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WOODBOROUGH CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Welcome to this week's newsletter and the last few days of Term 1. Thank you to all of our families and friends for their time and support across another busy few weeks. ☺
In addition to our school news, please follow the links below to read details of some forthcoming community events:

[Craft Fair—22nd October](#)
[Light Party—29th October](#)
[Pumpkin Trail—31st October](#)

ANOTHER WARM WOODBOROUGH WELCOME...

We're delighted to begin this week's newsletter with news of the arrival of Mrs Wren's baby daughter. **Ivie Elizabeth Wren arrived safely on 11th October and weighed in at 7lb 10oz.**



We're sure you'll all join us in sending love and best wishes to Mr and Mrs Wren and Arlo—who now has some important big brother duties to be getting on with.

THANK YOU VERY, VERY, VERY MUCH - to EVERYONE who has found the time and energy over the last few weeks to help us move lots and lots of furniture around our school!



Oak, Sycamore, Maple and Cherry Classes have all now relocated and we really couldn't have managed it without the sterling efforts of the team of parents who stayed after school to help.

We're nearing the end of our reinstatement and refurbishment work and are just awaiting the arrival of some new classroom furniture to complete the job. Work has commenced to give our upper KS2 classrooms their facelift and we're looking forward to being completely ship-shape for the start of Term 2.



At long last, the news above leads to the following invitation to 'Save the Date' on Friday 18th November, for the grand re-opening of our lovely school.

As yet, we're not sure of the format or details but we do know we'd like to invite our families and friends to visit and have a proper opportunity to see what's been happening beneath scaffolding and tarpaulins and behind Heras fencing.

Please add the date to your diaries and look out for more information early next term...

Rocktopus are returning to Woodborough School...

Inspired by the creativity and energy generated by the last visit from Rocktopus, we quickly booked them for another visit!



They will join us on **Tuesday and Wednesday** next week to share their 'School Values Rock' workshop. We're hoping that after two whole days of thinking of lyrics and making music together, all of our pupils will be singing our school values—and maybe their families will too.

Children will wear their PE kits for the energetic rock workshop sessions—all of which end with the filming of a rock video in front of a green screen. With this in mind, **please can we request that children in Jupiter House bring in a white T-shirt to wear for the workshops next week—otherwise they'll all appear invisible in their class videos!**



This term we are focussing across our school on the theme of **WISDOM.**



Vale of Pewsey Churches

Click on the link above to read about worship in the Vale of Pewsey and find this week's [Sofa News](#) here.

ATTENDANCE

10th—14th October 2022

Attendance	Absence
97%	3%
23 learning days lost	

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

CONGRATULATIONS

to **Lime Class** who achieved **99.58%** attendance this week!



Planning Application



We have recently been made aware of a planning application (PL/2022/07186) that has been made to Wiltshire Council, for vehicular access in the near vicinity of our school.

[You may wish to view the response that has been made on behalf of both the PTA and our school by clicking on this link.](#)

A polite reminder about allergy awareness...



Please note - Nutella is a nut product!

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A round-up of recent news...



Thank you to **Mrs Evans** for presenting an extravaganza of **Magical Music and Movement** on Tuesday morning and to everyone who came along to share it and meet new friends. **We hope to see you all again for our next Pre-School Taster on 3rd November.**

Thank you to...



who facilitated an interesting look into the **Stone Age** for

Cherry Class pupils this week. Another journey using the local bus service was enjoyed by everyone too!

Victory for our Netball Team...



On Wednesday 12th of October, led by **Miss Bolwell** (thank you), Year 5 and 6 Netball Club members went to Devizes Leisure Centre to play a game against DAPS.

The team was: **Jake, Autumn, Oliver, Lilly, Daisy, Harriet, Isabel, Lauren and Molly** and the match started at 5:00.

In the first quarter not much

happened except a few shots from us and the other team. The same happened at the second quarter but when the third quarter came round **Jake** scored a goal and then a few minutes later he scored a second one! In the last quarter, the only thing that happened was some great defending from **Wodborough**.

At the end, **our chosen captain, Autumn**, did the three cheers for DAPS and they did the same for us. DAPS chose **Daisy** as the **player of the match** and we picked a girl called **Isla** for DAPS. After our victory we all went home.

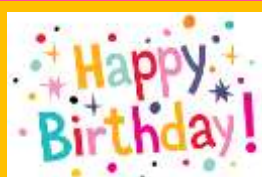
Match report written by Oliver and Autumn.

E-SAFETY INFORMATION EVENING FOR PARENTS OF PUPILS ACROSS THE EQUA MAT PRIMARY SCHOOLS WEDNESDAY 16TH NOVEMBER, 6 - 7 PM @ WOODBOROUGH SCHOOL

Join us on Wednesday 16th November, between 6 and 7 pm, to hear from **Karl Hopwood**, a highly acclaimed and experienced online safety expert with over 15 years' experience working with schools, teachers, pupils, parents and other professionals to address the challenges posed by modern technology, promote safer online behaviours and promote digital literacy.

This event will follow a whole day of e-safety learning for pupils and staff training after school for teachers from across the EQUA MAT primary schools. Those of us who have heard Karl speak before cannot recommend him highly enough.

Parents across the EQUA primary schools wishing to attend the e-safety information evening must reserve a ticket (free) via the following Eventbrite booking system: [KARL HOPWOOD E-SAFETY WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS](#)
Put the date in your diary and book soon to avoid disappointment.



To the following children and staff who have celebrated their birthdays since our last newsletter:

Gilbert (11)
Harriet (11)
Olivia (10)
Matilda (7)
Charlotte (6)
Jack (8)
Callum (8)
Mrs Bishop
Mrs Ellis



Is your child starting secondary school next September?

Remember to apply with your school preferences by 31st October 2022.

Is your child due to start primary school next September?

Be sure to apply for a school place by 15th January 2023.

All applications can be made online at
www.wiltshire.gov.uk

Woodborough Primary School
Lunch Menu - Week 1

MONDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mini Veg CR Margherita Pizza CR Spiced Potato with a Choice of Filling Sides: New Potatoes, Corn on the Cob & Salad Dessert: Spiced Cake
TUESDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spaghetti Bolognese CR Seasoned Chicken & Tomato Onions CR Spiced Potato with a Choice of Filling Sides: Garlic Bread, Green Beans & Salad Dessert: Fruit Jelly
WEDNESDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kebab Casserole CR Fragrant Rice CR Spiced Potato with a Choice of Filling Sides: Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Green Beans Dessert: Trifle
THURSDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pasta & Chicken Meatballs CR Pesto Pasta CR Spiced Potato with a Choice of Filling Sides: Garlic Bread, Sweetcorn & Salad Dessert: Fruit Crumble & Custard
FRIDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pork Pudding CR Chicken & Onion Soup CR Spiced Potato with a Choice of Filling Sides: Roast Potatoes & Salad Dessert: Ice Cream

[Click here to see full details of next week's menu...](#)