Dear Parents/Carers

We are very much looking forward to having those who can join us for our Fishermoss Platinum Jubilee Lunch on Thursday 23rd June @ 12:30pm.

A reminder that the deadline has passed for ordering a school lunch for the 23rd of June for your child.  As previously shared, no other lunch options will be served in the dining hall that day, only pre-ordered burger picnic lunches are available.  If you have not ordered a burger picnic lunch for your child, you will need to provide them with their own packed lunch from home……and if you as parents are attending then of course remember your own picnic lunch too!

Our Jubilee Picnic Lunch will be following our School Sports to be held at 10:30am @ Bourtree Park. Pupils in P1 to P7 will be involved in our School Sports and we would be delighted to have parents attend to cheer them all on.  Pupils should wear normal PE kit.  If it is cold, pupils can of course wear tracksuit bottoms and layers.  If the ground is damp School Sports will not go ahead as slips and trips are very likely.  Please avoid telephoning school to find out if Sports have been cancelled as this prevents other essential calls from coming through.  We will send out a text message to confirm plans.

In the event of rain, the Picnic Lunch will be held indoors and timings etc will remain as 12:30-1:30pm but unfortunately, we will not be able to accommodate parents indoors as we do not have the space.  Cancelled School Sports on the morning of the 23rd will not necessarily mean cancelled Picnic as weather conditions could change by lunchtime.  We do hope the sun shines for what should prove to be a memorable day!

**Pre-Loved Uniform……**Need any last-minute school uniform or would like some extra items as back-up for the new academic year.  Attached is a current list of the donations available.  Items shown as 'Used' have hardly been worn and are in very good condition/almost new.  Suggested donation is £2 per branded item, other items £1 and jackets £5.  However, times are extremely difficult at the moment for some, if you need help in getting uniform then please just ask.If there is anything you need then grab these whilst you can by messaging one of our parents Zarina Mohammed-Dogra directly on [zarmo40@hotmail.com](mailto:zarmo40@hotmail.com)

All monies raised will go towards funds directly helping the school and benefitting the children.

**Play Equipment and Play – Primary School Children……**Play is an important part of development, encouraging health and growth of minds and bodies through social, emotional, physical, and mental skills.  Landscape Services are asking for children’s views about the development of future of play areas, to better understand what is currently available and what they would like to see in the future.

By completing the survey your children will assist in shaping exciting, fit for purpose play areas in the future.

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[engage.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/play-equipment-and-play-primary-school-children](https://aberdeenshire-my.sharepoint.com/personal/margaret_ferguson_aberdeenshire_gov_uk/Documents/Documents/COVID-19/Communication%20to%20parents/engage.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/play-equipment-and-play-primary-school-children)

**‘Up-date on Free School Meals/Clothing Grant/Scottish Bridging Payments: Summer 2022’…….** Please find attached a letter regarding this.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend!

Kindest regards

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