It was great seeing so many of you at the school games afternoon yesterday. The children displayed the school values and were very supportive of each other. I really hope you enjoyed yourselves. As for the staff race, there will be a full enquiry later, please see Miss Fallon for the outcome! The summer term is always a busy one and there are lots of events happening over the next few weeks, please see below:

**Thursday, 30**<sup>th</sup> **June** – parent information evening for year 2 new starters

**Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> June** – Arno Vale transition morning

**Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> June** – year 6 transition day at Arnold Hill Academy

**Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July** – year 6 transition day at Arnold Hill Academy

**Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> July** – Inset day (school closed to children)

**Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July** – year 6 transition day at Redhill Academy

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July** – parents' open afternoon to come in and look at the children's work, more information to follow

Friday, 8th July – 3.35pm summer fayre

**Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> July** – year 6 to Arnold Hill for the afternoon for a music festival

**Thursday, 14**<sup>th</sup> **July** – year 3 visit to Brackenhurst

**Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> July** – year 5 Inspire day at Arnold Hill Academy

Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> July – 6pm year 6 Showcase

Tuesday, 19th July – 6pm year 6 Showcase

**Wednesday, 20**<sup>th</sup> **July** – school closed in the afternoon for Mrs Burnham's funeral.

Tuesday, 26th July – year 6 leavers' festival

There have been a number of sporting events happening over the last couple of weeks; Mr Ward and Mr Hicking took a boys' football team to Arnold Hill for a festival and our team played three matches and won them all. Mr Baker took the girls' team to play St Peters at East Bridgford in the semi-final and once again, they won taking them through to the final. Our boys then played against Burton Joyce playing extremely well but just losing out on penalties.

Mrs Lund then took a group of year 3 children to Woodthorpe tennis club for a festival which

they thoroughly enjoyed. Well done to all the

children.

Our year 6 children had a wonderful time at PGL Caythorpe Court last week. They were very fortunate with the weather and I am sure they all slept very well over the weekend. My thanks go to the staff who give up their spare time to make these trips happen.

A silver key was handed in to the school office after the school games afternoon yesterday, if you have lost one, please contact the school.

A gentle reminder to the parents of children in year 5; if you have not already done so, there is a payment due for the Willersley Castle residential, we will be holding an information meeting about this before the end of term. For year 3 parents, payment is due for the Brackenhurst trip on 14<sup>th</sup> July and to everyone with children in years 3, 4 and 5, if you have not already done so, to pay the deposit for panto trip in December, thank you. All payments are to be made on ParentPay. Once a payment has been made, for example for tuck shop or for trips, they will disappear from your ParentPay account, if you are ever unsure, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

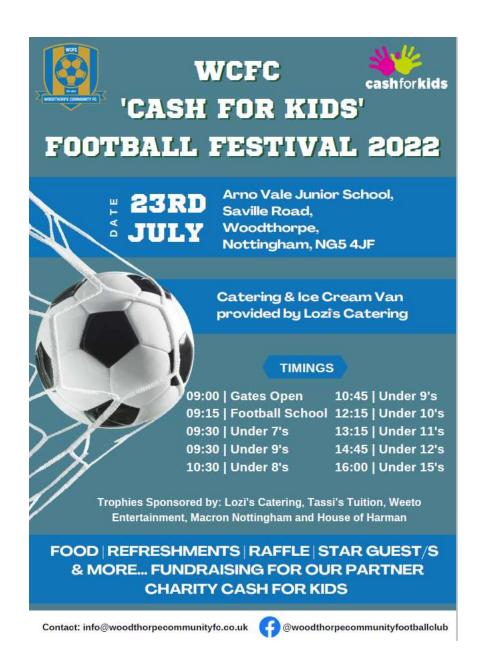


If you missed the opportunity to order a tea towel, there will be a number of them for sale at the forthcoming summer fayre.

#### **Community News**

Woodthorpe Infants PTA are holding a fayre after school today to celebrate the school's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday. If you would like to go and support them, you are more than welcome.

Woodthorpe Community Football Club are holding a festival on 23<sup>rd</sup> July at the school. If you know of any refreshment companies (cakes etc) that could be at the festival, please let David or Nik know by emailing the club, thank you.





Please see the attached letter regarding Wear Red, Save a Life. As we have an inset day on Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> July we and Woodthorpe Infant School will be holding ours on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> July.













