



Woodbury C of E Primary School

21st June 2019

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Dear Parents

Update From The PTFA about the Summer Fayre

Due to personal circumstances, lead members of the PTFA have been unable to devote their time to PTFA matters. As such, planning for the summer fayre has fallen by the wayside. The decision has now been made to NOT hold a summer fayre this year. Whilst the absence of this annual school-wide community event is greatly saddening, it illustrates the on-going PTFA challenge of having too few people participating in the forward planning needed to run events. We thank everyone who has helped out at events on the day over the past year, and deeply thank all of those who have organised them. As previously communicated, Bel Youldon (Chair) and Sarah Hughes (Treasurer) will be stepping down from these two posts next year. Without replacements to these positions, after the next AGM the PTFA will be mothballed until circumstances facilitate otherwise.

Chestnut Cake Sale – 26th June

Some children in Chestnut class have organised a Cake Sale in support of two charities. They are concerned about the amount of plastic in oceans and want to support 4Ocean, a global charity actively removing rubbish from the ocean and coastline. The children also want to support those who care for animals by donating to WWF. For this, they require donations of cakes, which can be left in the practical area and, assuming good weather, will be selling them at the end of the day on the playground or if it is wet they will be in the hall. Many thanks for supporting the children in their enterprise.

PTFA Cake Sale and Tombola together with a child led sale – 12th July

Thank you to Helen Playfair and Ruth Driesen for arranging a cake sale and tombola for after school on 12th July.

To support this could you please donate a cake on Friday 12th July and leave it in the practical area outside Oak and Cherry classes.

There will also be a **non-uniform day on Friday 5th July** in return for donations of chocolates, sweets or a bottle which will be used as tombola prizes.

In addition, many children in Cherry and Maple classes would like to raise money for The Children's Hospice South West. In order to do this they need donations of good quality items, such as games, books, CDs and bric- a- brac. Please can you support the children by sending donated items to the office or directly to Cherry or Maple class. Many thanks in advance for supporting both of these sales.

PTFA Safari Super

A huge thank you to Kate and Bruce McCormick for organising the recent Safari Super. As a result everyone who attended had a great evening and £970 was raised for the PTFA.

Key Stage 2 Production

Yesterday we sent home a letter to KS2 parents detailing how to order tickets for the production. It would be a great help if you could return your request and payment for tickets as soon as possible and by 9.00am on Monday 1st July at the latest.

Beech Assembly

Beech class will be holding their assembly on **Wednesday 26th June at 9.05AM**. Beech parents are welcome to attend.

Chestnut Class Assembly

Chestnut class will be holding their assembly on **Friday 28th June at 9.05AM**. The assembly has been written by the children and is a celebration of their learning in Year 5.

KS2 Sports Day

I am sorry that due to the highly variable weather it has been necessary to postpone KS2 Sports Day this week. Due to the very committed school diary the re-scheduled date is **Tuesday 16th July** by which time hopefully the sun will consistently be shining!

Girls Football Tournament

There is quite a buzz at school about the FIFA Women's World Cup, which is excellent. Linking to this there are several girls football matches arranged between the local schools. On Monday a group of Year 5 and 6 girls went to Exmouth Community College to play against a number of different teams from the Exmouth Learning Community. Despite being low on numbers, the girls showed excellent respect, teamwork and sportsmanship. Well done to Cicily for scoring a brilliant goal for Woodbury. We would like more girls to attend the next events, which will be on Monday 24th June and 1st of July between 3:30-5.00pm. Please let Miss Bowyer know if you would like your child to take part.

Help needed with the environment garden and allotments

If you are able to give a few hours to help weed the environment garden and allotment we would be very grateful. Please do not feel you need to make a regular commitment but if a few people could help it would make a big difference to keeping these areas looking good.

Wishing you a lovely weekend

Mrs Sparks
Head Teacher