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Friday 3rd July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful afternoon we enjoyed at our Summer Fayre! The atmosphere was truly brilliant, with smiles, laughter, and a real sense of community spirit throughout the event.

A huge thank you goes to our PTA for their hard work and dedication in bringing everything together—events like this simply wouldn't happen without them. We are also incredibly grateful to all of our staff team for their support both behind the scenes and on the day.

Thank you to everyone who came along to support the fayre. It was lovely to see so many families enjoying the activities and spending time together. We hope you all had a fantastic time and created some special memories. We raised more than £700 (after costs) which will be used to support school events and resources.

If you would like to get involved with the PTA and help future events, please speak to either Miss Rowland or myself on the gate.

Warm Weather Update

As we head into next week, temperatures are forecast to increase. At present, it does not appear that it will be as hot as last week, but we will continue to monitor conditions closely and our staff team will put appropriate mitigations in place to support. Please tell your children that this might include reducing football or ball games at lunchtime to ensure children don't overheat.

We would really appreciate your support in ensuring that children come to school prepared for warmer weather each day:

- A named sunhat
- Sunscreen applied before school (and brought in if needed)
- A refillable water bottle

Thank you for your continued support. We hope everyone is able to enjoy the sunshine safely.

Holiday Hub (Summer School).

A separate email has been sent this morning about our Holiday Hub (Summer School) taking place during the summer break. Sign up now to attend! The information is also on our website:

<https://www.samares.sch.je/page/?title=Holiday+Hub+%28Summer+School%29+2026&pid=100&action=saved>

Transition

Our Year 6 pupils went to their secondary schools for two days this week. We wish them the best of luck and look forward to hearing all about it on Monday. Our transition process for other year groups is still occurring, which includes visit to classes, teachers meeting with information, teachers visiting the classrooms. This afternoon, all children moved to their new class for the afternoon. To help the transition, all children received a transition document to take home and

refer to during the summer break. This information will also be available on our website next week.

Sports bug

We partner with Sports Bug and they provide daily sessions in school. Sports Bug have offered a discount to families for the summer. Please read this letter for more information:

<https://www.samares.sch.je/attachments/download.asp?file=926&type=pdf>

Reports

End of year reports are due to be sent next week. We will give them to children to bring home in an envelope on Friday 10th July. If you do not want your child to bring it home and would prefer to collect from the office, please email admin@samares.sch.je by Tuesday 7th July to give your preference. Reports will be available to pick up after school on 10th July.

What is on next week:

We are looking forward to:

- Key Stage 2/Year 2 sports day on Friday
- Y5 going to Safety in Action
- Y6 are hearing the outcome of the Burger Challenge at a special launch event
- Book buddies in Year 3 and 4 are going to the library
- Clos Maurant after school sessions are continuing on a Wednesday between 4-6pm on the astro

Term Dates

Our INSET Dates for 2026/27 have been confirmed:

Monday 7th September 2026, Thursday 10th September 2026 (Battle of Britain Day), Friday 11th September 2026 and Friday 5th February 2027.

Term dates for the next academic year can be found here:

[Term Dates - Government of Jersey](#)

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions, comments or queries.

Many thanks,



Mrs Jenny Posner
Headteacher

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