



## Hillstone

## News

Welcome back everyone. I hope you had a good half term break and enjoyed the Platinum Jubilee. I loved the atmosphere at our Platinum Picnic on the Friday before we broke up. Thank you to everyone who came along and celebrated with us. We have a jam packed half term ahead, I know I say that at the start of every term but this term it's seems more so than ever. They are all events that we know will make valuable and memorable learning experiences for our children, but there is a heavy workload for our staff, if you can help in any way we would love to hear from you.

This week I want to highlight three of our upcoming events. The first is for Father's Day, we have had requests for a few years to run an equivalent to our Mother's Day Secret Room. I will make it clear to children in assembly that if they wish to purchase a gift it can be for any special person in their life. The gifts cost £2 and can only be paid for in cash. I would really like the children to earn that money by doing jobs or using pocket money. In that way I feel it is a much more meaningful gift.

I also want to encourage you to come along to the Shard End Community Games on Saturday 18th June. This is a free event and is being provided in order to celebrate the Commonwealth Games coming to Birmingham. Some years ago I took my grandchildren along to the Sutton Community Games and it is what has inspired me to create our Mela. I am delighted that we now have the event in Shard End, childen will have the opportunity to try lots of different physical activities.







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