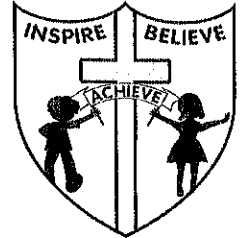


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But as for you, be strong and do not give up, for your work will be rewarded ~ 2 Chronicles 15:7

12th May 2022

Dear parents & carers,

As you are all aware this year Her Majesty the Queen will become the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee after 70 years of service.

The whole school will be celebrating this incredible achievement on Friday 27th May by holding our very own Jubilee Day, which will see the whole school community involved in a range of special activities.

On this day we would like all children to attend school wearing red, white and blue clothing. Pupils may wear party clothing in these colours should they wish. (Please ensure footwear is suitable to be worn at break times). Pupils will not be taking part in PE or swimming lessons on this day. These lessons will be rearranged for later in the term so pupils do not miss out.

At lunchtime, we will hold a whole school street party. All children will come together to enjoy their lunch outside in a specially decorated area. Please be aware there will be no hot lunches served on the day as Willoughby foods are offering "Platinum Picnic" lunch options to ensure all children are able to enjoy the party lunch, should they wish to. Pupils not wishing to order a picnic lunch from our lunch provider should bring in their own picnic lunch.

We will be holding a number of competitions on the day, with some very special prizes.

Crown Competition: All pupils are invited to create their own crown entry for the competition. Pupils can make these at home and bring them in on Jubilee Day. For pupils not able to make a crown at home, they will have the opportunity to make a crown on the day at school, where resources will be made available. We are looking for the most amazing and creative crowns possible, so get designing! Prizes will be awarded to the winning entry in each class.

Great Whaplode Bake Off: Calling all budding bakers! We are inviting all grown-ups to enter our Great Whaplode Bake Off competition to be in with a chance of being crowned Whaplode's very first "Star Baker". Parents, carers, even grandparents, are welcome to dig out the cake tins and get creative in order to impress the judging panel. All we ask is that your entry is brought into school for judging on the morning of Friday 27th May, in a named container. Could we ask that any cake entries do not contain nuts in any form. During the day, pupils will also have the chance to enter the children's Bake Off competition when they have the opportunity to create their own Jubilee themed cupcake.



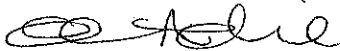
I can do all things through him who strengthens me ~ Philippians 4:13

During the afternoon, we will hold a special gathering where all classes will take part in the Jubilee Crown Parade, prior to the awarding of prizes. We would very much like to invite parents to come along and join us for this event which will start at 2.30pm. The winners of the Great Whaplode Bake Off will also be crowned at this time.

The school has also organised a commemorative gift for every child of the school which will be given out on the day, to mark this very special occasion.

We hope to make this a very special day for the whole school community and look forward to sharing it with you all.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E Adie', written in a cursive style.

Mrs E Adie