

# Featherstone Wood Primary School



## Newsletter

15<sup>th</sup> May, 2015

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to say a huge well done to Year 6 this week for how well they have coped with their SATs. They have all supported each other throughout the week and have enjoyed a calm and settled start to the day by joining us for Breakfast Club. Well done everyone!



### Magna Carta Trips

The whole school will be participating in the visit to St. Albans Cathedral during the course of next week. Please could I ask that packed lunches are packed in plastic bags with no chocolate, sweets, fizzy drinks or glass bottles. Once the children have eaten everything will be thrown away so please do not send metal cutlery or plastic containers that you want back.

Depending on the weather your child will need a waterproof jacket or sun hat and sun cream. They will not require any money. If they require a

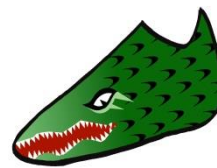
travel sick tablet please make sure they have taken it before we leave.

### PofFW Lottery

Don't forget to pop along to the office and buy your monthly lottery ticket. They cost £2.00 each and the draw will take place next Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May. Half of the proceeds will go to PofFW and half to the winning ticket. Be in it to win it!

### Happy Shoesday

During Walk to School Week 2015, on Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> May, we shall be participating in Happy Shoesday. For a donation of £1.00 children may come to school in what shoes make them happiest - shiny, decorated, red, cartoon, gorilla feet etc.



### Star Learners

Reception - Noah Eyison  
Year 1 - Logan Sullivan  
Year 2 - D.J. Faulkner  
Year 3 - Bleu McCarthy  
Year 5 - Kamil Maczan  
Year 6 - Whole class

### Attendance

The winners of this week's Attendance Trophy are Year 6 with 97.65%. Well done everyone.



### Word of the Week

Well done to Mia, Melissa, Konstantina, Katie, Alisha, Kaiden and Jayden, all Year 3, for their entries on last week's word, which was to find an alternative word for 'Proud'. They all received their certificates today.

This week's word is '**Prodigious**'. All entries should be placed in the white box in the interactive area.

### Clubs

If your child is in school on the day of their club they are expected to attend even if they don't have all the correct equipment, as they have made a commitment to be part of the team.

### Football Club

Letters have gone home this week inviting children from Year 4 to join football club on a Tuesday after school. Please return your letter as soon as possible if your child would like to participate.

### Running Club

This will continue after half term. If your child would like to join please see the office for a permission slip.

### Little Performers

Little Performers will begin again on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June from 3.20 - 4.20 p.m. The sessions will run for five weeks until 30<sup>th</sup> June. Please call into the office if you would like your child to attend.



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### Dates for your Diary

#### Academic Year 2014/15:

18<sup>th</sup> May - Year 4, 5 & 6 visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

19<sup>th</sup> May - Year 1 & 2 and Rec visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

20<sup>th</sup> May - Year 3 visit to St Albans Abbey for Magna Carta workshops

25<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> May - Half Term

1<sup>st</sup> June - Inset Day

14<sup>th</sup> June - Phonics check week for KS1

18<sup>th</sup> June - Class photographs

3<sup>rd</sup> July - Sports Day & Proms

8<sup>th</sup> July - KS2 Production - 1.30 and 5.30

9<sup>th</sup> July - Transition Day/Meet the Teacher

10<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Gosling Stadium Trip

11<sup>th</sup> July - Summer Fair

15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>h</sup> July - Y5/6 PGL Trip to Marchant Hill

21<sup>st</sup> July - Term ends 2.00 p.m.

22<sup>nd</sup> July - Occasional

**Academic Year 2015/16:**

2<sup>nd</sup> September - Inset Day

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

4<sup>th</sup> September - Return to school

26<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> October - Half Term

18<sup>th</sup> December - School finishes

21<sup>st</sup> December - 31<sup>st</sup> December - Christmas break

1<sup>st</sup> January - Bank holiday

4<sup>th</sup> January - School resumes

15<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> February - Half Term

25<sup>th</sup> March - Good Friday

28<sup>th</sup> March - Easter Monday

4<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> April - Easter Break

2<sup>nd</sup> May - Bank Holiday

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

31<sup>st</sup> May to 3<sup>rd</sup> June - Half Term

22<sup>nd</sup> July - Summer Term finishes

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