

NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to July and this week's newsletter. Just three weeks of the school year remain and they promise to be very busy—keep checking your Weduc messages, please...

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

Happy New School Year...

Following the two summer term TD Days there are some brilliant plans, topics, visits and visitors to look forward to from September and it's that time of year when we write to you to share news of our staffing plan for 2022/23:

Class & Year Group	Class Teacher	Support Staff
Oak (YR)	Mrs Parry	Mrs McCormick & Mrs Bishop
Sycamore (Y1)	Miss Papworth-Smith	Mrs Barker
Maple (Y2)	Mrs Johanson	Miss Reeves
Cherry (Y3)	Mrs Barratt & Mrs Crichtard	Mrs Burley
Elm (Y4)	Mrs Needham (<i>Mrs Crichtard</i>)	Mrs Taylor
Lime (Y5)	Mr Dyson	Mrs Ellis & Mrs Hayes
Willow (Y6)	Mrs Wren (<i>Mrs Turner</i>)	Mrs Moore-Bethel
<i>Teachers' Planning, Preparation & Assessment Time (PPA) - Mrs Butler, Mrs Barratt & Mrs Crichtard</i>		

In a change from our current arrangements, and in the interest of professional development, Miss Papworth-Smith will be moving to teach Year 1 and Mrs Needham will return to Key Stage 2, to teach Year 4.

In the autumn term, as you know, we'll be saying temporary farewells to Mrs Wren and Mrs Needham for the durations of their maternity leaves.

We will welcome Mrs Turner to Year 6 from the beginning of the autumn term and she and Mrs Wren will teach Willow Class together, until Mrs Wren's maternity leave commences at the end of September. Mrs Wren plans to return after the Easter holiday, when both she and Mrs Turner will teach Willow Class together again until the Key Stage 2 SATs have been completed.

Mrs Needham plans to commence her maternity leave at the end of Term 1 and we are grateful to Mrs Barratt and Mrs Crichtard who have agreed to change their working arrangements to provide maternity cover and continuity for the children.

Moving-on Morning on Monday 11th July will give all children and teachers an opportunity to begin to get to know one another.

Meet the Teacher sessions after school will enable parents to meet their child(ren)'s next class teacher(s) and will run as follows:

Monday 11th July	Sycamore Class (Y1) & Maple Class (Y2)	3.30 - 4.00 pm
	Lime Class (Y5) & Willow Class (Y6)	4.00 - 4.30 pm
Tuesday 12th July	Cherry Class (Y3) & Elm Class (Y4)	3.30 - 4.00 pm

A few reminders...

Y6 Bikeability on
4th, 5th & 7th
July



Visit to Southbourne Beach by Oak
and Maple Classes Friday 8th July

Departing at 8.00 am
prompt.
Returning in time for the end
of school.

KS2 present 'Alice in
Wonderland' on 12th,
13th & 14th July

Be sure to book your
tickets...



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To the following pupils who celebrate their birthdays this week or have celebrated since our last newsletter:

Temperance (6)

Drew (8)

Henry (9)

Foster (10)

Seb (5)

James (6)

Maxwell (7)

Oscar (11)

Emily (11)

Amber (5)

Jacob (9)

Wren (7)

Florence (11)

Molly (9)

Ranulf (11)

Mason (8)



Sports Day - with a difference!

Undeterred by the current lack of space to hold our annual Sports Day on site, on Wednesday 29th June we took our whole school event 'on tour' and hosted it from Lavington School site instead!



The grass was cut, track marked, portaloos rented, gazebos/marquees erected and the sun shone (quite a lot)! Our house groups processed and **Year 6 House Captains** introduced the **Olympic and Paralympic Values** that they would be looking for throughout the day.

We may have been offsite and it was definitely different but we all had the most AMAZING day!

We would like to extend many thanks to everyone who joined us for our Sports Day and some extra special thanks to those went the extra mile to ensure it happened: Lavington School for lending us their site (**Mr Plummer** - for agreeing to our idea, **the grounds team** for preparing the site, **EQUA MAT & Mrs Reynolds** - for logistics - including ice lolly supply, storage and delivery, and a special mention for **Jade and Amy** who supplied delicious cakes for our spectators in the afternoon); **Miss Bolwell** for making sense of everything that needed hiring and arranging; the '**Heavy Lifters**' for taking their talents on tour; **Mr Bryant** for acting as compere throughout the day; of course, **Mrs Crichton**, whose thorough preparation and planning made for a very slick and smoothly run day; **our staff** who rolled up their sleeves and got on with it in their usual way; and finally, **our brilliant pupils** who definitely demonstrated **friendship, excellence, respect, courage, equality, determination and inspiration!**

Finally, we must add huge CONGRATULATIONS to all of the children in **VENUS HOUSE** who were the overall victors and won the Noble Cup!

Welcoming our newest recruits...

Welcome to Reception Class



On the evening of **Wednesday 23rd June** we welcomed the families of the forthcoming Oak Class 2022/23.

We'd like to say thank you to everyone who joined us for their welcome to Woodborough School - we're very much looking forward to sharing the next stage of your child(ren)'s learning journeys with you.

Thank you also to everyone who gave their time to make the evening so successful: **Mrs Bishop, Mrs McCormick, Miss Bolwell, Mrs Sutherland, Mrs Scott-Donaldson, Mrs Wells, Miss White** and of course, **Mrs Parry** - for her very memorable and energetic 'dough disco'!

On Tuesday this week we welcomed some of our new recruits themselves, together with some additional soft toy supporters, for a special **Teddy Bears' Picnic!**



Thank you to **Mrs Richardson** for her support; **Mr Bryant** for more gazebo generation; **Mrs Wells** and **Miss White** for baking cookies; **Mrs Parry** and **Mrs McCormick** for storytelling and smooth operations; **our new pupils and parents** for attending; and **teddy bears** various for behaving so well!

We look forward to seeing you all again for Moving-on Morning on 11th July!



EQUA Schools' Jubilee Art Exhibition

Following the recent Jubilee celebrations, all schools in our multi academy trust were invited to share their own representations of the Queen's special celebration.

All of the art work is on display in Lavington School's Art Department [and you can also see it virtually here.](#)

The Craft Studio in Pewsey

Summer holiday fun 2022

hair scrunchies Monday 25th July 10am - 12noon £1.00

bowling day Tuesday 26th July 10am - 3pm £3.50

wind chimes Wednesday 27th July 10am - 12noon £1.00

alarm Wednesday 27th July 1pm - 2pm £5

beam catchers Wednesday 27th July 2.30 - 4pm £8

sewing day Tuesday 2nd August 10am - 3pm £3.00

decorate a tote bag / t-shirt / canvas shoes Wednesday 3rd August 10am - 12noon £1.00

Friendship bracelets Wednesday 3rd August 2pm - 4pm £1.00

mosaic workshop Monday 15th August 10am - 12noon £1.00

things that fly Monday 15th August 1pm - 2.30pm £5

marble maze Monday 15th August 3pm - 4.30pm £7.50

clay Tuesday 16th August 10am - 11.30am £5

pom pom animals Tuesday 16th August 2pm - 4pm £7.50

sewing day Wednesday 17th August 10am - 12noon £3.50

fairy wings and wands Monday 22nd August 10am - 12noon £1.00

treasure boxes Tuesday 23rd August 10am - 11.30am £7.50

mod rock figures Tuesday 23rd August 1pm - 3pm £10

origami flowers Wednesday 24th August 10am - 12noon £8

string pictures - using hammer and nails Wednesday 24th August 2pm - 4pm £10

sewing day Tuesday 30th August 10am - 12 noon £3.00



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Read this week's Sofa News here:
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