

Tune in on Tuesday

Wheelwright Lane Primary School Newsletter

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Diary Dates

Diary dates for the Summer Term are shown below and will be included and updated on every newsletter.

18.05.2017	Y1 - Ryton Pools trip - all day
19.05.2017	School photographs
22.05.2017	Maths Challenge week
24.05.2017	Yr 3 to Rugby Museum
25.05.2017	Yr 3 and 4 classes - Crystal Maze Challenge
26.05.2017	Yr 5 and 6 classes - Crystal Maze Challenge
26.05.2017	Break up for half term
05.06.2017	School re-opens 8.45am
07.06.2017	STWA Assembly - whole school
08.06.2017	School disco - P.A. organise
08.06.2017	President Kennedy Y6 - transition meeting at 'The Bridge'
09.06.2017	Yr 5 class assembly and opportunity to look at children's work throughout the year 2 o'clock start.
14.06.2017	New Reception and Nursery parents meeting
16.06.2017	Nursery children to Brandon Marsh
16.06.2017	Fathers' Day gift afternoon (P.A.)
20.06.2017	Returning Nursery children - Parents' evening

INSET Days 2017/18

INSET days = Friday 1st September
 Monday 4th September
 Monday 30th October
 Friday 5th January

1 further day will be allocated at a later date.

Attendance

YR	95%	Y4	97%	Winners Y3 - 100% Well done! ★
Y1	97%	Y5	94%	
Y2	96%	Y6	99%	

Attendance for week commencing the 8th May overall was 97%. Very Good attendance achieved.

Sports fixtures

19.05.17	Yr5 and 6 football match @ St Francis 3.45p.m. kick-off (children return at 5.15)
25.05.2017	Yr5/6 hockey tournament @ St Michaels 3.45 -5.30

P.A. events

23.05.2017	P.A. meeting in school hall 4 o'clock start
08.06.2017	School discos R/1/2 5-6 and 3/4/5/6 6.15-7.15
16.06.2017	Fathers' Day gifts -collect this afternoon (£5 per gift)
16.06.2017	80th birthday celebration for the school - more details to follow.

Nursery places for September

Our Nursery is now taking applications for places for September 2017. Please contact the Nursery directly and speak to Mrs Foxall or complete the application on the website to ensure a place for September.

Extra-curricular activities

Monday	Library Club	Yr 5	3.15 – 4.15
Tuesday	Football	Y3 & Y4	12.30 - 1.00
	Multi-skills	Yr 1 and 2	3.15 - 4.15
	Cookery Club	Y4	3.15 – 4.45
Wednesday	Football	Y5/6	12.30 – 1.00
	Hi 5 Netball	Y3/4/5/6	3.15 – 4.15
Thursday	STEM Club	Yr2	3.15 – 4.15
	(starts 2 nd Feb)		
Friday	Penalty Shoot-out	KS2	12.30-1.00

Safeguarding

Please be aware when allowing children to use adult phones for playing 'youtube' videos and on-line games. Some of the pop-ups that appear randomly while viewing, and the related videos that can be accessed easily may contain material that is not suitable for children. It may seem an option when your child is waiting with you and may be a little fed up or impatient to allow your child access to your phone/electronic device to keep them engaged and quiet but there may not be parental controls in place to block unsuitable material. We would strongly advise you to not allow your child access to your phone/electronic device. For more information regarding how to restrict access on mobile devices please follow the link below.

<http://www.internetmatters.org>

Use the "Activate parental controls and filters" interactive link.



New lunch menu

Our new lunch menu has been launched for next week. Copies have been sent home with the children and are also available on our website and the notice board inside the children's entrance to the building. Please take a look at the new menu and help your child choose their meal for the day to help them get used to the choices.

Please note:- Lunchboxes sent home at the end of the day will contain contents of any leftovers that your child has not eaten in order for you either amend the amount or variety of lunch that you prepare.

If we have any concerns regarding your child's eating/appetite we will discuss this with you at the end of the day.

Yr 4 trip to Poole's cavern

Year 4 finally got to go on their trip to Poole's Cavern in Derbyshire and by all accounts it was well worth the wait. They enjoyed a day filled with lots of new learning and exciting experiences. If you are looking for a great place to go then this is an ideal trip for the family. They behaved extremely well throughout their time at the centre and on the long journey there and back. Well done Year 4.



Sainsbury Vouchers

Sainsbury's have now stopped issuing the vouchers. We have counted up what we have so far which is 4687! Please check your handbags, purses, pockets etc and send in any vouchers you still have. We cannot use them if they are not sent in before our order deadline for this year. The collection box is in the entrance hall outside the school office.

80th Birthday Celebration

The P.A. would like to support the school in celebrating our 80th birthday in July. They would like this to be a combination of an afternoon of watching performances from all the children in school and from outside organisations who can provide entertainment for our families. If any of your children belong to dance clubs, martial arts groups etc. and would like to provide a demonstration on the day then please let the P.A. know and we will accommodate them.

We are also looking for any past pupils who may also belong to musical groups etc. to come along and play or sing a couple of songs at the celebration.

There will be a couple of traditional style stalls; coconut shy, BBQ and drinks etc.

We are also encouraging outside providers to run stalls themselves; this proved very popular at Christmas. Stalls will be available from £5 onwards depending on the size of stall requested.

It is hoped that this is a wonderful celebration of a lovely school with a long history in the area and that children and families can take away some lovely memories from the day.

If you can give some time to support then please do come along to the next meeting and join in with the activities.

School Photographs

It is our annual school photo day this Friday, 19th May. The children will all be photographed on this day individually and with their siblings. If your child has any pre-school siblings and you would like them to be photographed together, you can bring them into school between 8.00 am and 8.45 am.

Please note, if your child is in Year 3 we will be giving you a separate date for their photograph as they are going swimming in the morning, this will also apply to photos with their siblings. We will advise you of this date on Monday.

If your child is in Nursery on Friday morning, they will be photographed during the morning session (this includes with siblings unless they are in Year 3) If they are not normally in on Friday mornings, you can bring them to the 8.00 am session.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Farndon in the office.