



WOOD END INFANT SCHOOL

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March 2017

It is hard to believe that we are approaching the end of another term. I would like to say thank you to everyone who has supported our parent workshops, coffee mornings and reading sessions.

We held parent consultations earlier this month, I was really pleased to see how many parents attended, these are very useful sessions about how your child is progressing and developing at school. If for any reason you were unable to attend, please arrange a time to meet with your child's class teacher.

Year 1 children will perform their spring concert later this week; Classes 6 and 8 on Thursday and Classes 5 and 7 on Friday, the performances take place at 9 a.m. parents and carers of the children performing are invited to join us.

School closes for the Easter holidays on Friday 31st March at 2.15 p.m. and will re-open for the summer term on Wednesday 19th April. May I take this opportunity to wish you all a very enjoyable spring break.

Looking forward to the summer term

I wrote earlier in the term about new initiatives that families would like to see in place at our school. I am pleased to announce that every Monday starting 24th April the school field will be open to families to use after school.

We are looking for volunteers to come to school on Saturday 6th May. We need keen gardeners, people who enjoy painting and anyone who can spare a few hours to help improve the outdoor learning areas for our children. The morning will start at 10 a.m., if you are able to help please let a member of the office team know. Thank you in advance for your support.

Spring Craft Afternoons & Raffle

The afternoons were so well supported and everyone that I have spoken to said how much they enjoyed them. These afternoons are about taking time out from busy lives and coming together with year group team members and being able to spend time with your child.

We raised £367.35 and raffle tickets are still being sold, I will let you know the total at the beginning of the summer term.

Raffle tickets are on sale from the school office, the raffle will be drawn at the end of the Concert on Friday 31st March. The first prize is a signed QPR shirt, other prizes include: toys, chocolates & gifts. The money raised will be used to purchase new equipment for the playground.

We will be meeting to discuss plans for the summer carnival after the holidays—please come along and give your thoughts on how we can make it the best yet.



What's Happening at Wood End Infants



Wednesday 29th March
child

9.00 - Reception classes—Read with your

Thursday 30th March

9.00 - Year 1 Spring Concert—classes 6 & 8

Friday 31st March

9.00 - Year 1 Spring Concert—classes 5 & 7

School closes at 2.15 p.m.

Wednesday 19th April

School re-opens for summer term

Friday 21st April

9.00 - Summer Carnival planning meeting—all parents and carers welcome.

Staffing Changes

On Thursday 30th March we say goodbye to Mrs. May who has worked at our school as a Teaching Assistant for 11 years. Miss Payne, class 4 teacher, also leaves us at the end of term.

On behalf of Team Wood End I would like to thank them for their support and wish them both the very best of luck in their new ventures.

Healthy School

Parents have asked us to encourage all parents to meet their child with a healthy snack rather than cakes or sweets. Thank you to everyone who is already doing this.



Attendance

The following classes achieved 100% attendance this term: 1, 7, 9 & 11—in fact classes 1, 7 & 9 managed it twice!

As a reward the class visits Wood End Academy to play on their bouncy castle, I hope that by the end of the summer term that every class has been able to bounce!



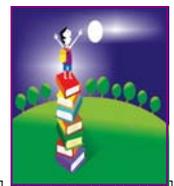
Active Kids Vouchers

We are collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers. They can be given to your child or handed into the school office. Thank you in advance.



Book Fayre

I am pleased to let you know that we were able to purchase £300 worth of books from Scholastic as a result of the total value spent on books at the book fayre—thank you for your generosity.



Nursery Places—September 2017 intake



If your child was born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014 you can now apply for your child to attend our Nursery. Application forms can be collected from the school office.

We are able to offer a limited number of full time Nursery places, from 7.45 a.m. until 5.30 p.m. Monday - Friday, during term time.

The cost of a full-time nursery place is £180 per week. If you, or someone you know, is interested, please speak to a member of the office team.

