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Dear Parents and Carers,

Fundraising

Firstly, a huge thank you to all involved and participating in the Rusper 150 Celebration fete. It was a great success and genuinely delightful. A very fitting way to celebrate our school, and reassert our community standing after the last two years of COVID impact.

As a headteacher, I am regularly humbled by the significant contributions made by parents to RPS events and fundraising. Yesterday, the 150 fete surpassed all expectations and has raised £4,100 for school funds. This brings our fundraising total to £9,200 for the year. Simply wonderful, and I speak for all staff when I say we are truly grateful. These funds will continue to provide essential resources to further improve the learning experiences of all pupils at RPS.

Thank you, thank you, thank you to Kate C and the whole dedicated FORPS team.

There will be photos of this event and the recent Victorian Dress up day published on the school Twitter page. We will also publish how parents may purchase their own copies of Victorian dress up day photos asap.

Hot Weather Advisory

We are expecting a prolonged period of hot weather until the end of term. It is essential to pupil health and wellbeing that parents ensure children come to school every day with the following.

- Sun cream applied
- A sun hat
- A full bottle of water

Pupils (specifically Hobbit pupils) are not to wear (or bring) hoodies to school. Thank you.

For our part, the school will ensure the following

- Rooms to be ventilated thoroughly. Fans on in all classes and offices.
- Hydration to be monitored with the same rigour as hand sterilising during COVID.
- Pupils allowed out at morning break time, but only to take part in stationary activity in shade. Either in the wooden gazebos or the temporary gazebos or clearly defined shady spots.
- **No football, chasing or vigorous activity of any kind.**
- At lunch time, pupils will be supervised inside instead of outside during the hottest part of the day
- PE of any kind to be done inside – ideally simple gymnastic lessons which don't raise heart rates. This could be balance exercises on mats. 30 minutes maximum.

Thank you in advance.

Nick Avey, Headteacher, Rusper Primary School



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