

# Featherstone Wood Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Just a little reminder that Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> May is a Bank Holiday and the children are back in school on Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy the sunshine!

## Star Learners

Our Star Learners this week are:-

Reception - Whole class

Year 1 - Logan-Jack Stannard

Year 2 - Adam Piotrkowski

Year 3 - Chloe Rummey

Year 4 - Zeynep Taycur

Year 6 - Whole class



Well done everyone we are very proud of you.



Aston was awarded the trophy for his excellent jumping and landing technique. Well done Aston.

## PE Star Learners

Our PE Star Learners this week are Zimchi Egbukole, Year 2 and Aston Taylor, Year 4.

Zimchi was awarded the trophy for her progression in athletics.

Well done Zimchi!



### **Attendance Award**

The Attendance trophy has been awarded to Year 2 this week with 99.09%. Well done Year 2.



### **SAT's Meeting – Year 6**

On Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> May there will be a meeting for all students and their parents at 3.15 p.m. in the Year 6 classroom. It is important that everyone attends.

During SAT's week (14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May) **ALL** children in Year 6 will be coming to Breakfast Club. There is no charge for this.

They need to arrive for 8.00 a.m. to have a choice of cereal, toast, beans, bacon and crumpets; hot drinks or fruit juice.

### **People That Help Us**

The EYFS topic this term is 'People that help us'.

Do you work or know someone who helps others in their job, for example a carer, doctor, nurse, postman, policeman, fireman or the Armed Forces. If so, could you spare some time to come in and talk to the children about what you do?

Please let a member of staff in the EYFS know, or pop into the office.

### **Grandparents Afternoon Tea**

To celebrate the forthcoming royal wedding between Prince Harry and Meghan, we are holding an afternoon tea for grandparents on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> May at 2.00 p.m.

If you have not already done so please call at the office to complete an invitation. Replies need to be returned by Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Children can come to school in their best wedding/party clothes for the occasion. **(No football kits or superhero outfits please).**

### **Year 2 Trip to Whipsnade Zoo**

Please could all payments be in school by **Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> May**. The cost is £20.00.

Thank you.

### **Year 6 Trip to Pizza Hut**

All payments for the Year 6 trip to Pizza Hut must be in school by **Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> May**. The cost is £20.00.

Thank you.

**Both these trips will not be able to go ahead unless we receive ALL payments. If you have not already done so please ensure this is brought into school as soon as possible.**

Thank you.

### **Sports Day/BBQ/School Fair**

The Parents of Featherstone Wood are holding a BBQ on the 6<sup>th</sup> July, straight after sports day. A letter will be sent out next week so that you can pre-order your food.

The PofFW have asked for volunteers to help run the BBQ. If you can spare any time at all to help out please call in at the School Office and leave your name, or let one of the members of the PofFW know. Thank you.



The next meeting of the PofFW is on Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30 p.m. All welcome.

## **Shephall United Football Club**

Shephall United will be holding an open training session on Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> May, here at Featherstone Wood School.

Sessions will be held for ages 5-9 year olds (Years 1-5) from 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m., and then ages 10-12 (school years 6-8) from 12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.

### **Dates for your Diary**

7<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday

14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> May – SAT's Week Year 6

21<sup>st</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> May – SAT's week Year 2

**24<sup>th</sup> May – End of term**

25<sup>th</sup> May - Inset Day

**28<sup>th</sup> May – 1<sup>st</sup> June - Half term**

**4<sup>th</sup> June - Children back to school**

6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> June – PGL Trip

11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> June – Year 1 phonics check

15<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2 trip to Whipsnade Zoo

15<sup>th</sup> June – Father's Day Sale

6<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day, barbeque and Summer Fair

12<sup>th</sup> July – Transition Day

16<sup>th</sup> July – Y6 Leavers Party

20<sup>th</sup> July – Leavers Assembly

**20<sup>th</sup> July - Term ends 2.00 p.m.**

23<sup>rd</sup> July - Inset Day

24<sup>th</sup> July - Occasional Day

25<sup>th</sup> July - Occasional Day

26<sup>th</sup> July - Occasional Day

27<sup>th</sup> July - Occasional Day

### **Diary Dates 2018/2019**

#### **2018**

3<sup>rd</sup> September - Inset Day

4<sup>th</sup> September - children return to school

26<sup>th</sup> October - Occasional Day

29<sup>th</sup> October - Half Term  
2<sup>nd</sup> November

5<sup>th</sup> November - children return to school

20<sup>th</sup> December - school finishes

21<sup>st</sup> December - Inset Day

#### **2019**

7<sup>th</sup> January - return to school

18<sup>th</sup> February - Half term  
22<sup>nd</sup> February

4<sup>th</sup> April - Inset Day

5<sup>th</sup> April - Inset Day

8<sup>th</sup> April - Easter Holidays  
22<sup>nd</sup> April

27<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term  
31<sup>st</sup> May

3<sup>rd</sup> June - return to school

23<sup>rd</sup> July - school finishes

24<sup>th</sup> July - Inset Day

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