

Walpole Cross Keys Primary School

Newsletter 20th July 2018

Hello everyone,

Last Tuesday our **Year 5** pupils spent the day at St Clements High School for their **Opportunity Day**, they all had a lovely time getting a feel for high school life. On Thursday of last week, four of our pupils from Class 2 went to Springwood High School to take part in the **Primary Maths Challenge**. Out of 8 teams, our team performed really well and came 4th, well done to those who took part.

Last week we had a **photographer** visit the school from the **Lynn News** to take a photo of our **Reception** class, the photo has already appeared in their paper.

This week has been extremely busy, we have held our **Year 5/6 performance** for all families to come and watch. The children all put on such great performances we are extremely **proud** of them. Yesterday afternoon our Class 2 children took part in an anti-bullying dance workshop with **KL Dance**.

Today our **Class 1** children have spent the day at St Clements High School taking part in the **Top Link Festival**. This festival, arranged by the high school, involves the children taking part in a range of small sporting activities.

Thank you to everybody who joined us this week for our **homework challenge assembly** and our **Presentation Evening**, it was so lovely to so many of you there to celebrate all our wonderful children's progress this year.

Next Tuesday we will be saying **goodbye** to our **Year 6** pupils, they will leave a huge gap in our school and we wish them all the **best** at high school. Please remember to pop in to say **hello** when you can, we love to hear how you are all getting along.

As always, if do you have any **concerns**, in the first instance please speak with your **class teacher**.

Best Wishes,
Ms J. Borley
Executive Head Teacher

Please check your homes for our school PE kits as we have a number missing.

If you have any of the following items you are able to donate to the school this would be greatly appreciated:

- ◇ **Dolls furniture**
- ◇ **Dolls**
- ◇ **Prams**
- ◇ **Traffic cones**
- ◇ **Kitchen utensils**
- ◇ **Plant pots (plastic)**

Please bring the items to the school during term as and when you are able to.

Attendance

w/c 2nd July:

Reception: 95%

Year 1: 100%

Year 2: 100%

Year 3: 81%

Year 4: 90%

Year 5: 97%

Year 6: 97%

w/c 9th July:

Reception: 100%

Year 1: 91%

Year 2: 100%

Year 3: 77%

Year 4: 100%

Year 5: 97%

Year 6: 98%



Amazona Zoo 05/07/18



Gymnastics / Swimming

Next year we are changing the terms for Swimming and Gymnastics lessons. Years 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 will participate in Gymnastics at Alive Lynnsport on a Tuesday morning after the October half-term until Christmas. Whilst the other years are at Alive Lynnsport our Years R and 1 will have a PE lesson with Miss Calaby. Swimming will then take place during the Summer term at the Clenchwarton Primary School. We have also decided to deliver our Swimming lessons in two sessions, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. Permission letters regarding both these activities will be sent out nearer the time.



Reminders



- **School Lunches:** Please remember to order any school lunches required for the week by **midnight** on **Sundays** (ParentPay) or by **9:00am** on **Mondays** (cash). If you require login details for ParentPay or have any other queries please speak with the office.
- **Water Day (Monday 23rd July):** If your child is bringing in a water gun please ensure it is named.
- **Images Consent:** There are still a large number of consent forms outstanding. If you have not returned your form please do so **asap**.



Beach party ... We look forward to seeing you tonight at 5pm for the beach party.



Year 6 Leavers Party and Award Ceremony

Last night we held our Presentation Award Ceremony, the following pupils were all awarded trophies:

Most Caring Class 1:	Archie (Yr 1)
Most Caring Class 2:	Connor (Yr 6) and Jake (Yr 6)
Most Progress Class 1:	Ella (Yr 1)
Most Progress Class 2:	McKenzi (Yr 6)
Outstanding Maths:	Callum (Yr 6)
Outstanding Writing:	Isabella (Yr 6)
Year 6 Head Teacher Awards:	Connor, Freya, Joshua.C, Callum, Lacey.E, Jackson, McKenzie, Isabella, Joshua.O and Jake



Well done everybody



From September we will be trialling weekly newsletters, they will hopefully be less wordy therefore not spread over quite so many pages. As always, any feedback will be greatly received.

Dear Mrs Hodgson-

All the parents, pupils and staff who were involved in raising money for us after the house burned to the ground.

We are so appreciative. So many people have been so kind and giving.

When I read Archie's Mums note I cried. What a sweet, caring little boy.

Please will you pass on our thanks to everyone. Thank you so much.

All our love

Sean and Barry XX

Kingswood 2018

We will be holding an **information meeting** for all parents whose children are going to Kingswood in September.

This meeting will take place at the school on **Wednesday 12th September at 3:30pm.**

We look forward to seeing you there.

Diary Dates

Please be aware that dates are for guidance only and are subject to change

Monday 23rd July	Water Day
Tuesday 24th July	Last day of school *** Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9:15am *Year 6 parents/carers invited to attend*
Thursday 6th September	Back to school



Always keep communication open for a child to know that it is never too late to tell you if something makes them feel uncomfortable.

Mrs Hodgson would like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff, parents and carers for their wonderful support throughout the year.

**Our next school newsletter will be sent out on
Friday 7th September 2018**

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