15th June 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Finally the Summer has arrived! Please make sure your child comes to school ready for the sunshine. We advise children have sun lotion applied before school and they bring a sun hat to school. Cold water is available throughout the day in their water bottles.

**Staffing**

Mrs Wright and Mrs Jones are each having a baby in the Summer holidays. Our best wishes go to both and we look forward to see their baby photos. Both members of staff will be returning to school after their maternity leave. Cover has been put in place for both members. New class teachers for September will be given to the children on induction morning, Wednesday 6th July.

**PE kits**

Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school. Your child needs a white t-shirt, shorts and trainers in a named PE bag. The aim is for all PE to be taught outside this term unless it rains.

**Uniform**

Orrets Meadow jumpers and cardigans are on sale at the office for £8.00 each. School bags are also available at £5. Please send your order into school with payment.

**Induction Day – Current Year 6**

Year 6s – All Year 6s will go to their new secondary schools for the day. Parents need to make transport arrangements for their child to and from their new school. Children will need to go dressed in their Orrets Meadow uniform and take a packed lunch with them (unless you have been told otherwise by the new school). Please check what time your new school expects you to arrive, but presume it will be 9am at the latest. Secondary schools all finish at different times so please check with them. All other pupils currently at Orrets Meadow school will attend school as normal.

**Dates for the diary**

16th June Fencing for 5 weeks begins – Class 3 (Mr McAteers)

16th June 3.45pm - PTA meeting – support for Summer Fair needed

w/c 20th June National School Sports Week – Mr Saul will arrange events

27th June Class 2 –Miss MacGregor -trip to Tam O’Shanter Farm (Bidston)

27th June Class 3 – Mr McAteer and Mr Campbells’ Class 6/7 topic class – Birkenhead Park

1st July Non Uniform Day – Bring in smellies for the fair

4th July Class 1- Mrs Wright - trip to New Brighton

4th July Class 5 – Mrs Tunna – trip to Birkenhead Park

6th July Induction Day – Year 6s to new secondary schools

8th July am - Sports Day – Parents welcome – details will be sent out nearer time

11th July Class 4 – Mrs Billington – trip to West Kirby

14th July Non Uniform Day – Bring in a bottle for the fair

15th July Class 7 – Miss O’Brien – trip to Lady Lever & Parkgate.

15th July End of Year report out to Parents

19th July House Reward – lazer quest and bowling

20th July 1pm – Merit Assembly (Y6 Leavers) followed by Summer Fair – all parents welcome.

We have a busy and exciting end of term so please support us by attending the events above and making contributions to class trips or they will not be able to go ahead.

Thanks for your support.

C Duncan