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Dear Parents

Thank you to everyone for their lovely feedback about our recent fabulous puppet performances. I was delighted the shows were such a success. The children very much enjoyed the workshops and the special retelling of 'The Rainbow Serpent' story which celebrated the diversity and wonders of the world we live in. Your support is very much appreciated.

Class Assemblies

This week all parents with children in Foundation are invited to attend their child's class assembly: Oak class assembly will take place on Wednesday 24th May and Ash class assembly will be on Thursday 25th May. Both assemblies will take place in the school hall at 2.45 pm and entry will be through the office/reception area.

A reminder that parents are able to take photos/videos of their child during school events but it is recommended that images that include other children should not be uploaded onto social media websites unless permission is sought from their parents. Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

Wonderful World Day

A reminder that on the last day of the half term, Friday 26th May, we are celebrating the end of our 'Outback Explorers' Learning Adventure, by holding a 'Wonderful World Day'. 'Wonderful World Day' will build upon the key themes of 'The Rainbow Serpent' story, which reminds us to celebrate the diversity of our world. On this day, the children will take part in a range of learning experiences that will explore friendship, respect for diversity and care for our planet. 'Wonderful World Day', will also be a non-uniform day, with the theme of dressing in bright colours as part of the celebrations. In return for dressing in non-uniform, we ask that the children make a donation of either £1.00 or a special prize for the Summer Fair raffle. All proceeds from the day will go towards the Summer Fair.

Summer Fair

The staff and Friends of Rushcombe are beginning to organise the Summer Fair which will be on Friday 30th June. The Friends would be grateful to hear from any parents who are willing to help on the day. Help is particularly required to set up or tidy up afterwards, serve refreshments, look after different stalls and do face painting even if you can only help for a short time, such as half an hour, your help would be much appreciated.

The School/Friends would very much appreciate it if there a parent in our community or if there is someone you know, who is able to match fund one of our events, such as, our summer fair. Some organisations have arrangements where there employees can ask for match funding for a school's fundraising event. If this is something you think you can help us with please contact a representative of the Friends or the school office. Thank you in anticipation, for your help and support.

Finally a reminder, this half term will finish on Friday 26th May and the half term break will begin on Monday 29th May. I hope you all have a good week and I look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 5th June.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'C Mahon'.

Mrs C Mahon
Headteacher