

West Green Primary School Newsletter



Front Car Park Closure

FRONT STAFF CAR PARK GATES WILL BE CLOSED AT THE BEGINNING AND END OF SCHOOL DAY

As you will remember from last month's Newsletter, the front staff car park is now closed to the public at the start and end of the school day. Please can we ask that parents/carers do not remove the cones or open the gates. This measure has been put in place for the safety of all West Green Primary children and their families.

A small number of parents/carers are still parking on the yellow zig-zag lines at the front of the school. Not only is this dangerous as it blocks the view of the road from the pavement outside the school, it is also illegal to stop on these lines.

We understand that parking at the start and end of the day is difficult. If you need to drive to school to drop off/collect your child/children there are a number of places that you can park, this includes:

- parking bays at the local parade of shops at the top of West Green Drive,
- parking bays on West Green Drive, these spaces are free to park in before 9am,
- the car park at the back of the Charis Centre is available for use by parents/carers of West Green Primary children and can be accessed via Town Barn Road. There is a path leading from the car park to West Green Drive.

If you have any questions, the office staff will be happy to help you.

Winning Team

On Thursday 4th April, West Green Primary entered a mixed Year 5/6 team into the K2 Netball Festival, where they meet Saha Corbin, a member of the England netball team.

After weeks of preparation in P.E. lessons and expert coaching on the day, the West Green Primary team did their school proud and won every game they played!!

Watch this space for the next tournament coming up.



Stone-Age Day

Year 3 had a busy end to the Spring term. They went on a trip to Wilderness Woods, where they built dens and roasted marshmallows over a camp fire. They also gave a wonderful cornet performance to their parents/carers.

The highlight however, was the stone-age themed day where the children, dressed in their stone-age costumes, invited parents/carers to join them in making fossil moulds and coiled pots, along with tasting the stone-age soup that the children had made.



Year 5 Puppet Show

Year 1 were treated to an impromptu puppet show by the Year 5 children. The puppets were the worry dolls Year 5 have been making as part of their topic on South America. There was lots of laughter and a great time was had by all.



Term Dates for 2019/2020

Autumn Term 2019

INSET day: Monday 2nd September (school closed to children)
 INSET day: Tuesday 3rd September (school closed to children)
 Start: Wednesday 4th September
 Half term: Monday 28th October – Friday 1st November (school closed)
 INSET day: Monday 4th November (school closed to children)
 End: Friday 20th December

Spring Term 2020

Start: Monday 6th January
 Half term: Monday 17th – Friday 21st February (school closed)
 INSET day: Monday 24th February (school closed to children)
 End: Friday 3rd April

Summer Term 2020

Start: Monday 20th April
 Half term: Monday 25th – Friday 29th May (school closed)
 INSET day: Monday 20th July (school closed to children)
 End: Monday 20th July

Please note: INSET days may be subject to change

Summer Term Dates

6 th May	Bank Holiday (school closed)
13-16 th May	Year 6 SATs Week: All Year 6 pupils MUST attend school during SATs
17 th May	Year 4 Trip to Crawley STEM Event
20 th May	Year 6 Trip to Thorpe Park
23 rd May	Reception Class Assembly, 9:00am school hall: parent/carers invited
Half-Term: 27th – 31st May	
4 th June	Reception, Year 2 & Year 5 Fire Service Visit
4 th June	Year 6 Trip to Cool Aeronautics, Gatwick Aviation Museum
10 th June	Year 6 Junior Neighbourhood Watch Event: Day 1
11 – 17 th June	Book Fair, 3:05pm school hall
11 th June	Year 5 Class Assembly, 9am school hall: parent/carers invited
17 th June	Year 6 Junior Neighbourhood Watch Event: Day 2
19 th June	Happy School Bag Textile Collection
19 th June	Year 2 Trip to Sea Life Centre Brighton
20 th June	Come and Share Our Learning: PSHE focus, 9:00am classroom
21 st June	Summer Fair, 3:15 –5:15pm
26 th June	Year 6 Trip to Big Bang Fair, Ardingly
28 th June	End of Year Reports Home
1 st July	Sports Day: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 9:30am Year 3 – Year 6 1:30pm
2 nd July	Year 1 Class Assembly, 9:00am school hall: parent/carers invited
4 th July	Parents' Evening Drop-In Session, 3:30-5:00pm
8 th July	Reserve Sports Day
8 th July	Year 6 Performance, 3:15pm: ticketed performance
9 th July	Year 6 Performance, 6:30pm: ticketed performance
19 th July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 9:00am: parent/carers invited
22 nd July	INSET Day (school closed to pupils)
23 rd July	INSET Day (school closed to pupils)
Summer Break: 24th July – 30th August	