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THE HEIGHTS HIGHLIGHTS

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you **SO** much to Hannah, Tamsin, Helen and everyone else in the PTFA, along with parents who helped make the Fayre such a fabulous success. It was a brilliant afternoon with so much for all to do, see and hear. Thanks also to Matt (Keira's Dad) and Rosie for their amazing singing/entertainment, to the Gospel Choir and Sonia for her Bollywood Dancing and workshop. I am officially now obsessed and want to learn more 'moves'! The Choirs (ours and the Gospel Choir) were wonderful and the Dad's baking creations were delicious!



Turning the clock back to the beginning of the week, Mrs Fallon and I were really impressed with all the children's auditions for the music concert. We are really looking forward to watching and hearing them all perform in our School Concert on Tuesday. They will be performing to parents at 9.15am and the rest of the school at 1.30pm in the School Hall.



French Café

On Monday, the Year 4 children were excited to invite their parents into their French Café for the afternoon and served them croissants, pain au chocolat, jus de pommes, thé and des glaces (ice creams). Both the Year 4s and parents practices their French and Anna played the 'Marseillaise' on her violin.

Art Exhibition

It was wonderful to welcome so many parents to our Art Exhibition on Wednesday afternoon. The children (and staff) were thrilled to show their creations and art work and were excited to meet their new teacher (and pupils) for the coming year.



Early Move Up Day

We had a lovely day welcoming all the children into their classes for September 2018. The new reception children seemed to take it all in their stride and everyone else was 'buzzing' about 'moving up'. Thank you to all the staff for making it such an enjoyable day.

Sports Day

We are delighted to announce the winners of Sports Day this year. Cusden came first with 222 points, Simonds came second with 189 points, Marshall came third with 174 points and Cadogan came fourth with 141 points. Well done to all the children for participating and being such good sportsmen and women and for all the hard work by staff and parents in ensuring that the day ran smoothly. Finally, a big thank you to St Anne's Primary School for the use of their field for the whole day.

Final Assembly

We hope you will be able to join us for our end of year assembly at 9.30am on Friday 20th July. We are hoping the fabulous weather will remain so we can hold the assembly outside.

End of Term

Just a reminder that the **end of term is this Friday 20th July - please collect your child at 1.30pm** from the playground. **There will be NO Energy Kidz running on the last day.** We return to school for the new academic year on Wednesday 5th September.

We're Hiring!

We are still looking to appoint the following:

- **Teaching Assistant Apprentice**, aged 16-21. If you know someone who may be interested in this role, please contact Caroline Hoyle, our Business Manager via the school office for further details or by emailing finance@theheightsprimary.co.uk.
- **Lunchtime Staff** to start in September.

Please check the school website for further details or contact the school office if you are interested.



Spotlight

Aarna (4CT) for receiving Level 1 Award in Graded Examination in Dance: Grade 2 Classical Indian Bharatanatyam.

Anna (4CT) for receiving Level 1 Award in Graded Examination in Music Theory, Grade 1 with Distinction.

Hayden (RSR) for being awarded Duckling Level 4.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Early Move-Up Morning (Year 1 only)	Monday 16 th July
Water Afternoon (KS2)	Monday 16 th July
Whole School Music Concert (**AMENDED TIME**)	Tuesday 17 th July 9.15am (for parents)
Year 4 Hockey at Reading University	Wednesday 18 th July
Water Afternoon (Reception & KS1)	Wednesday 18 th July
Year 3 Cricket at Reading University	Thursday 19 th July
End of Term Assembly	Friday 20 th July at 9.30am on the playground
End of Term 6	Friday 20 th July - School Finishes at 1.30pm
Return to School for Term 1 2018-19	Wednesday 5 th September - Friday 19 th October

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Karen Edwards
Headteacher