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Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Year 6 'socially distanced picnic'**

As time at Summerhill Academy draws to an end, we feel it is important for Y6 children to come together and celebrate this monumental time of their lives. In line with our risk assessment, we are able to offer a 'socially distanced picnic' on the school field to all Y6 children. The picnic will take place on Wednesday 8 July.

This will provide children with an opportunity to spend time with their friends, class and teachers before the end of the school year.

Children will need to enter the school premises via the field gates, where a member of SLT will be present to greet and sign children in. To ensure we maintain social distancing measures, we require classes to arrive and leave at precise times:

Violet class to arrive at 11:45am; leaving at 1:00pm  
Indigo class to arrive at 11:50am; leaving at 1:05pm  
Purple class to arrive at 11:55am; leaving at 1:10pm

If children need to queue to enter the school field, they will need to do so maintaining at least a metre distance from others and along the school field fences.

In order to maintain social distancing and safety measures, we require the following:

- Children to be provided with their own food/drink, as due to the current situation, the sharing of food is not permitted. *Please ensure the school's 'no nuts' policy is adhered to.*
- Bring a towel or picnic blanket to sit on, allowing for physical distancing of at least 1 metre. Children must stay seated on their blanket for the duration of the picnic.
- Children must follow adult instructions in order for the adults to keep everyone safe.
- Children must not attend if a member of their household has COVID-19 symptoms or diagnosis or if they are showing any of the following 3 symptoms – new persistent cough, high temperature, loss of smell or taste.

Please note there will be no toilet facilities available for the children during their hour and 15 mins at the picnic.

During this time, we are also asking for you to return any school library books on entry to the school field. A member of staff will be able to sign the book/books back in to school.

To confirm your child's attendance and whether your child will be collected or walking home alone, please message your child's class teacher on Class Dojo. If you are not connected on Class Dojo, please email with the subject heading 'FAO Miss Kirstie Coombes' to the [info@sa.cabot.ac.uk](mailto:info@sa.cabot.ac.uk).

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

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