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8<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

I'm writing to you to share some key dates for your diaries for the Year 6's over their last few weeks here with us at Botley:

Costumes in school on a labelled hanger for the production:

- **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> June**

Production Matinee performance:

- **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July (1:30pm start)**

Production evening performance:

- **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July (Children back in school for 5:30pm for a 6:00pm start)**

A letter will be sent out nearer the time for ticket requests. There will be a short interval where FOBs will be serving refreshments.

We visit Portsmouth Cathedral, along with other Church of England Primary schools for the Year 6 leaver's service which is on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July**. Your child will need their winter uniform for this trip please - it is important to us to look smart at this service and we will also be taking photos outside the Cathedral too. This visit will take place during our normal school hours and the children will require a packed lunch.

Year 7 induction days are on:

- Deer Park: **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June**
- Wildern: **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June**

Any children going to different secondary schools should attend school as normal on this day and participate in their induction day on the appropriate date.

Year 6 also have their pool party on the afternoon of **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July**. Please ensure they have their swimming kit in on this date. After they swim it will also be their leavers picnic and leavers cake. Please select either the pizza or fish finger option on the Swift Kitchen app for this date for their Leaver's picnic. If your child does not wish to have the leavers picnic, please provide them with a packed lunch on this date - thank you.

We have a celebration afternoon activity planned in for the children on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July**.

We will also be putting together our Year 6 leaver's service for over the road at All Saints Church on the final morning of school for parents and we would like to invite you back to school for tea & biscuits promptly after:

- **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July** (9:30 start at the Church & 10:30 - 11:15 back to school)

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact any of the Year 6 team.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Cooil', written over a horizontal line.

Mr. J. Cooil  
Headteacher