

Wookey Weekly News Friday 27th April



Hot Lunches next week - Week 1

Well done to our stars of the week for this week. They are: Hannah and Callum (Chestnut), Jenna and D. (Willow), Ruari and Bella (Oak) and Esmae (Rowan). They will be having tea and cake with Mr Marsh next week.



A Message from Mrs Bird

I have been the Office Manager and Clerk to the Governors for over 10 years and with a heavy heart, I am announcing that I will be leaving Wookey Primary School at half term.

I have seen many changes while working here and enjoyed my time here, but have decided to take up a full time career change opportunity in a commercial company now that my two daughters are grown up.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every past and present parent, governor, pupil and staff for their friendship and support while I have been at Wookey. As the school goes from strength to strength, I wish you all the very best for the future.



Every Thursday afternoon from 13:30 to 15:00 Josie & Pam run gardening sessions with small groups of children. Due to holidays and other commitments they need help over the next few months. If you are able to come into school on a Thursday afternoon (and it doesn't have to be every Thursday), please let Mr Marsh know.

*□ I am proud of my learning todayl

Those parents who are active on Seesaw may have spotted this label on some of the learning that has been posted on

Seesaw in the past 2 weeks. We are encouraging the children to share work that they are proud of with their teacher and their parents on Seesaw, even if it was produced in their books and not on the iPads initially. We are already finding that this is proving to be an exciting way of tracking children's progress and saving examples of their best work, and it also reminds the children that they should be aiming to produce work they are proud of at all times.

Mrs Robertson would like to thank all the parents who helped us celebrate 'National Poem in your Pocket Day' on Tuesday this week. It was great to see how many children took part and to hear them share their poems with their friends throughout the day.

Diary Dates for the rest of this half term

Tuesday 1st May - Rowan Class visit to Wookey Farm

Wednesday 2nd May - Yr1/2 Sport Festival at Wells Blue School

Wednesday 9th May - Yr5/6 Sports Festival at Wells Blue School

Wednesday 9th May - Rounders League Fixture (at West Pennard)

Monday 14th May - Yr6 SATS week begins

Monday 21st May - Mufti to raise funds for WSA

Friday 25th May - Class & Leavers' Photos

Monday 28th May - Half Term Begins

Monday 4th June - Back to School

For a full list of diary dates for the summer term, visit www.wookeyprimaryschool.co.uk/calendar



News from Little Acorns

At playgroup this week we've been learning about Japan and St. George and the Dragon. We have been making some wonderful clay sculptures, adding sticks, leaves and flowers. We're also very excited that our sand pit has been fixed and look forward to the sand arriving! Thank you to everyone who supported us in our Tesco Bags for Help campaign.

Our special helpers this week have been Zephyr, Charlie, Arthur, Honey and Rex. Thank you for your help this week!

A big thank you to Susie Blunt for her donations of boxes of cereals to breakfast club this year. This has been a big help when it comes to ensuring that the children who attend breakfast club are given a healthy and balanced breakfast daily.

Thank you also for the donations of pre-school toys for breakfast club and after school care that we have received this week. We would welcome any more donations of pre-school toys, as well as donations of any robust outdoor toys for after school care. We hope to make the most of the outdoors this summer, and it would be lovely for the children at after school care to have their own 'special' toys.

If you have recently changed <u>any</u> of your contact details can you please ensure that you inform the office so that we are able to contact you if needed. It is vital that we have the most up to date contact information for every child in case of emergencies. This includes work telephone numbers and details of other family members etc. that we have on record.

