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SCHOOL UNIFORM

A reminder that our school uniform should be adhered to at all times. This includes PE kit which should consist of black or navy shorts and a plain white PE t-shirt. Shoulder length hair should always be tied up and any hair accessories should be in school colours only. Nail varnish should be removed before coming to school.

SCHOOL MEAL PRICE INCREASE

The school has not raised the price of a school meal since before the pandemic. However, due to the recent increase in food and energy costs, the price of a school meal will be increasing to £2.50 a day wef 1st April. This is still very good value for money, and we hope the children will continue to enjoy meals from our kitchen.

DONATIONS ON PARENTMAIL

Please note that when a donation amount is put on ParentMail, ie £5 for Red Nose Day, there is always the option to part pay anything up to £5, eg £1, £2 etc. The higher amount is only for those parents who wish to donate more.

WSA CORNER

Auction of Ipswich Town Football Club Signed Shirt – Bid now!

The Macro family have very kindly donated an Ipswich Town Football Club shirt signed by the whole squad (as of December 2022), with a certificate of authenticity, to raise funds for school via the WSA.

This is a wonderful chance to purchase a piece of official ITFC memorabilia, for yourself or as a gift, whilst supporting school.

We will be accepting bids in sealed envelopes via the school office until the end of March. (A reserve price is in place.)

Please share this opportunity with your family and friends. We will also be opening this up to the local community.

Mother's Day Gifts

82 gifts were chosen at the Mother's Day Secret Gift Shop today. We hope you enjoy receiving them as much as your children enjoyed choosing them!

Easter Coffee Morning - Friday 31st March

Please join us in the Village Hall from 9am to 10.30am. The children will be singing songs and there will be refreshments, cakes, a raffle and various items for sale. The competition this year is to make an Easter bonnet (any sort of headwear is fine, e.g., hat, hair band, crown, mask) and entries can be made for £1 on Parentmail. There will be prizes for the winner and runner-up in each year group.

We would appreciate donations of cakes to the hall in the morning.

STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS

Hedgehogs: Seren Oldfield for her excellent cave painting inspired art. Harry Ballam for excellent focus on his writing. Harry has written some lovely, descriptive sentences about dinosaurs.

Squirrels: Ava Clarke for working hard to improve her handwriting and writing quicker. Flora Dishington for becoming more independent when completing tasks in Squirrels.

Badgers: Betty Leeder for her progress in maths. Her hard work and resilience has really made a difference. Brennan-Tate Macro for being a helpful, understanding and hard-working member of the class.

Owls: Sebastian Vince for asking great questions, showing increasing bravery and an improvement in effort too. Iris South for working hard to improve her personal best in times tables.

GOLDEN LEAVES

Radleigh Seymour for sharing. Dylan Murphy for being kind & polite. Brennan-Tate for helping another child at lunchtime saving Mrs Smith a job. Charlotte Garfield & Millie Miles for great singing in assembly. Dulcie Woods for great signing in assembly. Max Rogers and Millie Miles for beautiful singing in assembly. Rosie Love for helping pour other children's drinks.

HOUSE TEAM CHAMPIONS

Tabitha Webber, Riley Howlett-Davey, Jensen Sharpe, Max Rogers, Ava Lewis, Flora Dishington, Annie South, Zara Newton

MIDDAY SUPERVISORS' AWARD

Jessica Todd for being polite & helpful all the time.
Ollie Winchester for being a superstar at Mother's Day lunch by clearing plates whilst he waited.

SILVER ACORN AWARD

Sebastian Vince, Alfie Amass, Molly King, Eva Doyle, Riley Howlett-Davey

Gold Acorn Award: Kitty Hambling-Jones, Luna Dowsing, Dulcie Woods, Maisie Nelli

WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

Martha Cooney, Ted Mace, William Stanley, Maisie Nelli and Ollie Winchester received certificates for participating in the Woodbridge School Team Maths Challenge.

Golden Mile Initiative:

Bronze 10 Miles: Harry Griffiths, Connie Pethybridge, Jack Love, Morris Hambling-Jones, Daniel Kearton, Finnian Wood, Jack Griffiths, Ethan Haden-Scott, Eddison Riches

Gold 50 Miles: Ava Lewis

OUTSIDE WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

Holly Shiells received a yellow rosette for showjumping from RDA. Kitty Hambling-Jones has been given a place in the advanced class at Pipers Vale even though she has only been doing gymnastics for four weeks

MRS WOOD DATES AT WALDRINGFIELD

I intend to be at Waldringfield on Tuesdays, Fridays and alternating Wednesdays. As always, please email me or call either school, on any day to speak to me. Hollesley's number is 01394 411616.

DIARY DATES

Mon 20 Mar	3.30-6pm Parents' Evening
Wed 22 Mar	6-8pm Parents' Evening
Fri 24 Mar	Y6 Outdoor Activities @ Bucklesham
Tue 29 Mar	Governing Body Meeting
Wed 29 Mar	KS2 Cross Country
Thu 30 Mar	Easter Themed Lunch
Fri 31 Mar	WSA Easter Coffee Morning
3-14 Apr	Easter Holiday
Mon 17 Apr	PD Day
Wed 19 Apr	All School Dance Workshop
Fri 21 Apr	St George's Day Lunch
Mon 24-25 Apr	Y3/4 PGL
Mon 8 May	Closed for Coronation Bank Holiday
Thu 18 May	WSA Disco
Fri 26 Jun	Gymnastics Trip
Thu 15 Jun	Father's Day Lunch
Fri 16 Jun	Y3/4 Football Tournament @ Nacton
Sat 24 Jun	WSA Summer Fair
Fri 7 Jul	FoSS Day

Yours sincerely
Sarah Wood
Headteacher



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We expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment



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