



Jennett's Park CE Primary School

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Re: Communication of Year 6 end of year events.

Dear Parents in Year 6

We are writing to you today with our initial plans following the Government's announcement last night to delay further reopening for 4 weeks in England.

We understand a number of you will be feeling frustrated with the situation as are we. As a result of this, yet with the government guidelines in mind, we are trying to offer as much of a year 6 end of primary school experience as possible.

We still want as full a programme for your children as possible so our intention is to go ahead with these things but in a safe, Covid-secure and therefore slightly reduced fashion. Many schools have not organised these elements at all but we know we can manage these within our existing bubbles and want to give our children the send-off they deserve. We hope the table below shows a clarity to our thinking.

Date	Item	Change
Friday 25 th June	20p Fair	No change- existing spacing and handover of tokens to minimise spread and not be classified as contact in place.
Friday 25 th June	Sleepover	Not to sleep over but to run the session as Games on the field and potentially outside movie night. This could possibly combine with the leavers party if that is unable to happen. More details to follow.
Monday 28 th June	Oakwood	Going ahead as in existing bubbles. Children not going will have fun in school activities. Outside activities and so both classes are now attending on the same day.
Wednesday 30 th June / Thursday 1 st July	Handover Days Bracknell	Cancelled and in some instances rearranged - see updates from your child's new school for details and risk assessments.
Friday 2 nd July	Visit to Wintershall Retreat	This will go ahead and we are travelling as one bubble and moving around. This is fully paid for by us as a present to the children.
Monday 5 th July	Hoodies	Children can wear Hoodies in school from this date.
Monday 5 th July	Horseshoe Lakes	Going ahead as in existing bubbles. Children not going will have fun in school activities.
Friday 9 th July	Virtual Bracknell Leavers service	Going ahead as online.
Friday 9 th July	Year 6 Leavers Party at the community centre.	This is being organised by the parent group and is under review.
Monday 12 th July	Enchanted Glass Mosaics	Going ahead as in existing bubbles.
Thursday 15 th July	Year 6 production	Online – filmed and released by children to you to watch for a limited time.



Friday 16 th July	Virtual Leavers service	Going ahead as virtual. Parents will be given code later
Tuesday 20 th July	Shirt signing & final countdown	Children take part in shirt signing on final day as memento of time. They are also given other mementos.

As you can see, we have planned a full range of activities for the children to participate in. These are in addition to other whole school events such as international week.

We know that our Year 6 children have been impacted already with the cancellation or delay in some specific cases of the transition days to secondary school. We will do all we can to prepare for transition by supporting your child and running transition sessions that have been given to us by secondary schools. This has already begun with the start of the Go Big, Go Awesome project.

With every decision that we make in school, we like to try and keep our rainbow values central to this. We ask you, as we do our children, to consider those values as we try to navigate through these different times. If you do have any questions or concerns, our virtual door is always open. Please contact Mr Page and Mrs Ballard.

Yours sincerely



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