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EXTREME TEMPERATURE UPDATE – OPTIONAL 1:30PM EARLY COLLECTION + Y4 PLATFORM CRICKET FESTIVAL

Dear Parents,

Due to the forecast of extreme temperatures, we are offering parents the option to collect their child early at **1:30pm** on **Thursday 25th June** and **Friday 26th June.**

Please note that this earlier collection time is **optional**. School will remain open as normal, and children who are not collected at 1:30pm will continue with their usual school day and finish school at 3:15pm.

After School Care will run as usual on both days for those who are booked to attend.

For children in **Upper Key Stage 2** who have existing permission to walk home independently, we ask that parents notify the school in advance via. email or telephone if they would like their child to leave at **1:30pm** rather than at the end of the normal school day.

Y4 Platform Cricket Festival: Due to extreme temperatures forecast for Friday 26th June, the school have made the decision to withdraw from the Platform Cricket festival. Year 4 children should attend school as usual on Friday 26th June.

Thank you for your understanding and support as we take steps to ensure the wellbeing and comfort of all pupils during this period of exceptionally hot weather.

Yours sincerely,

Miss D Buckley

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Deputy Headteacher