

SPRING TERM 2018

Friday 12th January



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SCHOOL LETTERS SENT HOME BY PARENTMAIL /IN BOOKBAGS

- Specific Silent Auction yet be claimed
- Year 3 Running club
- All New after school film

- All Groups for English and Maths
- All Eco Club
- All Lost property

NEW WEBSITE LAUNCHED https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/

Our new improved website has now launched. The website and the Weekly Bulletin should be the first places parents look to answer any queries about the school. It contains all the diary dates, school teacher contact details, uniform, Weekly Bulletins and school policies. Each Year Group has its own page with their topics, curriculum, homework requirements, visits and teachers. https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/pupils
This area also has separate pages on reading, spelling and maths which include useful links so you can help your child at home. Don't forget to look at the Parents section for useful information https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/parents, sports section for the latest sporting fixtures and teams https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/sports and the clubs section with the latest club timetable and club letters including dates and club leader contact details https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/clubs

YEAR 6 CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Class 6C will be on Friday 26th January and Class 6G will be on Friday 2nd February. Parents are welcome to attend these, which are held in the School hall from 9.00am until 9.30am. See all the assembly dates on the School Calendar https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/school-calendar

YEAR 4 PARENT HELPERS NEEDED FOR DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY DAY

On Thursday 25th January Year 4 will be spending the day making and sewing money containers so we would appreciate some parents' help. Even an hour of your time would be much appreciated. If you are able to help, please email Mrs Crabb at PCrabb@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk Or Miss Marriage SMarriage@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk

REGULAR PARENT HELP NEEDED IN MORNINGS

Can you (or a family member) spare a morning a week to help in the class room. We rely on parent helpers to help teachers prepare resources, filing, putting up displays and other admin tasks. Year 3 are particularly in need of help, although we prefer not to use parents/carers of Year 3 pupils. It is a great way to get to know the school better and gain experience in a school environment. Full DBS is required but help is available on this. For more information please contact Mrs Boddy on Office1@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk

ESAFETY MEETING FOR PARENTS - MONDAY 5th FEBRUARY 9am-9.40am

Safeguarding Lead of Surrey to come in to talk to parents. Please put the date in your diary. More info to go out next week.

CLOSING DATE FOR 2017 RECEPTION AND JUNIOR SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

Closing date for Reception and Junior applications for September 2018 entry is **15 January 2018.** Full information is available at www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions or for help call 0300 200 1004.

DINNER MONEY IS NOW DUE

Invoices for School Dinners went out at the end of last term for this terms dinners. Payment is now due.

CLUBS AND CLUB VALE

If your child is not attending Club Vale or any after school club it is very important that parents / carers **inform the club leader before the day.** Time is wasted by the Club Leaders and the School Office in establishing if a child has been collected by a parent rather than attending the club.

DATES FOR 2018/2019

We have had a few enquiries about dates for next year. Although we have not yet assigned our INSET days for next academic year, you can find the term dates which are set by Surrey County Council. <u>Click here</u>

DO YOU SEE YOURSELF AS A SCHOOL GOVERNOR?

We have some vacancies for school governors and would really like parents and local people to get involved in the governance of our school. As a local authority school we strongly welcome community governors (so perhaps you know a parent or neighbour who might enjoy this role) so please let friends and neighbours know about it. It is a rewarding and fulfilling role that truly links the local area with us here at Wallace Fields Juniors. If you see yourself making an active contribution to the school why not contact the school office to let us know of your interest.

PTA MOVIE NIGHT

The next movie night will be on **Friday 2**nd **February 3.30-5.30pm**. Tickets will go on sale soon. Please let us know if you are able to volunteer at the movie night - helping sign children in and out and hand out the snacks. Volunteers are welcome to bring any younger siblings to watch the movie for free. Please contact PTA organiser raemiles@gmail.com

GIFT AID

PTA are in the great position now of being able to **claim back Gift Aid on donations**. We can now claim back on sponsorship, school fair entrance fees and more. More details to follow in subsequent weeks.

PTA DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Friday 9 February Year 5 Cake Sale
- Friday 2 March Quiz Night Book your babysitters now for this great parents night out
- Thursday 15 March Spring Disco
- Friday 23rd March 2-3.30pm Joint Sports Relief / PTA Fund Raiser

EASY FUNDRAISING

Bagging a bargain online at the end of the January sales? **Please don't forget to use Easy Fundraising.** Collect free donations for us when you shop online with over 3,100 shops and sites. So easy to sign up and so easy to do. https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/wfjspta/ASYFUNDRAISING

COMMUNITY

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE CROWNED BRITAIN'S BEST LEGO BUILDER?

Channel 4's "Lego Masters" is looking to find Britain's most talented amateur lego builders. http://www.channel4.com/programmes/lego-masters Applicants must be over 9 years. Email build@tuesdayschild.tv to register your interest.

COLIN BULL SWIMMING LESSONS QUALITY LESSONS FOR ALL AGES

Colin Bull swimming lessons are held evenings and weekends at Downsend School (Leatherhead) and Epsom College. Classes are run by qualified, experienced instructors with helpers in the water. Small groups with excellent results. They run adult classes for all abilities. They hold lessons for aged 4 & above without parent and aged 2½ and above with parent. For more information Tel: 01372 739600 Email: colin@cbswimming.co.uk. Or go to www.facebook.co.uk/cbswimming