



Templewood Times



Summer Term Newsletter 6

3rd July 2017

With only three weeks to go until the end of this academic year, please find this newsletter filled with reminders of, and invites to school events taking place before we finish for the summer.

EYFS trike ride

I am pleased to tell you that the new date for the EYFS trike ride will be Tuesday 11th July at 3.15pm.

Music Lessons

Our brass and violin teachers will have spaces available for new pupils in Years 3 – 6 from September. If your child would like to take lessons or you would like further details please let the office know

Open Evening

We would like to invite all parents to this year's open evening at 6pm on the 12th July. This year each class will be showcasing their artwork from this weeks 'art week' in the school hall.

You will also have the opportunity to purchase your child's artwork for a small donation (£4/£5 suggested amount).

Miss Sheppard

We are pleased to share with you that Miss Sheppard will be staying with us for the next academic year as her plans have changed. Details of all staffing for next year will be sent out to you soon.

Meet the teacher day

This year, meet the teacher day will be on Thursday the 13th July. Your child will spend the morning with their new class, with their new teacher in preparation for September.

In the afternoon, parents/ carers will be invited to come in and meet their child's new class teacher and hear a little about the new year group your child will be in.

Please see timings below:

Year 1 2.15 - 2.45 in the hall

Year 2 1.45 - 2.15 in Year 6 classroom

Year 3 1.45 - 2.15 in the hall

Year 4 1.15 - 1.45 in the hall

Year 5 1.15 - 1.45 in the Year 6 classroom

Year 6 2.15 - 2.45 in the Year 6 classroom

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Snapchat warning!

Please be aware that Snapchat have updated the app so that anyone following you on Snapchat can now see your whereabouts at any time.

In other words, anyone following your son/daughter can now track them to an address/building. Clearly there are potential safeguarding concerns related to this feature.

It is possible to disable this feature by going to the map, clicking settings and choosing Ghost Mode.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-40382876>

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Year 2 sharing assembly

Today, parents and carers joined us for Year 2 sharing assembly. The children were very proud to share their sketches of natural objects and leaf print pictures. The pirate song was fun to learn and their pirate ships were a huge success.

Head lice

Please be aware that we have had some cases of head lice reported recently.

Templewood Overtones Choir

On Sunday 25th June the Templewood Overtones choir had a fun and successful open rehearsal where friends and family came to enjoy some of the songs they have been learning this academic year. During this performance they raised a generous £220 in donations, which will be put towards some new musical instruments for the school.

The choir was formed last September and is now 20 people strong; consisting of Templewood parents, grandparents and members of the local community. They rehearse at Templewood School every Wednesday evening from 8pm until 9pm during term time. They are taught and conducted by Jessica Wiley, to whom the choir owes its success. Everyone in the choir would like to take this opportunity to thank Jessica for all her hard work and enthusiasm over the past 10 months.

If you are interested in joining the choir, feel free to come along to the remaining rehearsals at 8pm on Wednesday 5th, 12th and 19th July. All abilities are welcome and they are a very friendly bunch!

For further details, please contact:

Claire clairewood@mcbw.co.uk or Fiona fjamestrezona@gmail.com



WGC Music Society Children's Concert

Yesterday, WGC Music Society Orchestra performed a Summer Concert for Children. Templewood Choir and Djembe Drummers also performed, and despite being a little low on numbers they gave wonderful performances. Thank you to all those who supported the event and a very special thank you to Mrs Wiley and all of the children who performed.

**Photo orders due back in school tomorrow by 9am please or
place your order online by Wednesday 5th July.
Thank you.**

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TSA Summer Party Cake Donations



Please bring your donations of cakes for the Summer Party to school on Friday labelled for the attention of Fiona Davis. Though not essential the theme is Harry Potter.

Week beginning 19th June 2017

Gold Book

Willow: Eva Marie and Theresa
Elder: Molly and Freddie
Birch: Mark and Miah
Elm: Nima and Avin
Maple: Charlotte and Tommy
Larch: Hannah and Flo
Oak: Ellie and Willow

Smile Award



Presented to
Sophia R and Catherine W
for
being very creative
and pre-planning
their fabulous den's
during Den Day

Super Brain Award



Presented to
Anna (Ste)
for
an amazing
travel brochure

Week beginning 26th June 2017

Gold Book

Willow: Freya and Lillie
Elder: Tariq and Jasmine
Birch: Tuvi and Krishay
Elm: Isabella and George
Maple: Louis, Eddie W, Oliver P,
Alessandro and Ryan
Larch: Jake and Eleanor
Oak: Alexia and Harvey
Hawthorn: Evan and Daisy

Smile Award



Presented to
Swimming Gala Team
for great sportsmanship
and team spirit.
A real credit to
Templewood.

Super Brain Award



Presented to
Ellie T
for
asking very advanced
questions about the
elements required
to make a camp fire!

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PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THIS ACADEMIC YEAR FINISHES AT 2PM ON FRIDAY 21ST JULY

TSA Camp Out Survey

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/S52HT8N>

Following another fabulous Camp Out where we raised over £690 please complete a short survey to share your views.

Thankyou

The next three weeks at Templewood	
Week beginning 3rd July 2017 – Art Week	
Monday	Year 2 Sharing Assembly 2.45pm
Tuesday	Talent Show Rehearsals Deadline for photos to be returned to school office 9.00am
Wednesday	Deadline for class photo orders to be placed online
Thursday	Badminton club CANCELLED September intake group 1 visit and lunch
Friday	Reception class visit Rye Meads
Saturday	TSA Summer Party
Week beginning 10th July 2017	
Monday	Year 1 Sharing Assembly 2.45pm
Tuesday	Choir Assembly 9am EYFS Trike Ride 3.15pm
Wednesday	Open Evening
Thursday	Secondary Transfer Day Meet the Teacher September intake group 2 visit and lunch Governing Body meeting
Friday	Year 5 Gold Coast Games Year 6 Production 1.30pm
Week beginning 17th July 2017	
Monday	Year 6 visit Legoland Reception class Sharing Assembly
Tuesday	
Wednesday	September intake visit Nursery
Thursday	
Friday	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 9.00am Term ends 2pm

For a full list of dates, please see the interactive calendar on our website which is updated on a regular basis.

Yours sincerely
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