Dear Families,

Well, we have made it. Our first full year in school for three years! It has been wonderful to be back together again all year; to have Sports' Days and Leavers' Assemblies as usual. How lucky we feel.

We have said a fond farewell to our Leavers. On Tuesday we spent the morning in St Mary's Church and heard about our six leavers from Warthill. It was a hugely enjoyable time and we were joined by both Revs Nick and Mark. Next, we celebrated the primary journey of our six leavers from Sand Hutton. This time we were joined by Mrs Harrison and Mrs Baker who presented the boys with their bibles.

Last Friday evening, we had our second **I'm a Year 6 Leaver Get me Out of Here** event. We spent three fun hours with the leavers from both schools, completing challenges, eating pizza and toasting marshmallows around the fire pit. We all enjoyed listening to their memories of school as they signed t-shorts which Mrs Naylor had enjoyed ironing transfers on to! Ask her.....

Sports' Days went ahead as planned. At Sand Hutton, despite the rain which set everyone off, the skies cleared and the sun shone for our races. At Warthill we suffered a postponement the first date and were rewarded with a glorious reserve date. We really enjoyed the ice lollies at the end! Thank you FOWs!

This week has been hot beyond words. I would like to praise the children for the way in which they have coped with the heat and continued to be kind and thoughtful to one another. I would also like to thank staff for getting to the end of each day in those temperatures...it has been a new challenge!

Finally, we can't end the year without mentioning that this is the end of Mrs Naylor's 25<sup>th</sup> year. We marked the occasion with a bouquet of flowers, presented to her at the start of Leavers' Assembly. See the fabulous photo! Thank you Mrs Naylor!

Thank you too, on behalf of all staff for your thanks, good wishes, cards and gifts. These are extremely thoughtful.



Have a super summer and we look forward to seeing everyone safe and sound in September

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