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3<sup>rd</sup> February 2017

Dear parents,

### **Skip2Bfit**

The whole school seems to be skipping crazy after our skipping workshop on Monday.



Mrs Marshall was the champion staff skipper but I am pleased to say that, after a 40 year gap, I can still skip too! Over 100 children have bought their own skipping ropes and we have some spares so that everyone can improve their skipping scores at play time. We have 50 more skipping ropes arriving today so it's not too late if your child would still like one of their own.

### **School Uniform**

A couple of uniform reminders please:

- Children do need coats with hoods for playtime: we do go out to play in the rain!
- Girls are welcome to wear school trousers or tights if they have chilly legs but not leggings or black jeans please.

Details for PE kits and school uniform can be found at:  
<http://www.horspath.oxon.sch.uk/parents/uniform/>

### **Music Assembly**

The highlights of our wonderful music assembly last week are available for you to watch at: <http://www.horspath.oxon.sch.uk/gallery/music-assembly-jan-2017/>  
Thank you very much to Mrs Cooke for organising it for us.

### **PTA Cake Sale**

Our first fundraiser of the term is next Friday 10 February at 3.15pm  
Donations of home baked cakes, cookies or other tasty treats gratefully received. Cakes can be brought to school on Friday morning/afternoon ready for the sale after family assembly. Don't forget to bring some cash with you on the day to sample the tasty treats!

Please check the school website for the minutes from our last meeting and the school calendar for upcoming events and activities. [www.horspath.oxon.sch.uk](http://www.horspath.oxon.sch.uk)

Thank you all in advance  
Michelle Legg - Chair Horspath School PTA

### **Spring Term dates for your diary:**

Friday 3rd February	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 6 IMPS trip
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Family Assembly 2.45pm
	PTA Valentine themed cake sale 3.15pm
	<b>13<sup>th</sup> Feb – 17<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>
<b>Half Term</b>	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Book Week
27 <sup>th</sup> Feb – 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Author Visit
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' Evening 4pm-7pm
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Parents' Evening 3.30pm-5.30pm
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	<i>Dress up as favourite book character</i>
<i>Thursday 2nd March</i>	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Friday 3 <sup>th</sup> March	PTA Book Sale 3.15pm
	Junior Citizens Year 6 trip
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Class Photos
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	Acorn Class Dinosaur workshop
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Family Assembly 2.45pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	No Family Assembly
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Topic Display 3.15pm
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Topic Display 9am
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	PTA Easter Egg Competition
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	9.15am Easter Service
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	School Closes at 1.30pm
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>10<sup>th</sup> April – 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>
<b>Easter Holidays</b>	
<b>Summer Term:</b>	Monday 24th April
INSET	Tuesday 25th April
School Reopens	<b>8<sup>th</sup> May – 12<sup>th</sup> May</b>
<b>Key Stage 2 SATs Tests</b>	<b>22nd May – 26th May</b>
<b>Key Stage 1 SATs Tests</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> May – 2 <sup>nd</sup> June
Half Term	Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July
School Closes	

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Emma Coleman  
Headteacher