



Woodbury C of E Primary School

Friday Flier 33

14th June 2019

Dear Parents

Federation Consultation

Thank you to everyone who has responded to the consultation or has attended the recent meetings with governors. We hope that this has helped you to have a better understanding of the reasons for the proposal, the benefits to the school and the journey the school has been on to reach this point. Outside of the meetings, Miss Pyle and myself have been asked a number of times if we think the proposed federation is a good thing. The answer to this is that we are very much in favour of the proposal; the school means a great deal to both of us and we have worked extremely hard to be able to secure this option for the school's future. If I were remaining at the school, the proposal to federate would have been made within the next academic year. As you are aware we are currently in a period of consultation and no decision has been made by either governing body as to whether to proceed or not. The decision will be made on 2nd July after consideration of the responses from all parties, and for it to proceed will require the approval of both governing bodies.

Key Stage 2 Production

This year's production is 'Alice the Musical'. As usual, the production will mainly be performed by the Year 6 children, with the other Key Stage 2 classes supporting the singing. This week Ash class have begun learning the script and soon the rehearsals will begin. This year there is a charge of £1.50 per ticket to cover the cost of the production. Early next week you will be emailed a letter detailing how to obtain tickets.

CAP Workshops

The Key Stage 2 classes have all completed the CAP workshops about 'how to keep safe, strong and free.' The children have been very engaged in these sessions which have been helping them to understand how to keep safe in various scenarios. Next week Beech, Willow and Oak classes will have their workshops.

Year 6 visit to Exeter University

Following a visit to school from Mr Haywood and students from the university, teaching the children about climate change and the implications this would have on our future, on Thursday the children were invited back to Exeter University to attend a workshop and to share ideas about climate change. They worked with the undergraduates and a lovely informative day was had by all.

Fun Sports Day

This morning the children have had a fantastic time taking part in our fun sports day. In mixed class groups they have taken part in a variety of activities including problem solving, tennis and circus skills. It was lovely to see the older children being so supportive of the younger children and the fun they were all having. Thank you to all my colleagues for their enthusiasm and support and in particular Miss Bowyer and Miss Pyle for organising the morning.

Help needed with the environment garden and allotments

If you have any time, either as a one off or on a regular basis, we would appreciate some help removing the larger weeds in the environment garden and allotments. If you can help, please let Mrs Latham or Mrs Doyle in the office know. Thank you to the Hughes family for all their work mending and restocking the pond.

Lost property

The lost property box is overflowing with items. Please could you check if anything belongs to your child. Next Friday the box will be emptied and the items donated to the ASC or a charity.

Wishing you a lovely weekend

Mrs Sparks
Head Teacher