

## **WEEKLY BULLETIN**

**SPRING TERM 2018**

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March



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### **ATTACHED: SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR**

### **SCHOOL LETTERS SENT HOME BY PARENTMAIL OR BOOKBAG DURING LAST WEEK**

- Art club cancelled
- Year 4: Message from Miss Marriage and Mrs Crabb
- Year 4 & 5 sickness bug
- Parent Help Needed for School Disco
- Quiz night tonight
- Letter from Mrs Clayton - English Leader
- Year 6: PTA Yr 6 Calendar Photos
- Cookery club - Summer Term
- WFJS turns 50 this year! Message from PTA
- BOOK WEEK SIGNED BOOKS
- Book signing by children's author at 3.30pm today in School Hall
- Hip Hop Dance After School Club
- Music Celebration Evening – Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March
- School Disco tonight

### **KEY DATES FOR NEXT SCHOOL WEEK**

<b>Mon 19<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parents Evening 3.45 - 7.00pm.</li><li>• Scholastic Book Fair – Parents welcome 3.30-6pm</li></ul>
<b>Tues 20<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Secret Garden Production – Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March - 2pm – 3pm</li><li>• Parents Evening 3.45 – 6.30 p.m. Scholastic Book Fair – Parents welcome 3.30-5pm</li><li>• Selected Year 5 &amp; 6 to Tag Rugby tournament Priest Hill 12.45-3.30/4pm</li></ul>
<b>Weds 21<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Selected Year 5 to Quicksticks Hockey Tournament 3.30-5.30pm Rosebery School</li></ul>
<b>Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Healthy Eating Day</li><li>• Football match A &amp; B team home match v Cuddington Croft. Kick off 3.35pm</li><li>• Music Celebration Evening 6.30-8PM. BYO Refreshments</li></ul>
<b>Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> March</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hooke Court assembly 9am – Parents welcome</li><li>• Sports mufti day – children welcome to wear sporting clothes</li><li>• Sports Relief Fun Run. Bring in sponsorship forms. Parents welcome 2.30-3.30PM</li></ul>

### **BOOK WEEK WINNERS & THANK YOUS**

Book Week was a huge success again this year. We are again wowed by some excellent costumes, saw lots of great reading and our visiting authors inspired the children to get writing themselves. Thank you to the PTA who paid for all the fabulous book week activities that were on at the school this week. Thank you so much to all the parents who came in to read to children during book week. We were amazed with the weird and wonderful places your children were photographed reading; but well done to the winners George Kumposcht and Matilda Muchmore. We saw some great spelling in our spelling bee competition and the winner in Year 3 was Charlie McClean Anderson, Year 5 Elena Evers and Year 6 Emma Kennedy (Year 4 will be announced on Monday). Several children matched the teacher to the baby photo but no-one guessed Ms Bishop was Heidi; and the winner pulled out the hat was Lily King.

### **YEAR 4 HOOKE COURT ASSEMBLY FRIDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH 9AM**

I hope all the Year 4 who went to Hooke Court this week had a fabulous time. Year 4 parents/carers are welcome to come along at 9am on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March to the Hooke Court assembly to hear all about their residential trip.

### **SICKNESS AT SCHOOL**

With the recent spate of illnesses in Year 4 and Year 5, we would like to reassure you of the more rigorous measures that we have put in place to ensure a higher standard of hygiene. All children have been reminded in a whole school assembly of the importance of hand washing before eating. Teachers have reminded the children to wash their hands before having lunch, but often children forget to do this. So we have asked the mid-day supervisors to also tell the children to wash their hands directly before eating their lunch - as they line up ready to go into the lunch hall. For this week, we have taken additional measures of providing hand sanitisers at the point of entry into the dining room. We will continue to reinforce the message of the importance of personal hygiene. We hope that you will also be able to support the school in the endeavour to raise all their personal standards. Only with the support of parents and carers can we ensure that the children are fully aware of this message.

### **THE SECRET GARDEN PRODUCTION – TUESDAY 20<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2pm-3pm**

As a late addition to our school diary and as an extension to Book Week, the whole school is being treated to a **free** production of 'The Secret Garden' by M & M Productions on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm. (The Year 5 & 6 Rugby Tournament will continue as normal).

### **PRIMARY MATHS CHALLENGE**

Four amazing mathematicians got through to the bonus round of the Primary Maths Challenge in February. Out of 68,000 pupils from across the country only 1,500 reached the bonus round. Fariqleet, Eshan and Zahra achieved bronze and Lauren T achieved silver. They should be very proud of their amazing achievement. Well done.

### **PARENTS' / CARERS' TEACHER CONSULTATION EVENINGS**

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March 3.45 - 7.00pm & Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 3.45 – 6.30 p.m.**

All parents/ carers meetings will be in the main school hall. The children's work will be set out in their classroom so please allow time to browse through their books. Seating area for waiting will also be in the hall. A bell will ring every five minutes as a reminder for the end of each session. We are unable to offer crèche facilities and duty of care for children that attend will be with their parent/carer. Please note only Club Vale children are permitted to climb on the activity trail /climbing frame/trim trail. **All clubs will be on as normal** during Parent /Carers Teacher Consultation Evening. **Club Vale will relocate to another room** to be confirmed on Monday and children will need to get changed for their sports clubs in Red room.

### **SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR ON MONDAY 19<sup>th</sup> AND TUESDAY 20<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2018**

Please see [attached flyer](#) about the Scholastic book fair – a great way to help the school raise money. Don't forget to send your children in with cash in a named purse or envelope if you wish your children to buy a book during the day. Parents are also welcome to view the fair in the Canteen after school or during the Parents Evening (until 6pm on Monday and 5pm on Tuesday).

### **MUSIC RECITAL EVENING - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, School Hall at 6.30pm-8.00pm**

We are holding our annual Music Evening on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March. There will be performances from the School Choir, Chamber Choir, Theatre Arts Group and soloists from years 5 and 6. Permission slips have gone out so if you haven't signed one for your child, please get them from Miss Veal, or send her an email by Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March at the very latest. During the afternoon the children will rehearse in the Hall so will need to bring a reading book or colouring book in to entertain them whilst they are waiting. In the evening the doors will open at 6.00pm for a 6.30pm start and anyone is welcome to come and watch, even if you aren't part of the performance. Please feel free to bring your own refreshments (and cups / plates etc!) to enjoy whilst the performance is going on. If you have any queries, do email me at [nveal@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:nveal@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk)

### **YELLOW HOUSE MUFTI DAY – WEDNESDAY 28<sup>th</sup> MARCH**

Yellow house mufti day was postponed due to the snow day and will now be on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2018

### HEALTHY FOOD DAY – THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> MARCH 2018

A whole day will be dedicated to a wide range of cross curricular activities to promote healthy eating. An important part of the day will involve children working together to make a simple healthy snack, which they then enjoy in their classroom. We will be requesting that children bring in a contribution to their ingredients and some cooking utensils – please look out for a message from your child’s class teacher next week, with more specific details. We are mindful of the children in school with allergies and will request foodstuffs without nuts or traces of nuts. Some Year 5 & 6 children will be asked to bring in a knife; if so please ensure it is a small vegetable or fruit knife and named. **PARENT/CARER NOT PUPILS MUST HAND ANY KNIVES DIRECTLY TO THE TEACHER** and collect back after school. We really appreciate your support – thank you.

### YEAR 3 - PARENT HELPERS REQUIRED FOR HEALTHLY FOOD DAY & DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

We need Year 3 parents to help with making fruit salads during the afternoon of Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March. We also need parents to help Year 3 with papier-mâché for night light lampshades during the afternoons of Monday 26<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March. Please contact Ms Bishop or Miss Anderson if you are able to help.

### YEAR 4 PARENT HELPERS FOR HEALTHLY FOOD DAY – THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> MARCH

In Year 4 they will be making smoothies so any hand held blenders that we could borrow would be great. Due to time constraints, we want the children to bring their fruit in pre-cut into bite-sized pieces. Help would be appreciated from 10.30-11.30 (and possibly for cleaning up after we take the children in to practise their assembly would be great!). Please email Miss Marriage and Mrs Crabb if

### YEAR 6 PARENT HELPERS REQUIRED FOR D&T – MONDAY 25<sup>th</sup> MARCH

We are looking for some parent helpers to help with hot cross bun making in Year 6 D&T lessons. We will be making the hot cross buns in the morning (10.30-12.10) and in the afternoon (1pm – 2.45pmish) we will be glazing and baking them. Please email Mrs Clayton if you are able to help at [JClayton@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:JClayton@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk)

### LAST CLUBS BEFORE EASTER

We thought it would be useful for you to know when after /before school clubs finish before Easter. If you need to make alternative childcare arrangements, please contact Club Vale <http://www.clubvale.co.uk/wallace-fields/>. See attached the draft clubs timetable for the Summer Term.

AFTER & BEFORE SCHOOL CLUBS	LAST DATE BEFORE EASTER
ART CLUB	WEDNESDAY 22 <sup>nd</sup> MARCH
BASKETBALL BALL UP SPORTS	WED 21 <sup>st</sup> MARCH & MONDAY 26 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
CHESS	WEDS 28 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
COOKERY	MONDAY 26 <sup>th</sup> /TUES 27 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
ECO CLUB	THURS 22 <sup>nd</sup> MARCH
FILM REVIEW CLUB	THURS 22 <sup>nd</sup> MARCH
FOOTBALL PRODIRECT	MON 19 <sup>th</sup> / WEDS 21 <sup>st</sup> MARCH
FOOTBALL TEAM TRAINING	THURS 22 <sup>nd</sup> MARCH HOME Match
GYMNASTICS	THURS 22 <sup>nd</sup> MARCH
HOMEWORK	FRIDAY 23 <sup>rd</sup> MARCH
JUDO	THURSDAY 22 <sup>ND</sup> MARCH
JUNIOR GAME CREATORS	MON 26 <sup>th</sup> & WED 28 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
KEY NOTES KEYBOARD	TUES 20 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
NETBALL TEAM TRAINING	WED 28 <sup>th</sup> MARCH HOME MATCH
NETBALL ROCKETS	MON 19 <sup>th</sup> MARCH & TUES 20 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
TAG RUGBY	TUES 20 <sup>th</sup> MARCH
THEATRE ARTS	FRI 23 <sup>rd</sup> MARCH

## 5H – SWIMMING SUMMER TERM

We are required to provide swimming instruction as part of the PE National Curriculum which all Year 5 children complete. 5H will be starting their swimming instruction at Epsom College in the Summer Term. **Please note that the first lesson is on the first day back at school in the Summer Term - Monday 16th April.** Please make a note in your diary to remember swimming costumes. Please ensure all donations and permission slips are returned by the end of term.

## WELCOME TO A NEW SCHOOL GOVERNOR

We are happy to welcome a new School Governor who is currently a parent at the school Ann Farquhar. Tessa Burnett has stepped down as a School Governor and we thank her for her contribution.

## SECOND HAND BOOK DONATION TO CLASS LIBRARIES

Any books in good condition that are no longer wanted are welcome for donation to the school – more especially we are looking to top up our class libraries selection to improve the availability of age appropriate books. Books with a red spine sticker are class library books – the class libraries have dwindled – please return them to school if found – no fine or punishment for late return – we just want our books back.

## PTA

### WFJS & SPORT RELIEF PTA FUN RUN & INFLATABLE ASSAULT COURSE – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2.30-3.30PM

Don't forget to fill in your child's sponsorship form for the sports relief run and tick the box for gift aid. **Children can wear sports clothing mufti for the day.** All monies raised will be split 50/50 between Sports Relief and the WFJS PTA. The PTA will donate to Sports Relief on your behalf (with gift aid claimed if ticked). Sponsorship forms have gone out in book bags. Parents are welcome to come and watch the fun run from 2.30-3.30pm and then take their children home at normal time.

### DATE FOR YOUR DIARY – 27<sup>th</sup> APRIL

Another film night has been booked for Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April when the PTA will be showing Paddington 2. Flyers will be sent out nearer the time.

## COMMUNITY

### SURREY YOUTH GAMES - SIGN UP NOW

The Specsavers Surrey Youth Games is the largest multi-sport youth competition in the county. Spread over the weekend of the 23-24 June it brings together 7-16 year olds from Surrey's 11 districts and boroughs who have had free training from their borough in their chosen sport. Click here for more information and to find out which sports your children are eligible for. <http://www.activesurrey.com/SYG> and <https://www.epsom-ewell.gov.uk/syg>

### EASTER HALF TERM FOOTBALL

Come and join us this Easter half term for some Professional Academy coaching and football fun! Each day will consist of a variety of different technical and tactical sessions in a fun and safe environment. All players will receive a certificate of their attendance with chances to win medals and trophies! Please note spaces are limited for this course. We will receive a visit from a Premier League Scout during the week to view the players. To book your place now please contact Joe Butler on 07505 270599 or email [joebutler@theacademycoach.co.uk](mailto:joebutler@theacademycoach.co.uk) for further details. [www.theacademycoach.co.uk](http://www.theacademycoach.co.uk)

### TALK ON IMPENDING PUBERTY FOR GIRLS AND BOYS WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER – SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup> MARCH 10.15am-12pm

Beyond Autism School's consultant will provide a behaviour analyst's approach to feminine and masculine hygiene and self-care at Cheam Baptist Church. RSVP at [Focussurrey@hotmail.com](mailto:Focussurrey@hotmail.com) as seating limited. Donation of £2 appreciated. Visit [www.beyondautismschools.org](http://www.beyondautismschools.org)