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## NEWSLETTER 6 Summer Term '19 Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2019

### Poetry at Mellers

On Thursday June 20<sup>th</sup> Dominic Berry, our regular visiting poet, is coming to see us again for the day. He is going to perform a whole book in assembly at 9.00am and we would really like parents to attend too. He will also be doing a book sale of his own books after school; all his books are £7.00 to buy. Please join us then if you can.



### Word and Grammar of the Week

We thought we would share our word and grammar of the week with you, so that you can further help your children with their English skills:

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### Word of the Week

ridicule

### Operation Orphan

Once again we are taking part in Operation Orphan this year. If you have any unwanted coats, gloves, scarfs or warm clothing you can donate it to this charity. Please drop your donations off to the school office. Many children around the world will be very grateful for your kindness, thank you.

### Outdoor Improvements around School

Next week, weather permitting, there will be contractors on site to install a new safety surface beneath the trim trail. Later they will be laying artificial grass in the nursery playground too. We hope that these projects will not only improve the look and feel of those areas but increase safety too.

### Head lice

We have had a rise in the number of children with head lice recently in school. Please check your child and treat if necessary. For more information, follow the link below:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

Have a lovely weekend!

**Amanda Dawson, Headteacher**

### Nottingham Youth Orchestra Taster Sessions

Are you a young musician aged 8-18 who would like to develop your passion for music and perform better than you thought you ever could? Nottingham Youth Orchestra has FIVE orchestras to suit all abilities, and is offering FREE taster sessions throughout the summer term 2019 for anyone interested in joining. If you would like to play your instrument with NYO visit:

[www.nottinghamyouthorchestra.org](http://www.nottinghamyouthorchestra.org)

or see Miss Townsend for an application form.

### Dates for Your Diary

**MONDAY 10TH JUNE 2019:** Year 1 Phonics testing week

**MONDAY 17TH JUNE 2019:** Year 3 Residential to Sherwood Forest and Chinese Concert for parents

**TUESDAY 18TH JUNE 2019:** Y6 Bikeability begins

**THURSDAY 20TH JUNE 2019:** Dominic Berry, our poet, is in school performing his book in assembly, parents invited

**WEDNESDAY 26TH JUNE 2019:** Key Stage 2 Production

**THURSDAY 27TH JUNE 2019:** Last Area band

**MONDAY 1ST JULY 2019:** Year 5 Residential to Hagg Farm

**MONDAY 8TH JULY 2019:** Year 6 Residential to Boggle Hole

**MONDAY 15TH JULY 2019:** Sports day

**TUESDAY 16TH JULY 2019:** Reports to parents

**THURSDAY 18TH JULY 2019:** Disco night

**FRIDAY 19TH JULY 2019:** Awards Assembly

**TUESDAY 23RD JULY 2019:** Year 6 Leavers treat - Roller disco

**THURSDAY 25TH JULY 2019:** Founders assembly

**FRIDAY 26TH JULY 2019:** Leavers assembly and break up for summer holiday 1.15pm finish!