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Mighty oaks from little acorns grow

Dear Parents and Carers

As we come to the last week of term, I would like to say a huge well done to all of our wonderful pupils for a fantastic year of learning, along with being incredibly polite, kind and respectful to others. I am so proud of all our children and they are a credit to you all. Thank you so much to parents, carers and family members for your support and kindness this year too. We really appreciate how well supported our pupils are and have enjoyed you attending events in school this year.

Finally, special thanks to all our adults that work or volunteer in the school to make it such a special place. This includes all our wonderful staff, governors, Friends of School, Ministry Team and volunteers.

I hope that you all have a very well-deserved, restful, enjoyable and safe holiday and I look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday 4th September.

Kind regards, Holly Marchand

“Ark - A Musical Adventure”



On Tuesday and Thursday last week, the Y6 children performed “Ark – A Musical Adventure” to parents, friends and families, ably supported by the Y5 children. The show told the story of Noah’s Ark with a slight twist, with the animals performing a talent show, judged by Noah’s wife and sons. The children learnt their lines and songs extremely well and performed with confidence and enthusiasm. Thank you for supporting your child with preparing costumes, learning lines and attending the show. A huge thank you to all the staff for their hard work and preparation.

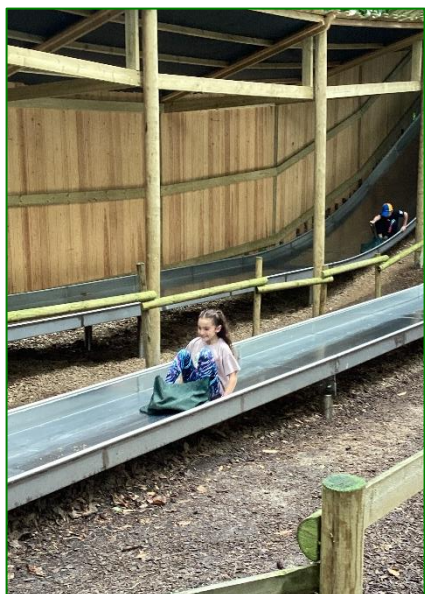
School Transition Day

On Wednesday 17th July, all children will get the chance to spend some time with their new teacher, teaching assistant and class members in their new classroom. All pupils will receive a transition sheet with their end of year report that will show photos of their new teacher, teaching assistant and classroom. It will also show a photo of the door pupils should enter through each morning in September. We hope these sheets will be helpful to pupils over the Summer break.



Today we say goodbye to our fabulous group of Year 6 children. Their positive attitude to learning and the effort that was put into their recent SATS tests is to be applauded. We’re proud of all their achievements throughout their time at Worlingham CEVC Primary, and they have been a credit to our school and themselves. We hope they will continue with such positivity in their new schools next year. Good luck Year 6, we wish you well.

Year 3/4 Trip to Bewilderwood



On Tuesday, the Y3/4 children went on their school trip to Bewilderwood. We all had a great time sliding down the Slippery Slopes, swinging on the Wobbly Zip-wires, and searching for feathers in the Sky Maze.

We enjoyed climbing on the equipment up high, and overcoming obstacles too.

The children showed great enthusiasm and curiosity, and great encouragement for each other too. Well done everyone!



School Uniform Reminder

Please could we remind you to send your children back to school in September in the correct school uniform, in particular black school shoes. We do have a selection of preloved uniform available.

Boys – Grey trousers/shorts, grey or black socks (no logo), V necked navy blue sweater embroidered with school logo, pale blue polo shirt

Girls – Grey skirt or trousers, V necked navy blue sweater or cardigan embroidered with school logo, pale blue polo shirt, grey or black socks/tights (winter), blue checked dress and white socks (summer).

Shoes – Plain black shoes must be sensible and appropriate. Shoes with heels are discouraged and should be low. We prefer children not to wear trainers.

Indoor PE – Navy nylon PE shorts, white PE t-shirt, plimsolls

Outdoor PE – Trainers, navy tracksuit/jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt top.

Jewellery/Hair/Make-up – One small pair of stud earrings. No jewellery to be worn during a PE lesson. Children should not come to school with dyed or highly gelled hair, or wearing any face/eye make-up or nail polish.

FOOD HYGIENE RATING



Well done to Jennie Mathews and her wonderful team, who recently had an unexpected food hygiene inspection, and maintained the top rating of 5.



Friends of School

Thank You...

The Friends of School have had a busy year raising funds to support the learning of the children from EYFS to Year 6. Non-uniform days, cake sales, raffles, family bingo nights, a Year 6 disco, and the extremely successful Summer fete, which raised an amazing £1,400, are just some of the activities organised by the Friends.

On behalf of the staff and children, I would like to thank the Friends team for their tireless efforts to raise money for all of our children. Your efforts are greatly appreciated and we look forward to future events next year.

Goodbye...

We are saying a sad farewell to Kate Garwood, who is leaving the Friends at the end of term. A special thank you for all that you have done for our school, Kate. We will miss you x

Diary Dates

- 17th July 2024 – Transition Day
- 17th July 2024 – Y6 Transition SJLHS
- 18th July 2024 – Y6 Transition SJLHS
- 19th July 2024 – Y6 Transition SJLHS
- 19th July 2024 – Last Day of Term
- 2nd Sept 2024 – PD Day
- 3rd Sept 2024 – PD Day
- 4th Sept 2024 – First day of Autumn Term
- 28th Oct 2024 – Half Term Week
- 4th Nov 2024 – PD Day
- 20th Dec 2024 – Last Day of Autumn Term
- 6th Jan 2025 – PD Day
- 7th Jan 2025 – First day of Spring Term
- 17th Feb 2025 – Half Term Week
- 4th April 2025 – Last Day of Spring Term
- 22nd April 2025 – PD Day
- 23rd April 2025 – First Day of Summer Term
- 26th May 2025 – Half Term Week
- 22nd July 2025 – Last Day of Summer Term