

WEEKLY BULLETIN

SPRING TERM 2019
Friday 15th March



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ATTACHED: SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR POSTER, QUIZ FLYER, ACADEMY COACHING EASTER CAMP, BOURNE HALL KIDS CLUB.

SCHOOL LETTERS SENT HOME BY PARENTMAIL /IN BOOKBAGS

- Year 4 Dance Festival
- Author visit – book signing reminder
- Reminder year 6 Leavers hoodies
- Specific parents – Parents Evening not yet booked
- Reminder – Comic Relief 15th March – Fun Run & Mufti
- Year 3 - Message from Year 3 class reps

KEY DATES FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday, 18 March	9:00am - 5B start Swimming Scholastic book fair – children visit during the day & parents welcome 3.30pm 3:45pm - Parents Evening
Tuesday, 19 March	11:30am - Sportshall Athletics County Finals (selected Year 5 & 6 pupils) Scholastic book fair – children visit during the day & parents welcome 3.30pm 3:45pm Parents Evening
Wednesday, 20 March	Blue House Mufti Day Rehearsal for all participants of music evening (except band)
Thursday, 21 March	11:50am - Year 3 & 4 Tag Rugby Tournament (selected pupils) 3:45pm - Netball Away Matches v Auriol and St Clement's (A & B Teams)
Friday, 22 March	9:00am Year 4 Hooke Court Assembly 3:30pm - PTA Year 5 Cake Sale 7:30pm - PTA Quiz Night (times t.b.c.)
Saturday, 23 March	Deadline for Year 6 Leavers hoodies – please order online

IMPORTANT - WHOLE SCHOOL

BLUE HOUSE MUFTI DAY – WEDNESDAY 20th MARCH

Blue House won the most house points for the last Spring term so blue house have been awarded a mufti day for Wednesday 20th March 2019. Children in blue house may wear mufti ideally with something blue.

PARENTS' / CARERS' TEACHER CONSULTATION EVENINGS

Monday 18th March 3.45 - 7.00pm & Tuesday 19th March 3.45 – 6.30 p.m.

All parents/ carers meetings will be in the main school hall. The children's work will be set out in their classroom so please allow time to browse through their books and look at the fantastic wall displays all around the school. Seating area for waiting will also be in the hall. A bell will ring every five minutes as a reminder for the end of each session. We are unable to offer crèche facilities and duty of care for children that attend will be with their parent/carer. Please note only Club Vale children are permitted to climb on the activity trail /climbing frame/trim trail. **All clubs will be on as normal during Parent /Carers Teacher Consultation Evening. Hip Hop has been cancelled but all other clubs will continue as normal. Club Vale will be in the canteen** and children will need to get changed for their sports clubs in Red room.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR ON MONDAY 18th AND TUESDAY 19th MARCH 2018

Please see the [attached flyer](#) about the Scholastic book fair – a great way to help the school raise money. Don't forget to send your children in with cash in a named purse or envelope if you wish your children to buy a book during the day. Parents are also welcome to view the fair in the **Music Room** after school or during the Parents Evening (until 6pm on Monday and 5pm on Tuesday).

MUSIC EVENING REHEARSAL WEDNESDAY 20th MARCH

This is a reminder that Music evening participants will have to bring their instruments/backing tracks etc. on Wednesday 20th for a rehearsal - except the band. The band will do their rehearsal on the 28th March.

YEAR 4

HOOKE COURT ASSEMBLY FRIDAY 22nd MARCH

Come along to hear all about your child's time at Hooke Court at our assembly 9-9.30am on Friday 22nd March

YEAR 5

5B SWIMMING LESSONS

Children in 5B swimming lessons start on Monday 18th March. Please remember to bring in your labelled costume, towel and (if shoulder-length hair) a swimming hat, as well as a fruit snack for when you return to school.

OLD CLOTHES NEEDED FOR YEAR

The digging project was delayed due to poor weather; so on 5M Tuesday & 5B Wednesday instead please can all Year 5 children bring in some old clothes to change into during lessons, that they wouldn't mind digging in and getting muddy. Thank you.

YEAR 6

DATES FOR SCHOOL PRODUCTION & LEAVERS DISCO HAVE CHANGED

School production dates have changed to a week later and will now be on 17th and 18th July. The Year 6 Leavers disco has also now been moved to Tuesday 23rd July.

LEAVERS' HOODIES DEADLINE 23RD MARCH

The WFJS PTA are arranging Leavers Hoodies for Year 6 children to purchase if they wish. They should be delivered in time for the children to wear on the trip to France in June. Please use the following link to order by **23 March 2019** as the orders will be **closed** by this date. Hoodies cost £21 each and payment details are on the order form. Click here to sign up [Yr 6 Leavers Hoodies order form](#) . If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Fong on jojofong@yahoo.com

REMINDERS & OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SCIENTISTS AND MATHEMATICIANS

Wallace Fields Junior science quiz team were crowned NATIONAL champions early this week in Oxford. Ariya, Ryan and Oscar have also reached the bonus round of the Primary Math Years Challenge with Ryan & Oscar winning a silver medal.

LOST PROPERTY

At lunchtimes we endeavour to return named clothing and other items belonging to pupils directly to them. Unnamed property is put in the lost property unit. Every first and third Friday of each month, unclaimed lost property will be moved into the PTA shed. During the week running up to half terms, lost property will be laid out in the hall for pupils to collect. Anything remaining will be sent to charity. There is an old clothing collection on April 4th organised by the PTA. School uniform with logos will be sold at a PTA second hand uniform sale after Easter. Parents are welcome to have a look at lost property at any time either before the start or at the end of school. **Lost property will also be out during Parents Evening.**

WALLACE FIELDS WANDERERS BATTLE THE WIND!

When the Marsden March was cancelled on Sunday due to high winds, the Wallace Fields Wanderers team refused to be defeated! They re-grouped and met on Epsom Downs and walked their own 5 mile circuit. It was incredibly windy, a little bit wet and chilly, but lots of fun! The team of 32 raised over £1,700 for the Royal Marsden Cancer Hospital. Well done team!

REGULAR PARENT HELPERS STILL NEEDED

Regular parent helpers are needed as we have sadly had a number of current helpers leave us. If you would like to find out more about how you could help please contact the School Office at Office1@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk. Even just a couple of hours per week would be fantastic. Roles include marking times tables, filing, photocopying, laminating,

putting up displays & other general duties.

TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS OF SCHOOL EVENTS

We have a few children at Wallace Fields Junior School whose photographs must not be shared on social media. If you are attending school events please feel free to take photos but please do NOT share on social media - unless they are solely of your own child. Thank you

NO NUTELLA PLEASE

We have a number of children with life threatening allergies to nuts so please **do not** bring in any packed lunches with any Nutella. There is alternatives chocolate spreads with no nuts.

CLUB VALE ARE RECRUITING!

Club Vale are looking for an enthusiastic **Playworker** to join their existing team within their lively Breakfast and/or After School Club. Working in a fun, and play-orientated environment. Term time only. 7.15am-8.40am and 3-6pm. They are open every day and are willing to negotiate a job share. Playwork experience is not necessary as we offer lots of training and support. Free childcare for staff members. Club Vale is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and requires all staff and volunteers to demonstrate this commitment in every aspect of their work. Please call Sally Packer for further information on 07905 394 029.

FREE ONLINE SAFETY WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS AND CARERS – 7th MAY 9.15am WFIS

Muddled by Minecraft or rattled by Roblox? NSPCC and O2 are running a FREE hour-long interactive workshop with tips, tools and advice on how to keep your child safe online. Talking about online safety with your child doesn't need to be difficult – build your confidence to have those important conversations, get to know your child's online world and learn where to go for help and advice. The workshop will take place at **09:15am – 10.15am on 7th May 2019 at Wallace Fields Infant School**. Don't miss out on this great opportunity! Email us at Office1@wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk with the names and contact details of those who want to attend. These details will be shared with the organisers at Wallace Fields Infant School. Places are limited so rsvp as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

AUTHOR VISIT INSPIRED THE CHILDREN

The children came away inspired by Children's author David Fuller who visited us on Wednesday 13th March. If your child missed the chance to buy one of his popular Alfie Jones series then please go to his website where you can buy his books online <https://www.wallacefields-jun.surrey.sch.uk/pupils/reading>.

DORLING DRIVE

Thefts locally this week. Always be vigilant and check you have good home security such as security lighting and keep keys away from the front door.

PTA

QUIZ NIGHT – FRIDAY 22nd MARCH 7.30 for 8pm

Only a week to go until the school quiz night. A rare event for the PARENTS, and it would be lovely to see you there. There is a very affordable bar with table service, free nibbles, prizes and professional quiz master. Adults only but friends and family are welcome. Teams of up to 8 so organise a team or join one on the night! Tickets are only £5 per person. Please pay by electronic transfer: CAF Bank Sort code 40-52-40 Account number 00070280 using payment reference: **QUIZ INITIAL SURNAME** eg **QUIZ F BLOGGS**. If you aren't able to book in advance, of course it is fine to decide on the night and pay on the door. However if you are intending to come and are able then please do book your tickets in advance to help with the planning!

YEAR 5 CAKE SALE – 22nd MARCH

Year 5 please bring in baked and bought cakes (no nuts please). All children can buy cakes after school so don't forget to bring in some money in a named purse or envelope.

THANK YOU FOR SPONSORED FUN RUN

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone for their kind sponsorship today for the Comic Relief / PTA Fundraiser Fun Run. Despite the windy conditions, everyone had fun! Please remember to send in your sponsorship forms if you haven't already sent them in. Tick gift aid if you are a UK tax payer. 50% of all money raised will go to Comic Relief and 50% back into the school to help enhance your children's learning and experience.

ARE YOU DOING A SPRING CLEAN?

Help the school to raise funds by bringing in all your unwanted yet reusable clothing, paired shoes, handbags, accessories, perfumes, bed linen or soft toys on Thursday 4th April by 10 am. Please keep hold of any school uniform with logos, for a PTA second hand uniform sale we plan to do after Easter.

NEW DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – JOINT INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL EVENTS

- Race night is 11th OCTOBER. Book your babysitters and have a flutter!
- Fireworks is 10th NOVEMBER – A great night for all the family!

COMMUNITY

Free workshops & coffee for parents of children with additional needs



Speaking up for the families of children & young people with additional needs in Surrey

Family Voice Surrey is delighted to present...

Fit to learn

Charlotte Davies of Fit 2 Learn will talk about how programme of physical exercises, sound therapy and cognitive games can help learning and calm behaviour.

Come ready to get up, move and experience the full range of your own senses!

10-11.30, Thursday 21st March Community Hall, All Saints, Ewell, KT19 9QY

Dealing with difficult behaviour

Yvonne Newbold, author of the Special Parent's Handbook, will talk about where to start with difficult behaviour.

Yvonne is the mum of three SEND now grown up children who works to help parents and professionals better manage challenging behaviour.

1-2.30 pm Friday
29th March, St. Barnabas Church,
Temple Road, Epsom
KT19 8HA
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Both talks will be followed by tea, coffee and biscuits and a chance for a chat.

Please email becky.r@familyvoicesurrey.org to book www.familyvoicesurrey.org

