



Dear Parents,

Hello, hope you all enjoyed the beautiful weather last week. Phew it was hot! We are looking forward to some cooler temperatures this week to enable us to enjoy lots of time outdoors.

Please do see information regarding the need for new Governors - if you feel that you are able to support the school within this role please contact Mr Schofield one of the co-chairs.

### Loxwood School Governors

There is an exciting opportunity for a parent to become part of the Loxwood School Governing body. It's a rewarding, challenging possibility to help support the running of the school, uphold standards and give a little something back to the community. If this sounds interesting to you please refer to the attached form. If you would like any further information please contact [wschofield@loxwoodschool.com](mailto:wschofield@loxwoodschool.com)

### School Photos—cancellation of class photo

Two potential GDPR issues have been raised regarding the whole class school photos that were initially offered this term.

Firstly, that the company Yellow, continued to keep copies of your child's photo. This is not a breach of GDPR, they would keep a copy until the child finished school. If as a parent you did not want this, it is would be your responsibility to contact them and request that they erase all details and images of your child. This information is included in the parents T&C's.

Secondly, that the proposed class photo was not what the original individual image was taken for, therefore it would be being re-purposed for the Summer class photo. We have not been able to get clarification on this point and have therefore decided not to go ahead with the photos on this occasion.

### End of year celebrations and organisations

#### Movie magic!

Please see below our idea about a whole school shared experience for the end of the year. We hope that you will be able to join in and share the photos with your child.

#### School reports

Within the next week you will be able to read a school report for your child written by your child's teacher. These are obviously slightly different to 'normal' years but we hope that they are informative and enjoyable for you to read. If your child is not in school then we will let you know when you can swing by and pick your child's report up safely. Watch this space!

#### Library books

How on earth are we going to get all reading and library books back!? Well, we are asking that any school books that you have in the house are returned to a box just inside the front door of the school. They will be left in quarantine for 72 hours before being brought back into the classrooms and library. Please just tick your child's name off so that we know not to give you a nudge come the end of the year. Please have a good look around those bedrooms and under those beds! Our library and classrooms are depleted of books since so many of them went home during lockdown so we are looking forward to having them back.



### Home Learning—a joint end of term fun activity

As a celebration of reaching the end of term we would like all the children to enjoy a movie afternoon and we invite you to do the same at home. The movie we will be watching in school is "Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs" (U) but if you would like to watch another movie on the theme of "Food" then please do. Then on Tuesday we are planning two activities;

1. An exciting designing and making afternoon where we will be inventing our own "Food Machine". In Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs, Flint Lockwood's latest contraption accidentally destroys the town square and rockets up into the clouds, he thinks his inventing career is over. Then something amazing happens as delicious cheeseburgers start raining from the sky. His machine actually works! We are really looking forward to seeing how creative the you can be when designing your own. Get practical, making it out of junk and recycling or roll out some paper and draw up some exciting plans and diagrams.
2. Secondly, we invite you to make a delicious healthy snack, we will be making healthy snacks in school too. Please send in pictures of you enjoying your movie afternoon at home, we would love to put a selection of these on the school website so we can all share in the fun we have had!

Can't get hold of the film? Go to our website and follow the links—there are short clips of the film that will give you enough information and enthusiasm to join in.