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WOODBOROUGH CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

It's been nice to welcome some sunshine this week with the official start of spring and we're all looking forward to the lighter evenings after the clocks go forward this weekend. ☺☺☺

Happy weekend to you all!

Don't forget, if you have something you'd like to add to our weekly newsletter, please email the details to Mrs Hobbs in the school office: admin@woodborough.wilts.sch.uk.

Our Christian Value for this term is:

COMPASSION

Each term we have a focus on an important value in our school which will be high profile in class and in Collective Worship.

News from this week…

On **Tuesday** we received the following email:

NSPCC

Another big thank you for what was a phenomenal effort by everyone at Woodborough**. The final total you raised** (having banked this now) **was £2,111.07!**

That is an amazing amount and the largest from any school across Wiltshire this term.

We take great care of the money you raised and the sort of things we can achieve with that amount include: paying for 5 childline counsellors to answer 100 calls from children who are worried and need someone to talk to; 4 school visits so that children can hear our Speak Out, Stay Safe message and know how to keep themselves happy and safe; a child-line counsellor to work with children for a year to help them overcome their worries and fears. A big difference to 100's and even 1,000's of children.

I was also hugely impressed by the response from the children and parents – with over 70% of forms being returned, which again, is a record for this term.

Many thanks, **Samantha Nolan**

Schools Organiser – Wiltshire and Swindon Region

On **Wednesday** we enjoyed **drumming workshops** across the school from the **Slater Music School**. Free taster lessons are beginning on Monday and you can follow **this link** to the letter about drumming lessons from Mr Slater.

On **Thursday** everyone enjoyed the **mufti day** in support of the forthcoming **PTA Easter Bingo**. Thank you for all of the Easter eggs we have received to date and there's still time to drop any remaining ones into the school office if you've not yet had the time.

This morning, **Friday**, we enjoyed another super **class assembly** - this time, thanks to **Maple Class.**

We were all entertained as the mystery of the missing books unfolded and were treated to a journey through everything the children have learned to date in their class. **Well done everyone!** ☺

http://woodboroughschool.org

You might have already spotted a slightly new look to our **school website** this week. It has been modified to be 'mobile device friendly' and it should now be much easier for you to view on your iPads and phones. *Do let us know if you have any feedback.*

Further to our refreshed website news… Mrs Wren has asked us to mention the **reading lists** that have been added in the *Curriculum Information* area.

Attendance

W/E 24th March 2017	
Attendance	Absences
91.9 %	8.1 %

Learning time lost:
64 Days

Best Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are

CHERRY CLASS

(97.9 % attendance)

Congratulations!

Reporting Absence

Please notify the office of absence and the reason for it by 9.00 am each day.

Tel: 01672 851305 or email admin@woodborough.wilts.sch.uk

Registration Time

The registers are taken in each class at 9.00 am. Please make sure that the names of any children arriving after that time are reported to the school office.

GOVERNORS' INFORMATION EVENING:

ACADEMIES UPDATE…

Join us for an update of where we're at, key decisions and what it all means for our school.

WHEN:

Thursday 6th April, 7 pm

WHERE:

School Hall

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Mission Statement

Woodborough School is about…

Christian caring
Happiness
Inspiring
Learning together
Diversity
Rewarding
Enabling
Nurturing

School Website:
www.woodboroughschool.org

Dates for your diary…

March
28th **- Parents Evening 3.30-6.00pm**
29th - High 5 Netball vs Rowde A -Devizes Leis Cntr 4.40pm
30th **- Parents Evening 5.00-7.30pm**
31st **- KS2 School Meeting 2.45pm**
- PTA Easter Bingo 6.00-8.30pm

April
3rd - Netball Festival - Sheldon School
6th - Governor Information Evening 7pm
7th **- Easter Service 9.30am -St Mary Magdelene Church**
- PTA Nearly New Sale 2pm
- Term 4 Ends
24th **- Term 5 Begins**
25th - Pre School Taster 10.00 -11.00am
28th **- KS1 School Meeting 2.45pm**

May
3rd - High 5 Netball vs Five Lanes 4pm
5th **- Sycamore Class Assembly 9.15am**
8th - KS2 SAT's
10th - PTA Meeting 7pm
12th **- KS2 School Meeting 2.45pm**
15th - Residential Information Evening
17th - Year 5/6 Warner Brothers Trip
22nd - Music For Schools Foundation Presentation 3.20pm
25th - Ascension Day Picnic
- How Our World Works Talk
26th **- Oak Class Assembly 9.15am**
- Woodboroughs Got Talent Auditions
- Term 5 Ends

TD Day reminders and notice of the final one…

As advised on the calendar at the start of this academic year, our school will be closed to pupils on Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th June. In an effort to cause as little disruption as possible, we have tagged our final TD Day, Wednesday 21st June, on to these dates.

19th, 20th & 21st June are all TD Days.

As there are no pupils celebrating birthdays this week… **we'd like to wish you all a very happy Mothering Sunday weekend instead!**

Visit the **'Community Activities'** page on the school website (found via the 'Parents' tab) for news of what's happening nearby. Learn about a wealth of activities taking place at **Wiltshire Scrapstore,** and a reminder of **our Pre-School Tasters** and the forthcoming **PVRFC Barn Dance fundraiser**. Don't forget the usual link to **Pewsey 'Our Community Matters'** too.
This week we've also added a link to news of how **U9's and U11's can register and join Wilcot Cricket Club for the 2017 season** and the details for the **PTA** upcoming **Mummy's Sale.**

NEW SPRING/SUMMER MENU

Menu for week commencing 6th March: (Week 3) – £2.30 per meal Cherry, Lime, Elm & Willow Classes

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
A	All Day Breakfast with Omelette	Beef Tortilla Stack	Roast Chicken with Gravy	Minced Beef Wellington	Fish Fingers MSC
B	All Day Breakfast Vegetarian with Omelette	Veggie Sausage—Daloon	Spanish Omelette	Roasted Salmon	Cheese & Tomato Puff
C	Baked Bean & Cheese Jacket Potato		Tomato Soup & Cheese Baguette White		Chicken Mayonaise Jacket Potato
Served With	Bread, Tomatoes & Baked Beans	1/2 Jacket Potato, Sweetcorn & Coleslaw	Roast Potatoes, Carrots & Broccoli	Herby Diced Potatoes, Green Beans & Cauliflower	Pasta 50/50, Chips, Baked Beans & Peas
Dessert	Banana Toffee Sponge	Strawberry Jelly & Peach Slice	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Apple & Pear Crumble & Custard	Ice Cream Tub

Also served daily: freshly baked bread, freshly sliced fruit, yogurts and fresh drinking water.

PLEASE REMEMBER, PAYMENTS ARE DUE IN ADVANCE (£2.30 PER MEAL) PAYABLE TO EDWARDS & WARD