

WILBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter



APRIL 2017

Children at the heart of all we do!

This Newsletter can be accessed on our School website:

www.wilburyprimaryschool.org.uk

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back to our final term of the school year, which will be busy with SATS for Year 2 and Year 6 as well as tests across Years 3-5.

We will also be holding many activities and performances to which you will be invited so please access the website regularly for updates –

www.wilburyprimaryschool.org.uk

STAFF: We are pleased to welcome **Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Sengonul and Mrs Wynter** back from maternity leave.



EASTER HOLIDAY SCIENCE PROJECT: We have received some wonderful Science Project exhibits today. Please ensure all entries are received by **Friday 21st April** and that your child's name and class are clearly displayed. Winners will be announced on **Wednesday 26th April**. Parents and carers will be invited to view the exhibition from 3.15 pm on **Thursday 27th April**, after which the exhibits will be returned to your child's class, ready to take home.

COMIC RELIEF – RED NOSE DAY: Thank you to everyone who wore their red hats for Red Nose Day – we raised almost £525 in total which has been sent on to Comic Relief. We also sold 900 red noses in less than 3 days.

EAST AFRICAN FAMINE APPEAL: Our RED CROSS appeal last term raised £238 from the sale of African food in the playgrounds and a further £132 was raised from a staff raffle. Thank you to everyone who contributed or donated via the collection tins around the school.

WORLD BOOK DAY: Thank you to everyone who went to the effort of dressing up as characters for World Book Day last month – we had some wonderful costumes around the school. (photos are on the website)

Year 5 – Secondary Transfer 2018: ASHMOLE: Please note that if you wish to apply to Ashmole Academy for entry September 2018 under the Musical Aptitude criteria you will need to apply to the school by Friday 19th May 2017. The first part of the tests will take place in June 2017. Details of the Musical Aptitude tests and the application form can be found on the school website at www.ashmoleacademy.org. Alternatively they can contact their School Office for more information.

SCHOOL UNIFORM: Please remember that uniform is now available to purchase via the link on our website and can be collected directly from the school office. Blue summer dresses and cardigans are available from our suppliers – www.mapac.com/wilbury. Any orders over £25 will not be charged postage.



WELFARE ROOM: Please remember that we would be very grateful to receive any outgrown items of uniform, socks or underclothes that can be used in our welfare in the event of 'accidents'.

Please also remember to wash and return any items of clothing your child is changed into in the Welfare Room.

Any unused sports kit or equipment, especially shin pads, would also be greatly appreciated.



FRIENDS OF WILBURY:

- **CAKE SALE** – Friday 24th March RED NOSE – thank you to everyone who participated – we raised £126.80 from the cake sale.
- **FRIENDS OF WILBURY Annual General Meeting:** Tuesday 25th April 3.30 p.m. ALL WELCOME
- **BAG-2-SCHOOL:** Our next collection will be on Wednesday 19th April – please bring the filled bags in by 9.00 a.m.
- **SUMMER FAIR:** Our date for the summer fair is **Thursday 6th July** – please put it in your diary NOW.

COMMUNITY:

Citizens Advice are offering their services on site to any family with children who are five years old or under. If you would like an appointment please see Mrs. Hassan or Mrs Johnston. This is a free service and can offer advice of any issues you may have including housing and benefits etc. Open on the first Monday of each month. Next appointment on **Monday 8th May**.



WOMEN'S FITNESS CLASS: From Monday 24th April – only £6 for 12 sessions. Leaflets are available in the school office – you can sign up on the day.

WOMEN'S HEALTH DAY: Thursday 27th April – in partnership with the North Middlesex Hospital trust. Women's services, health checks child resuscitation and more on the day. Foundation Stage Hall from 9.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. ALL WELCOME. Further information to follow.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Please remember that your child must be in school by **8.50 a.m. every day**. If they are late, they MUST report to the Welfare Office where they will be issued with a red slip noting their time of arrival. This is then presented to their teacher and notified to the office who will make the adjustment on the register, which will stop parents receiving unnecessary absence calls.



BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS: All children **MUST** be registered for places in both clubs as we are heavily oversubscribed. Please see the office if you would like to put your child's name down or have any queries. Breakfast Club places are **£1.50 per child per day**. All payments must be pre-paid online. We are unable to offer places to children before they are registered, on Health and Safety grounds.



SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS 2017: Sainsbury's have relaunched their 'Active Kids' voucher scheme so please collect these and send them in and also ask your friends and family. These vouchers can be exchanged for school and sports equipment.



CURRICULUM STATEMENTS: Statements for this term will be sent out early next week. They will also be available to view on our website.

K. Turnpenney (Mrs)
Headteacher

DATES FOR YOUR APRIL DIARY:



APRIL		
Tuesday	18 th	School re-opens
Wednesday	19 th	Bag-2-School – collection at 9.00 a.m.
Monday	24 th	9.00 a.m. KS1 – Year 2 SATS Parents' Information meeting LOWER HALL
Tuesday	25 th	Friends of Wilbury Annual General Meeting: 3.30 p.m. ALL WELCOME
Wednesday	26 th	9.15 Year 3 Recorder Recital: Upper Hall
Thursday	27 th	Class 5S – Space Assembly Women's Health Day – Foundation Stage Hall Science Project Exhibition – 3.15 pm
MONDAY	1st May	Bank Holiday – School Closed

Additional dates will be added as events are organized

SCHOOL CLOSURES:

BANK HOLIDAY: Monday 1st May – School CLOSED

INSET DAYS 2016/2017:

- Friday 26th May
- Monday, 3rd July

The last day of the Summer Term is **Friday, 21st July, 2017** when we close at **2.00 p.m.**

BREAKFAST CLUB:

8.00 a.m. – 8.45 a.m. daily

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB:

3.30 – 5.45 p.m. daily

Please contact the office to register your child for either club