

SOUTH HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Building Character, Learning Together'

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Dear Parents and Carers

End of Academic Year 2023-2024

We have celebrated so much this year and have brought learning to life, through historical theme days, school trips, sports events and our bespoke Sports Day and International Day. The South Hill Art Gallery was our best ever and it took place during our school Ofsted inspection too!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our parents and carers for your continued support this year. As always, our relationship with you as parents of our pupils is so important to us and we hope you know we are always here to help your child. I would also like to thank our wonderful PTA for the events they have led in support of raising money for our school.

We would like to wish all our Year 6 pupils the very best of luck as they start a new chapter and adventure at secondary school. It has been a pleasure having you at South Hill School and giving you the foundations for the next step in your journey. Keep safe, keep strong and keep smiling! You all have much to give! To those families that leave us, we wish you the very best for the future and thank you for being part of our South Hill Family.

We say goodbye to teachers Miss Goss, Mrs Tomsa and Miss Van Komen. We also say goodbye to support staff Miss Harvey and member of the safer travel team (Iollipop man), Tom. We thank them all for being part of our South Hill team and journey and we wish them luck for the future.

"Summer has, so far, been reluctant to show its face, but the end of the summer term will soon be upon us. Our year 6 pupils will be moving on to continue their education at secondary school. This year is particularly poignant for me personally as my granddaughter is in that cohort and very soon, she - and her classmates - will be walking out of the South Hill gate for the final time. We wish them all the luck in the world. Some members of our staff are also moving on; on behalf of the Governors, I thank you for all that you have done in your time at our lovely school and wish you the very best for the future. Between now and the beginning of September please take the opportunity to rest, recharge your batteries and enjoy whatever you do in those summer weeks. The Governors look forward to catching up with you all again in September. Take care."

Mr Hans Peters, Chair of Governors

Finally, I would like to thank all the incredible staff for their dedication and devotion as part of team South Hill and of course our South Hill pupils!

On behalf of all the South Hill staff, the Governing Board and myself, we wish you a safe and happy summer break and we look forward to seeing you at 8.40am on Wednesday 4th September for the new academic year 2024-2025.

With best wishes and thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

J Wellbelove

Miss J Wellbelove Headteacher









