

5th May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer



Reception - Art Exhibition/Auction - Friday 20th May to Sunday 22nd May

As part of our Jubilee celebrations, the children in Reception are going to display their wonderful Jubilee Artwork in a gallery space down Humber Street - Pop Up 1, 66-68 Humber Street, Fruit Market, Hull HU1 1TU.

Each Reception child will paint a canvas which has kindly been donated by Beal Homes, which will be exhibited for three days in the gallery. The exhibition will conclude with a live auction where parents will be invited to make a donation to buy their child's artwork – all proceeds will go towards resources for the Reception outdoor classroom.

We would love to invite parents and friends to visit the exhibition and attend the auction. The auction will start at £1.00 and will be maximum bids of £5.00, rising in £1.00 increments. This is a bit of fun and ultimately the parent will have the winning the bid. A golden Auction Paddle will be given to the parent of the artist and, when raised, automatically finishes the bidding at that price. This allows the parent to control how much they wish to pay and ensures that they win the auction.

Any parents not attending on the day can submit their Golden Paddle bids before the day, so the painting is automatically pre-sold. Any unsold canvases will automatically be 'bought' by Beal Homes for £3.00 to ensure no-one misses out and will be returned to the School so the child can take them home.

Light refreshments will be available during the live auction.

The main exhibition will be from Friday 20th May to Sunday 22nd May as follows:

- Friday 20th May 10.00 am to 4.00 pm
- Saturday 21st May 10.00 am to 4.00 pm
- Sunday 22nd May 10.00 am to 4.00 pm AUCTION TO START AT 2.00 PM

We are very excited by this opportunity and would like to send a big 'Thank you!' to Beal Homes and the Williams family for organising and supporting this event.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Hannah Stephenson

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Head Teacher

On behalf of the Reception Team