable how time has flown by. It is an exciting time for them as they look forward to their next educational phase. Year 8 pupils have been taking their ESB examinations this week. Year 6 pupils are busily preparing for theirs, which will take place on Wednesday 21st June.

Mrs Paul would like to note the following:

On Monday 19th June the Lower School end of year concert will take place in the Arts Centre from 6.30pm - 8.00pm. Pupils involved will stay at school for Supper at 5.30pm and audience are welcome to arrive from 6.10pm onwards. Refreshments will be available in the Arts Centre foyer and it is hoped that many friends and family of the performers will be able to attend.

Year 7 and Year 8 pupils are working hard in rehearsals for the play 'Annie the Musical'. Performances are on Wednesday 21st June, with the family performance starting at 7pm in the Arts Centre. Please feel warmly welcome to attend with further details regarding the event circulated by Mrs Shubert, Head of Drama shortly.

Looking a little further ahead, Mrs Morgan has once again attached a brief overview of expeditions planned for the last week of term Tuesday 27th June to Thursday 29th June. It is very important to inform Mrs Morgan should there be a reason that pupils will not be in school during those dates.

Sports day is on Thursday 29th June. Mr Horrocks, Director of Sport, will provide more details nearer the time.

Ladies Lunch is Wednesday 28th June, tickets can be purchased via contactecps@gmail.com Rebecca Lloyd rev.lloyd66@icloud.com or Claire Williamsons williamsons@hotmail.co.uk

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Please note that Friday 30th June is a normal lesson day and College transport **departs at the normal time of 5.30pm.**

It is worthy of note for our new families to Lower School that the last day of the Summer Term is Saturday 1st July. Traditionally there are assemblies and then parties on the College Terraces. It is a lovely end to an academic year. Some pupils will receive academic awards from the Headmaster in the Senior Prize Giving Speech Day at 10.30am. Mrs Pritt Roberts notifies any pupils who are in receipt of an award and who are required to attend the morning event.

College transport comes 1 hour later in the morning on the 1st July and the day starts at 9.30am. However, pupils may choose to come in with their families later on that morning at 11.30am approximately, for the 12 noon Lower School Assemblies. KS2 pupils have their Assembly in the Arts Centre at 12 noon followed by Strawberries and Fizz on the Terraces. The KS3 assembly is on the Top Floor of Lower School and also starts at 12 noon followed by Strawberries and Fizz on the Terraces. Should pupils need regular College transport home after celebrations, please note that coaches will leave at 1.15pm from the College for their respective destinations.

On a safety note, please would you ensure that the Lower School Secretaries knows if your child is staying on in School after 5.30pm to attend clubs, etc. We keep a register of pupils who are on the site after day school finishes.

Have a good weekend.

Yours sincerely,

	Tuesday 27 th June	Wednesday 28 th June	Thursday 29 th June	Friday 30 th June
Ash Oak	Hoo Zoo Own clothes/sensible footwear/waterproofs	Weston Park Forest School Own clothes/sensible footwear/waterproofs	Activities am Sports Day pm School sports kit all day	Normal School Day
Elm	Roman Soldier Workshop Own clothes and trainers	Rhyl SeaQuarium Own clothes, waterproof coat/ sensible footwear	Activities am Sports Day pm School sports kit all day	Normal School Day
Y6	Roman Soldier Workshop Own clothes or school sports kit and trainers	Beatles Tour and Walker Art Gallery Liverpool Own clothes/waterproof coat/sensible footwear	Activities am Sports Day pm School sports kit all day	Normal School Day
Y7	Beaumaris and Caernarfon Castles Own clothes/sensible footwear	Chester Zoo Own clothes/ waterproof coat/ sensible footwear	Activities am Sports Day pm School sports kit all day	Normal School Day
Y8	Chill Factore Travel in comfortable clothing – see specifics below	Drayton Manor Own clothes/sensible footwear/waterproof coat	Activities am Sports Day pm School sports kit all day	Normal School Day

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