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Dear Parents,

The trip to Birdworld on Monday was a great success. Children and adults had a great day out in the wonderful hot weather. Events like this are not possible without your support – so a huge ‘thank you’ must go to the family members who came with us.

Hanging Basket Competition – A huge thank you to Ms Colley and Ms Todman who worked with the children to grow the most wonderful hanging baskets. Their efforts have been rewarded by achieving **FIRST PRIZE** in the hanging basket competition open to everyone in the Junior School and **HIGHLY COMMENDED** for the sunflower and willow garden.

Teddy Bears Picnic – Friday 16 July, 11.30 a.m. – 1 p.m. If you are accompanying this walk to Governors Green – don’t forget your picnic. This event is for children transferring to school. Please provide a packed lunch. A list of helpers and children will be put on the whiteboard very soon.

DON’T FORGET TO BRING TEDDY TO NURSERY FOR THE DAY!

Packed lunches

A big reminder to everyone that the **final hot lunch** for this term is on Friday 16 July. Packed lunches are needed until the end of this term, throughout Holiday Care and for the beginning of next term – Wednesday 1 September, Thursday 2 September and Friday 3 September. **Hot lunches resume on Monday 6 September.**

Reminder for those children returning next term – the end of term is Wednesday 21 July the first day of the Autumn Term is Wednesday 1 September.

This week the theme has been ‘Black/ white and sorting materials’ – and following the visit to Birdworld, the children have enjoyed recalling the day and talking about their experiences of animals and birds.

Next week, the theme is ‘Colours of the Rainbow’. The children are looking forward to singing for you on Tuesday in the ‘Presentation to leavers’ and have been practicing hard! (They have even been heard singing in the bathroom!) The sound of the week is ‘m’, and the imagination room will remain as a ‘Colourful Café’.

Presentation to leavers

Just a final reminder – on Tuesday 13 July in the David Russell Theatre at 9.30 a.m. – all family and friends of nursery children very welcome.

Have a good weekend.

Lois Johnson.