

Featherstone Wood Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

E-Safety

Concerns have been raised about Snap Map which was launched on Wednesday. The app allows video clips and photos that members have posted publicly to be discovered on the map, while members who have chosen to share their location can also be seen on the map by those they have added as 'friends'. The location-sharing feature lets people 'locate exactly where you are, which building you are in and exact whereabouts within the building'.

Please be vigilant and if you want to switch off Snap Map location sharing please follow the below instructions:-

- When in photo-taking mode, pinch the screen to open Snap Map
- Touch the settings cog in the top right corner of the screen
- Tap 'Ghost Mode' to switch off location sharing
- Photos and videos posted to

Snapchat's public 'Our Story' will still be discoverable on the map

Star Learners

This week's Star Learners are:-

Reception - Logan-Jack Stannard

Year 1 - Isabella Foreman

Year 2 - Daria Radu

Year 3 - Billy Mallam

Year 4 - Warren Rogers

Year 5 - Rhia Shaw

Year 6 - Jack Virtue

Well done everyone - we are very proud of you all.



Sports Stars of the Week

Our Key Stage 1 Sports Star is Ronnie Carter, Year 2. Ronnie was awarded the trophy for showing great tennis skills and for staying on task throughout the lesson. Well done Ronnie!



Jacob Rogers, Year 6, is the Key Stage 2 Sports Star. Jacob won the award for helping with the KS1 PE lesson, helping out his classmates with tennis and continuing to stay on task, not just this week but most weeks. Well done Jacob.



Attendance Trophy

Year 1 is the winner of the Attendance Trophy this week with 97.62%. Well done Year 1!



Sports Day

Our Sports Day is next Friday, 7th July. You are all welcome to come along and watch the events and then join us for a picnic lunch.

The Reception children will be taking part in all events. The Nursery children will be taking part in the race events only so Nursery parents are invited to come along at 11.00 a.m. if they would like to see their child participating. You can, of course, come to the whole event if you wish.



Parents of Featherstone Wood (PofFW)

The next meeting of the above group is on Monday, 3rd July at 9.00 a.m.
All welcome.

Raffle tickets are going on sale from Monday also. Tickets are 20p each.

The PofFW are asking whether you have anything that could be donated towards their Summer Fair – good as new toys, books, teddy bears, games, etc., or any unwanted gifts that need a new home!

All donations can be placed in the box outside the School Office.

On the 14th July the PofFW are holding a non-uniform day and instead of making a monetary donation they are asking for children to bring in a donation for the tombola at the School Fair.

Below are the items which they would like each class to donate:-

Year 1 - Canned food items

Year 2 - Biscuits

Year 3 - Sweets

Year 4 - Cakes

Year 5 - Toiletries

Year 6 - Drinks

EYFS - any of the above

School Fair - Saturday 15th July

Please find below the times that each class will be performing at the School Fair:-

EYFS - 11.15

Years 1 and 2 - 11.45

Years 3 and 4 - 11.30

Years 5 and 6 - 12.00

Mrs Larnner and Mrs Bonner will be serving strawberry cream teas.

If you would like to pre-order a cream tea at a cost of £2.00 each, please call at the office for a leaflet.



Change to Dinner Menu

On Tuesday, 4th July we will be having an American Independence Day menu. The choices will be Burger in a Bun or Quorn Hot Dog, served with savoury wedges, Boston

beans, corn on the cob and chocolate brownie.



On Tuesday, 11th July, we will be having a Wimbledon themed lunch. The choices will be Championship Chicken Wrap; Game, Set and Mac 'n' Cheese with new balls peas, courtside carrots and strawberries and cream.



Shephall Residents Association

The next meeting of the Shephall Residents Association is on Wednesday, 12th July, 6.30 for 7.00 p.m. start. All welcome.

Junior Parkrun

Junior Parkrun is a free 2k run for 4 - 14 year olds. It is held every Sunday at 9.00 a.m. at Hampson Park, near the Community Centre.

A parent or guardian must accompany under-11's. To register online and print your barcode

please visit
www.parkrun.org.uk/register

Dates for your Diary

4th July - KS2 play to school

5th July - KS2 play - matinee 1.30 p.m., evening performance 6.00 p.m.

7th July - Sports Day and picnic

7th July - Reports out

10th July - Year 4 & Amey, Y6 - Violin assembly

13th July - Transition Day/meet the new teacher

14th July - Last achievement assembly

14th July - PofFW Non-Uniform Day

15th July - School Fair (11.00 am - 2.00 pm)

20th July - Leavers Assembly

20th July - Term ends 2.00 p.m.

21st July - Inset Day

24th July - Occasional Day

Diary Dates 2017/2018

Autumn Term:

30th August - Occasional Day

31st August - Occasional Day

1st September - Inset Day

4th September - Children return to school

20th October - Term ends

23rd - 27th October - Half Term

30th October - Children back to school

18th December - Term Ends

19th December - Inset Day

Spring Term:

3rd January - Term starts

9th February - Term ends

12th - 16th February - Half term

19th February - Children back to school

28th March - Term ends

29th March - Inset Day

Summer Term:

16th April - Term starts

25th May - Inset Day (Term ends)

28th May - 1st June - Half term

4th June - Children back to school

20th July - Term ends

23rd July - Inset Day

24th July - Occasional Day

25th July - Occasional Day

26th July - Occasional Day

27th July - Occasional Day

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