

28th April 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

Jubilee Family Picnic / Red, White, Blue Day – Thursday 26th May

In recognition of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee we are inviting children to dress in red, white and/or blue on Thursday 26th May.

What is more, in collaboration with the Coffee & Cake team who will be selling merch (!), we are inviting families and friends to join us for lunch as we have a Jubilee Family Picnic at lunchtime.

The picnic will see parents invited to join their children during the times detailed below and share their lunchtime with them. You may want to bring a picnic/packed lunch along or order a 'take-out' lunch from the school kitchen which can be collected during your time with us.

It's some years since we've had a family picnic so with so many people present on site and lots of comings and goings we'd ask for your patience, understanding and sense of fun. **We would also invite you to check the details below for where and when you can join your children.** Brings rugs to sit on, umbrellas for cover (from the sun not the rain!) and chairs if you're after a bit of comfort!

Foundation Stage – Eat and play with your children in the Foundation Stage outside area from 11.00am. This special lunchtime will finish at 12.20pm, with children and parents who attend in the afternoon invited to join the fun from 12.00pm. Please come to the main entrance at the front of the school from 11.00am where our team of lunchtime friends will walk you to the Foundation Stage.

Key Stage 1 – Eat and play with your children from 11.50am on the school field. This special lunchtime will finish at 1.00pm when children will be asked to return to classes having said goodbye to visitors. Please come to the main entrance at the front of the school from 11.40am, where you will be directed to the field.

Key Stage 2 – Eat and play with your children from 12.15pm on the school field. This special lunchtime will finish at 1.00pm when children will be asked to return to classes having said goodbye to visitors. Please come to the main entrance at the front of the school from 11.40am where you will be directed to the field.

Children will be invited, as normal, to choose packed lunch or a school dinner on this day. School dinners will be provided 'take-out' style and will be eaten outdoors.

Adult Meal Orders

Should you wish to book an adult meal, please place your order from the options below and make payment via School Gateway using the Jubilee Family Picnic payment link by 10.00 am on Friday 20th May*. The cost of an adult meal will be £3.00 per person.

Fish Fingers and Chips

Or

Veggie Soft Taco and Chips

Or

Jacket Potato with toppings

Chocolate Cake

*Sadly meals cannot be ordered unless payment has been received by the due date

We recognise that many families will have children in different Key Stages and will be keen to be together. To enable this we would encourage you to set up with your youngest child, and we will ensure that siblings join you (once they have their lunch in hand if having school dinners). Please feel free to mention your plans to your child's teacher so that we can do our best to bring everyone together.

With your help (and that of the weather) we hope to make the day a special celebration of a very special occasion. As someone who remembers the Queen's Silver Jubilee in 1977 I'm wondering where all the years have gone!

Yours sincerely,

Scott Hampton Co – Head Teacher