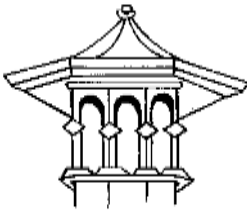


Spring Term
May 2017

Walkern Primary School



Newsletter

Message from Mr Hall

Welcome back to our new term. Our topic is "The Great Outdoors". I hope you get the opportunity to look at the main display and see some of the science homework projects done by Year 2 and 3. We have lots of outdoor learning planned - a Science week, a visit to Whipnade and the class gardens to be revamped. Last week Reception enjoyed going on a Bear Hunt and Year One explored the dry river bed and sent Baby Bear away on a journey. A great way of **bringing learning alive!** Mr Dalton continues to improve the play facilities, the Tyre Park is back in use and we now have a climbing wall.



The Year 5/6 football team continue to impress with wins over Round Diamond (5-2) and Roebuck Primary (10-1). We have one more game to go to secure the league title. Congratulations to our KS1 and lower KS2 gym teams for both finishing 4th out of all Stevenage schools. The competition at Marriots was a fantastic experience and the children performed so well.



A big thank you for your generosity in supporting the fund raising events held recently. Over £950 has been raised for ARC and approximately £600 for Prostate Cancer and Stevenage Haven.

2017

Tuesday 2nd May - PTA - Spring Cake Sale times tbc

Week commencing Monday 15th May - Walk to school week

Monday 22nd May - Van Cols - Class Photographs - 9.00 a.m

Week Commencing Monday 22nd May - Science Week

Monday 29th - Friday 2nd June - Half Term - School closed

Monday 5th June - Back to school

Friday 16th June - PTA Father's Day Gift Shop

SATURDAY 24TH JUNE - Walkern School Fair & Camping Evening

Monday 26th June - Whole School Trip - Whipsnade Zoo

Monday 3rd July - Inter-village - Ridlins, Stevenage

Monday 10th July - Years 4,5 & 6 School Performance @ 1.45 p.m

Wednesday 12th July - Years 4,5 & 6 School Performance @ 6.00 p.m

Monday 17th July - Schools Open Evening

Friday 21st July - Year 6 leavers assembly - 9.00 a,m

Friday 21st July - End of term - School finishes at 1.00 p.m - No after school club

Monday 24th July - School Closed - Inset Day

School closed Wednesday 30th, 31st August and 1st September - Occasional Days /
Inset day

Monday 4th September - Back to school

Monday 23rd October - Friday 27th October - Half term - School closed

Friday 1st December - School Closed - Occasional day

Wednesday 20th December - End of term - School finishes at 1.p.m. No after
school club.