

# Waldringfield Primary School

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## SUMMER TERM: NEWSLETTER 13

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2023

### WOOSH

Even if you have booked your child in to be collected at 4.30pm or 6.00pm, please feel free to collect them earlier. Sessions are charged regardless of the time you collect. **Please note that WOOSH will be ending at 5.00pm on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May.**

### AUTHOR VISIT

James Campbell is coming to our school next Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May. James is an author, storyteller and a comedian.

James' books range from £7-£8 and are available in all the usual bookshops and online places including [www.jamescampbellauthor.com](http://www.jamescampbellauthor.com), but he is also bringing a box of books with him to sell after school. The books can be signed by him and dedicated to your child. Hopefully this will help cement the experience of meeting a real author and inspire our children to write for themselves.

James has a card reading machine, so he is able to take contactless payments, Applepay etc. He can also take cash.

### KING'S CORONATION PARTY

Children can come to school wearing red, white and blue for the Coronation Tea Party. There will be activities during the afternoon in house teams.

### MENU CHANGE

Next week's menu will be changed due to the King's Coronation lunch on Friday. The fish and chip day will be on Thursday instead of a roast dinner.

### FESTIVAL OF FLOWERS

All children have made a flower which will be used to decorate a table in the church for their Festival of Flowers for the Coronation. The festival will be open to all from 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> May at All Saints Church, Waldringfield.

### WSA CORNER

**School Disco - Thursday 18th May, 5.30-7pm, in the Village Hall.**

Paperless tickets will be available on ParentMail next week for £3.50 each. In addition to the dancing and fun, there will be a pocket money stall and games. Pizza slices, hotdogs and hot/cold drinks will also be on sale. Siblings are welcome too but will need a ticket (except babies/little toddlers). Every child will need to be supervised by an adult.

**Save the Date! Summer Fair – Saturday 24th June, 2-4pm**

Our biggest event of the year is coming up soon and we look forward to seeing all of you there! We'll have lots of games, entertainment, bouncy castles, cakes, candy floss, glitter tattoos, a raffle and loads more. Please note that the fair will take place at a slightly later time in the afternoon than in previous years.

### WSA Spending

Thanks to your wonderful support of our fundraising events over the past few years, we have accumulated a total of £9,700 to spend on enhancing school experiences and provision.

We are excited to announce that we are spending £5,000 on a new piece of inclusive play equipment - a tunnel with monkey bars – to be installed in the playground over the summer holiday. Pictures will be added to the WSA noticeboard soon.

The committee have also voted to donate £500 to each class (£2,000 in total) for teachers to spend on educational resources.

As usual, we will be purchasing Wolsey Theatre pantomime tickets for the whole school in the Autumn Term, at a cost of £1,500.

We will be in consultation with Mrs Wood to set new fundraising goals from this term, so please consider joining our committee to share your ideas and help in our decision-making.

## STAR OF THE WEEK AWARDS

**Hedgehogs:** Ivy Mace for her imaginative writing linked to our Dear Zoo book. Harry Ballam for his excellent knowledge of guide dogs

**Squirrels:** Theo Green for working hard in maths and pushing himself to complete challenges. Morris Hambling-Jones for always being ready to learn and listening to others in the class.

**Badgers:** Jethro Ramsay for contributing positively to group discussions and being a helpful and supportive member of the class. Zara Newton for showing great resilience and challenging herself at PGL and also being supportive of others

**Owls:** Alfie Amass for working hard to improve his handwriting. Dylan Murphy for increased concentration especially in maths and computing.

## GOLDEN LEAVES

Oscar Wilson for helping to keep another child safe. Sophia Nelli for sharing her Easter bonnet with another child. Holly Shiells for walking. Jack Griffiths and Eddison Riches for being cooperative at lunchtime. Flora Dishington for helping put breakfast club things away.

Maisie Nelli for tidying up. Dulcie Woods for being helpful in class. Harry Griffiths for good singing in assembly. Mason for being helpful.

## HOUSE TEAM CHAMPIONS

Kitty Hambling-Jones, Alice Schaefer, Elsa Stock, Ivy Mace.

Solly Cooney, Dylan Murphy, Evie Marston, Izzy Stannard

## MIDDAY SUPERVISORS' AWARD

Brooke Parratt for showing empathy and kindness towards everybody.

Ethan Haden-Scott for being sensible at the lunch table whilst everyone else was messing about and being very loud.

**GOLD ACORN AWARD:** Ollie Winchester, Martha Cooney, Rocco Castaldo

## WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

### Golden Mile Initiative:

#### Bronze 10 Miles:

**Silver 25 Miles:** Isabella Stock, Elodie Sadler, Ivymann, Rosa Griffiths

**Gold 50 Miles:** Joshua Peasey

**Emerald 75 Miles:** Evie Marston, Isabel Stannard

**Ruby 100 Miles:** Brennan-Tate Macro, Noah Peasey, Caleb Haden-Scott, Sebastian Vince

## OUTSIDE WALDRINGFIELD ACHIEVEMENTS

Rosa Griffiths received a trophy for being the 31<sup>st</sup> Ipswich Scout Group's Beaver of the Year.

Isabella-Rose Clarke was awarded the Chief Scout's Silver Award which is the highest award you can get in Cubs.

Connie Pethybridge achieved the Rainbow distance of 15 metres and Florence Pethybridge achieved Level 5 Learn to Swim with the Swim England Awards.

Jessica Todd achieved a Merit in the RAD Level 1 Ballet examination.

## 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

<b>Mon 1 May</b>	<b>Closed for May Day Holiday</b>
Tue 2 May	6pm Information Evening for New YR Parents
Fri 5 May	Coronation Lunch & Street Party
<b>Mon 8 May</b>	<b>Closed for Coronation Bank Holiday</b>
<b>From Tue 9 May</b>	<b>KS2 SATS Week</b>
Wed 10 May	Chance to Shine (Cricket Day)
Mon 15 May	Hedgehogs to Hollesley for Kimmy's Zoo
Thu 18 May	WSA Disco
w/b Mon 15 May	KS1 SATS week
Tue 23 May	5pm Governors Meeting
Fri 26 May	Whole School Gymnastics Trip
<b>Mon 29 May - Fri 2 Jun</b>	<b>SUMMER HALF TERM</b>
Wed 7 Jun	2.30pm New YR in Hedgehogs
Wed 14 Jun	2.30pm New YR in Hedgehogs
Thu 15 Jun	Father's Day Lunch
Fri 16 Jun	WSA Father's Day Gift Shop pm Y3/4 Football Tournament @ Nacton
Tue 20 Jun	Resources Committee Meeting
Wed 21 Jun	2.30pm New YR in Hedgehogs
Sat 24 Jun	WSA Summer Fair
Wed 28 Jun	2.30pm New YR in Hedgehogs
Tue 4 Jul	Sports Day
Wed 5 Jul	Y6 FoSS Sailing Day TBC New YR in Hedgehogs all pm
Fri 7 Jul	FoSS Day
Tue 11 Jul	'Up' Day – New YR in all am
Fri 14 Jul	9am Prize Giving Assembly Reports Home



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Wed 19 Jul Waldringfield Romp TBC  
Thu 20 Jul Summer Concert  
Fri 21 Jul Leavers' Assembly  
Last day of term

Yours sincerely  
Sarah Wood  
Headteacher



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