

Wimborne Weekly - April 2



Welcome back to school; as we begin the summer term, I hope you all had a lovely Easter break. This term we have lots to look forward to including; our sponsored walk, summer fayre, summer discos and our end of year award presentation assemblies. Years 2 & 6 also have their SATs next month. As the warmer weather has finally begun to arrive, may I remind you that children are not to wear open-toed or sling-back shoes to school. Uniform summer dress colour is purple & white checked all over, not white top half and checked skirt. Children are also encouraged to drink plenty of water in class so please ensure their water bottles are returned to school on Mondays after they have been brought home on Friday for washing.

The fence has come down!

The children, staff and parents were very excited to see that the fence between the two school buildings had been taken down over the Easter holidays. The children in YR-Y4 have been out with their class teacher to talk about how they will all share their new playground which is now called the 'big playground'. YR-Y2 have met the 9 play leaders (in addition to the team of lunchtime assistants) who will be out with them at lunchtimes leading activities along with the Y5 & Y6 sports leaders; they have also had a mini induction on how to use the equipment. Other work that has taken place over the Easter break was the removal of the large internal gate and brick storage which has meant we have been able to move the bicycle area over to under the windows and open up that area. The remainder of the high level fence between the school buildings by the garden will come down during May half term and be replaced with a picket fence along with a new security gate by the junior building which will finish off opening up the bicycle area.



There will be no changes to our school uniform until we become a primary school.

Preloved uniform

Would you like to buy some excellent bargain uniform items AND give 100% back to the two Wimborne schools for our fundraising? Buy a wide range of items from our "preloved uniform sales" - sweatshirts, polo shirts, dresses, trousers, shorts, full sports kits and book bags etc. If you wish to donate your preloved uniform, bins are located in the reception area of both Wimborne schools. Keep a look out for the date of our next preloved table top sale which will be on a Thursday coming soon.



Blue Day

On 3rd May the school will be supporting 'Blue Day' in aid of the Tom Prince Osteosarcoma Research Fund. Tom Prince was a boy who used to attend our school and was diagnosed with bone cancer in 2003. Sadly, despite intensive treatment, he lost the battle and passed away the day before his 16th birthday on October 18th 2004. For a minimum donation of £1 children have the opportunity to dress in blue. Thank you for your continued support!



We celebrate children's achievements in and out of school; please let us know of your child's achievements.



WJS Star Values

Sincerity

Year 3	Y3
Millie Boltwood	4VW
Riley Gaffney	4SS

Teamwork

Y4 Stubbington trip group

Achievement

Year 6	Y6
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Respect

Amy Lymath	4SS
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Congratulations to....

all our netballers who took part in a netball festival; B team won their pool and didn't concede a goal, C team had a great first experience and A team came fourth in their pool. Lots of happy netballers! Well done on representing WJS so well.

Headteacher Awards

Vassia Michalakopoulou (4VW)
Ben Green (4VW)
Adam Duncan-Flavell (4VW)

Attendance cup awarded to 4VW for excellent attendance.



Big Question of the Week

Should we always give people a second chance?

Words of the Week

Palpitate, hoard, shirk, rummage, wretched

Diary Dates:



May

6th - Bank holiday (school closed)
8th - Class photos
w/b 13th - Y6 SATs week
17th - Sponsored walk - dress up as a sports person
w/b 27th - Half Term holiday

Day Closures

3rd June & 5th July

Letters sent home this week

(All letters are on our school website; go to Information, letters)
Sponsored walk letter and sponsor forms

DRAMA CLUB SPACES AVAILABLE

Big Mouth Theatre run a drama club from Wimborne junior school every Tuesday from 3:30pm-4:30pm. One session will be **FREE** for new members To book visit www.bigmouththeatre.com/play and follow the links. To obtain your free session please use code NEWBIE90.

Every Thursday 3:30-4:00pm come to see your child's work.

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