

Ice cream van request

Non-Confidential

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We have received a request from a resident asking if it is possible for the Station Road gate to be opened on Friday 17th July (last day of school term) for an ice cream van to park in the grounds.

A group of parents have organised an end of term celebration at Station Road, as they have done in previous years. They have stated that it would be safer for the children queuing if the ice cream van could be inside the grounds, rather than parking in the gateway (and the children queuing near the road).

Considerations

- As we don't have staff working on a Friday, we would have to consider issuing the gate key to one of the parents.
- We would have to specify that the gate must not be left open for other vehicles to drive in.
- We are aware that the Bowls Club have a beginners session starting at 6:30pm and we wouldn't want their access to be impeded.