



School Newsletter

Monday 1 February 2016

Maths Mastery Evening

Sally Barker, maths specialist, will lead an information evening for parents on **Wednesday 3 February at 7.30pm**. The meeting will help families to understand the way that mathematics is taught in our school. If you would like to attend please let the school office know in order that we can anticipate numbers. Places are limited to forty as we shall be using the Year 6 classroom. We look forward to seeing you there.

Quiz Night

There is still time to book a table at our Quiz Night taking place on **Saturday evening**. We look forward to seeing you there - please let the office know if you would like to buy tickets. The work our Wroxham Friends do is invaluable. Please support this fundraising event if you can. We are grateful to Conal and Caroline Presho for writing the quiz and acting as quizmasters.

Year Five Film Stars!

Many Year Five children and their parents attended a film premiere of the Elizabethan history films made last year in partnership with the Elstree UTC. We shall hold an assembly on **Wednesday after school at 3pm** for children to see the films. Parents are also welcome to join us.

Cake Bake for Peace Hospice

Sheila Bugg is organising a cake sale on **Friday 12 February** after school. We are raising funds for the Peace Hospice. Please bring cakes into school on Friday morning - thank you very much!

Parking permits

Permits have been issued to those families who have applied. Thank you. If your circumstances change and you need to park on site for any reason please let the school office know in order that we can process your request. Thank you.

Car Park Supervisor

We have a vacancy with immediate effect for someone to open and close the car park gates between the hours of 8.30 - 9.00am and 3.00 - 3.30pm. This will be a temporary role whilst we await the outcome of our funding bid for a new car park barrier system. If you are interested in this role, please contact the school office. Thank you.

Individual school photographs

Churchbury Photographic will be in school tomorrow. You will have the option of buying an individual school photograph or photograph with siblings.

Collecting children from nursery

Please do not bring cars on site when picking up nursery children. Parking in the designated disabled bay is strictly for those with registered disabled status. Thank you.

Professorial status

Families may be interested to read the attached press release from the University of Hertfordshire:

<http://www.herts.ac.uk/about-us/news/2016/january/international-renowned-hertfordshire-head-teacher-joins-university>

Valentines Disco

There will be Valentines Disco for Foundation / KS1 and KS2 on **Tuesday 9th February**. Foundation and KS1 children should arrive for 3.45pm - 4.30pm. Please can parents supervise Foundation Stage children? A voluntary donation of £2.50 per child on entrance to the disco would be appreciated. The KS2 disco will begin at 4.45pm and end at 5.45pm. We are grateful to Stephen Davy for being the DJ. Thank you to the Wroxham Friends for organising this.

eSafety Meeting

We have booked an external speaker to lead an evening session for parents and staff on Thursday 25 February 7.00 - 8.15pm. eSafety is an important issue for all of us. We hope that you will be able to join us for the evening. Year Five will also present an open assembly on their investigation into eSafety on Tuesday 9 February at 2.45pm. You may also be interested to know that this site offers helpful advice for parents wishing to protect their children online <http://bit.ly/eSafetyAdviceforParents>

Sports fixtures & insurance

We are grateful to our Sports Coach, Luke Owers, for arranging away matches whilst our field is too muddy for home games. Our insurers have recently confirmed that any parents offering lifts to children during school time need to provide a copy of their insurance certificate and driving licence to the office. This may feel burdensome, but our first priority at all times must be the safety of all pupils. Thank you. Once the weather improves, we shall take full advantage of our extensive school grounds to organise fixtures at Wroxham. Thank you for your understanding.

Applications for nursery places

If you wish to apply for a nursery place for

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Dates for your Diary 2016

Tue 2 Feb	Individual school photos
Weds 3 Feb 3.00pm	Y5 Elizabethan Film Show
Weds 3 Feb 6.30 - 8.00pm	Self defence for women and girls Zendoryu Martial Arts
Weds 3 Feb 7.30pm	Maths Mastery evening led by Sally Barker (for parents)
Sat 6 Feb	Wroxham Friends' Quiz Night
Tues 9 Feb 2.45pm	Y5 eSafety Assembly presentation to whole school & parents
Tues 9 Feb	Valentines Disco
Weds 10 Feb 6.30pm	Self defence for women and girls Zendoryu Martial Arts
Fri 12 Feb	Cake Sale after school (Peace Hospice)
Mon 15 - Fri 19 Feb	<i>Half term break</i>
Weds 17 Feb 6.30pm	Self defence for women and girls Zendoryu Martial Arts
Mon 22 -26 Feb	Year 5 Cycle Training
Tues 23 Feb	Year 5 Learning Review day
Weds 24 Feb	Year 5 Learning Review evening

your child applications can be made online from Tuesday 9 February. Thank you.

Free Self Defence Classes

Zendoryu Martial Arts will be providing three free sessions on Wednesday evenings for women and girls over 10 years old. The sessions will take place on 3rd, 10th, 17th February from 6.30 - 8pm. If you would like to book a place please email zendoryuma@yahoo.co.uk All welcome!

Thurs 25 Feb 7.00 - 8.15pm	eSafety evening for parents ALL WELCOME
Weds 2 March	Family Consultation evening & Year 6 Learning Review evening
Thur 3 March	World Book Day
Thurs 3 March	Year 6 Learning Review day
Sun 13 March	Choir performing at Royal Albert Hall
Mon 14 March	Y5 & Y6 KNex Design & Technology Challenge
Fri 25 Mar	Good Friday
Mon 28 Mar	Easter Monday
Fri 1 Apr	<i>Term ends 12pm</i>
Mon 18 Apr	<i>Term begins 8.45am</i>
Mon 2 May	<i>Bank holiday</i>
Mon 9 - Thurs 12 May	KS2 SATs week
Fri 27 May	Oakmere Mini Marathon
Mon 30 May - Fri 3 June	<i>Half term holiday</i>
Sun 12 June	Potters Bar Carnival
Fri 17 June	<i>INSET day school closed</i>
Mon 20 June	<i>INSET day school closed</i>
Weds 29 June	Y4 Kentwell Visit
Mon 4 July	Musical Recital Evening
Sat 9 July	40th Anniversary Concert Celebration
Thurs 14 July 6 - 8pm	Open Evening

Thurs 21 July	<i>Term ends</i>
Mon 5 Sept	<i>Term begins</i>
Mon 24-28 Oct	<i>Half term holiday</i>
Weds 21 Dec 12.00pm	<i>Term ends</i>
Fri 6 Jan	<i>Term begins</i>
Mon 13-17 Feb	<i>Half term holiday</i>
Fri 31 Mar	<i>Term ends</i>
Weds 19 April	<i>Term begins</i>
Mon 29 May- Fri 2 June	<i>Half term holiday</i>
Fri 16 June	<i>INSET Day</i>
Mon 19 June	<i>INSET Day</i>
Fri 21 July	<i>Term ends</i>