

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

SPRING TERM 2019

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January



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**ATTACHED: School Disco Flyer**

## SCHOOL LETTERS SENT HOME BY PARENTMAIL /IN BOOKBAGS

- Science & Spanish club
- Fitness Mile
- PTA news

## KEY DATES FOR NEXT WEEK

- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January – Selected Year 5 & 6 SPORTS MILE 8.20am
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January - 12:40 - 13:10 1st Physifun session on playground

## IMPORTANT - WHOLE SCHOOL

### AFTERNOON TEA AND MEET THE GOVERNORS, HEAD & DEPUTY - Thursday 31st January 2019 at 1.30pm

If you have an interest in meeting our new Chair and Vice Chair of Governors and joining them on a walk around the school, then this is the ideal chance to ask questions and find out how the school runs. We are holding an afternoon tea session, where you can come and chat to us about the school on: Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019 at 1.30pm. We will then take you on a learning walk round the school so that you can see the school in action. If you are interested in attending this meeting, please email: [office1@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:office1@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk)

### NEW RECEPTION SIGNING IN FACILITY

You may be aware that we now have a new electronic signing in system at reception. To comply with our safeguarding policies **all visitors** to the school must enter through the School Office and sign in. If you need to look at lost property or have a meeting with a class teacher please ensure you sign in. Please sign out when you leave. Also any children arriving into school after 8.50am will need to sign in and parents picking up early for an appointment will need to sign their child out.

### PLEASE HELP US MAKE WALLACE FIELDS JUNIOR SCHOOL EVEN BETTER – CONTRIBUTE TO OUR SCHOOL FUND

We have a fantastic PTA who raise significant funds for the school, however, if in addition each year every family contributed to our School Fund this would make a real difference to our school. You might like to make a small regular monthly payment or a one off donation. If you would like to donate to the School Fund with Gift Aid claimed, please do so via the PTA using this link <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/8007>. The PTA is a charity and can claim gift aid from the Government, increasing your donation by 25p for every £1 donated, whereas the school is not a charity and cannot do this. If you would rather make a donation direct to the school, please do so via Tucasi <https://www.scopay.com/wallacefields-jun> or by monthly direct debit via your bank (form attached). This year we are aiming to replace some of the worn out classroom furniture. Many thanks for your support, whether great or small, as it all helps to support the children.

## YEAR 3

### MISS HALLETT

We are pleased to announce that Miss Tiffany Hallett, who is currently a Higher Lever Teaching Assistant (HLTA), has started her teacher training and her main placement for her practice is with us at Wallace Fields Junior School. Miss Hallett will be fulfilling a wide range of teaching tasks and group activities. Her main placement is in 3A, supported by the class teacher Miss. Anderson and her mentor is Mrs. Clayton (English leader). Miss Hallett's secondary placement is one day a week at Wallace Fields Infant School.

## YEAR 3 AND 4

### PHYSIFUN SESSIONS IN THE PLAYGROUND

From Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January the Sports Crew and Miss Dandy will be run a Physifun session on playground on Fridays from 12:40 to 13:10 for children in Year 3 and 4. The first twenty year 3 and 4 children who turn up at lunchtime that will be able to participate in a wide range of physical activities for all abilities.

## YEAR 5 AND 6

### MONDAY FITNESS MILE

A letter and slip was sent home to parents earlier in the week with information about the "Fitness Mile" initiative. 20 children have now been selected to take part in the Fitness Mile and they have been informed. These children will need to be in school on a Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January by 8.20am in their trainers, come rain or shine! They can choose to wear sports kit if they wish, but it is not necessary. Warm outer wear can be worn on the colder days. The session will last for only 15 minutes and take place between from 8.30-8.45am. Entrance will be through the school office and we will assemble and take a register in the Red Room at 8.20am.

## YEAR 6

### YEAR 6 BOOSTER GROUPS

During this term, some children may be included in Booster groups for Reading, Writing or Maths. The intention is to provide an opportunity within a small group, to consolidate key areas and support further progress. These are short focused sessions but will not be held during core subject lessons (Maths or English).

## OTHER NEWS AND REMINDERS

### USE OF TOILETS BY SIBLINGS AND PARENTS AT PICK UP

Recently a few parents have been bringing in siblings to use the toilet facilities at pick up. Please try and avoid this if at all possible; but if **an emergency** then parents must come into the school via the school office and, to ensure safeguarding procedures, we will insist on any parents sign in and out again.

### RUGBY COACHES NEEDED

We are still looking for rugby coaches for Years 4 & 6 to help Mrs Wilson select and train a tag rugby team during lunchtimes (day of the week is flexible). Please email Mrs Wilson if you are able to help on [LWilson@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:LWilson@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk)

### CLOSING DATE FOR 2019 RECEPTION AND JUNIOR SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

Closing date for Reception and Junior applications for September 2019 entry is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Full information is available at [www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions) or for help call 0300 200 1004.

### FOUNDERS DAY THURSDAY 14<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY

Any Brownies, Cubs or Scouts may wear their Scout uniform to school for Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February to celebrate the Founders Day.

### THANK YOU FOR THE BOOKS DONATION

Thank you to the person who donated the the Project X Code reader books. It was very generous and a great help.

## PTA

### DECISION ON FILM NIGHT

Sadly the PTA has had to **cancel the planned PTA movie night**. Unfortunately due to lack of volunteers we are going to have to cancel the PTA film night on Thursday 17th January. This is a real shame as not only does it raise an average of £450 for the school, the children really enjoy it. Please do volunteer to help for just one of the PTA events if you can as all PTA funds make a huge difference to school resources.

### PTA VALENTINES DISCO – 14<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 5.30-6.45PM

DJ Tony is back for the Spring disco. £5 per child **pay on the door** and includes drink and snack. If your child cannot eat crisps, please send in an alternative snack in a named bag. Entrance and Exit for Year 3 is through class 3A, Year 4 through 3M, Year 5 through 4G and Year 6 through class 4C. If your child cannot eat crisps, please send in an alternative snack in a named bag. Flyers will go out in book bags shortly.

## LOCAL COMMUNITY

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