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Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a great start to the new half term. This week we all enjoyed 'Hearing Awareness Day' on Monday 18th June. It was an enlightening day which sparked lots of discussion between children and most importantly raised awareness. Thank you Miss Moran for organising a great day.

As you know it is a busy half term. Please find some dates on the back of this letter for events that are coming up. These are the same dates that we sent before the holidays.

Nursery had a wonderful day at Smithills Farm last week! Year 5 have also enjoyed a great day out at Blackleach today. Please check out their website pages for some photographs.

Calling all current Reception parents! As you know we are starting transition preparations for Year 1 and we are asking that from Monday next week you say your goodbyes to your child/children at the Reception door and allow your Reception child/children to enter the classroom independently. They will be expected to do this in Year 1 so it is great practice. Reception staff will be on hand to support all children.

New class newsletters for this half term can be found on class pages on our school website as always. New Summer 2 homework grids can also be found in the same place. If you're unsure please speak to your child's class teacher.

Thank you to all those who have brought their PE kit back into school after the holidays. This is much appreciated. If you haven't yet, please do so as soon as possible. If you have any problems please speak to your child's class teacher.

We have a whole school Mass next Friday (29th June) at 1.30pm to celebrate the feast of Saint Peter and Paul. Please come along and join us if you can.

We are having a great sporting season at St Edmund's. Both cricket teams played very well last week and the girl's team brought home bronze medals. Quad kids athletics was also great fun and we came second overall. Finally, we manged to achieve second place in the Rounders competition which means we progress onto the games! Well done to all involved.

Finally, next week is Child Sexual Exploitation Week of Action. There is lots of information on our website for parents to keep your children safe online.

Yours sincerely

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