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Dear Parent/Carer,

Please remember the **school walk and PTA barbeque** tomorrow. The barbeque is taking place in the school field behind the village hall. All pupils taking part in the walk should come to school dressed for the walk, including appropriate footwear and clothing. They should bring sun cream and an empty plastic bottle which can be filled before the walk starts. Reception and nursery children need an adult to walk with, older children will be supervised by staff, but parents, family and friends are most welcome. The long walk departs at 2.15pm, the short walk departs at 3pm. Children not walking should be collected at 3pm. The buses depart school at 3pm.

Any parents bringing dogs on the walk must not bring the dog into the playground and during the walk dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.

At the end of the walk all children will be escorted into the school field and children must not return to school during the barbeque. The school will be locked at 4pm; this is for safeguarding reasons.

A reminder about the **leavers' disco** on Tuesday 18th July for years 2-6, tickets have now been handed out.

The year 6 **leavers' assembly** takes place on Monday 24th July at 1.30pm in the school hall, all year 6 parents, carers and families welcome.

A reminder about the school uniform: School sweatshirts, polo shirts and P.E. shirts are available from Sue Knowles, spare forms in the office or on the school website. Children should wear black, grey or navy school skirts or trousers and girls may wear blue or pink gingham dresses in the summer. Children should wear plain socks or tights and flat black shoes which securely fasten with laces, buckles or velcro. **All clothes should be clearly marked with your child's name.** PE Kit—Please ensure your child has a royal blue T-shirt, black or navy shorts and plain socks. Children should have a suitable change of footwear for PE: black pumps (KS1) or trainers (KS2). All items should be **marked with their name** and be in a named PE bag. This can be kept at school and taken home at regular intervals to be washed.

A reminder that school finishes at 2pm on Tuesday 25th July; there will be no after school club on that day.

Yours faithfully, Mr D Parker

SUMMER SPORTS FUN DAY—Mr Finch, our school sports coach, will be running an end of year summer sports fun day at North Ripton School on Wednesday 26th July from 9am—3.30pm. The day will include sports tournaments, dodgeball and water based games. The day is open to anyone in years 2-6. Cost is £25 per child, places limited to 22. To book a place email Mr Finch on jmfinch.coach@gmail.com

TERM DATES—

School closes for summer—Tuesday 25th July at 2pm

School re-opens—Tuesday 5th September