



Weekly Bulletin

4th February 2019

Fun!!

In November 2018, members of staff from Community Academies Trust schools visited Windmill and gave us feedback on what they thought was good about our school and what they suggested could be better. From talking to parents, they suggested we should make sure we continue to have fun events in school, as well as being very focused on children making progress academically. We completely agree with that, so we are consulting with Parent Forum soon on events we should plan for the next school year. In the meantime, here is some information about our events planned for this term.



Valentines Disco

We will be holding a Valentines disco on Thursday 14th February. KS1 and Reception 3:30pm - 4:30pm. KS2 5:00pm - 6:00pm. Reception and Key Stage 1 children can bring their party clothes to school in a labelled bag and go straight from their class to the disco.

Key Stage 2 children will go home as usual and then return in their party clothes at 5:00pm. All children must be collected from their classroom door at the end of the disco. The cost for each child will be **£2.00**, they will receive a drink and a snack.

Please return your slips to the class teacher with your money before 7th February. **Slips or payment will not be accepted after this date.** Money will not be accepted through the school office.

Please be aware that there will be no clubs on this date.



World Book Day 2019

World Book Day will be on Thursday 7th March not 28th February as previously stated. We are asking all children to come dressed as a character from a favourite book **NOT** film. Please don't think that you have to buy a new dressing up outfit for this - often a few accessories do the job nicely!



Comic Relief (Red Nose Day) 2019

Red Nose Day will be held on Friday 15th March. We are asking children to come into school wearing red clothes or red accessories but **NOT** face paints, hair dye, make-up or nail varnish. We are asking for donations of £1 per child unless your child has a Red Nose, in which case, we will ask for 50p.



Easter

We will be hosting a Mufti Day on Friday 29th March for the Easter raffle. Children may wear their own clothes in exchange for a donation of Chocolate eggs.

All the eggs collected will then be raffled off just before we break up for Easter. Raffle tickets will be on sale in classes every morning from 1st April until 11th April at 20p a ticket. Buy 5 and get one free!

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Uniform

For every child in correct uniform, classes receive 'Happy Teacher' dojo points each day. If the correct PE kit is remembered for **both** sessions, your child can earn even more 'Happy Teacher' dojo points! And remember - at the end of the school year, points mean prizes!

Missing Uniform

Please check that your child hasn't accidentally bought home a pair of size 10 black velcro Clarks shoes. If you find them, please bring them to the school office.

Could you please check that your child's name is labelled in uniform and PE kit as we are having a number of PE kits, Sweatshirts and Cardigans going missing. If you could please check that your child has the correct kit/uniform that would be appreciated.



Breakfast Club

Breakfast club breakfast (eating time) now finishes at 8:15am and 'Stay and Play' starts at 8:20am (50p for an early drop off). If your child requires breakfast please make sure they arrive before 8:15am.

School Dinners

The cost of school dinners is due to increase from £2.20 to **£2.30 from the 1st of April**. The most simple and easy way to pay for your school dinners is online. The web link is posted below. You simply need to find our school's name from the drop down list and payment can be made using a credit or debit card. You will need your child's unique reference number for school dinners. If you don't have this please call the school office on 01952 386360 and we will be happy to provide this for you.

http://www.telford.gov.uk/info/20028/school_meals/8/pay_for_school_meals

Parent Pay

Parent Pay will be going live after the February half term. We are urging parents to activate their accounts as soon as possible. If you need any help with activating your account please ask us at the office. This will enable you to pay online for clubs and trips. This is NOT for school dinners (yet); dinners will still need to be done through the Telford and Wrekin website or via the class teacher.



Bikes

We will shortly be starting our Bikeability sessions again but we are unfortunately short on spare roadworthy bicycles. If you have any spare or old bicycles that you no longer use and would be happy to donate to the school, please call us on 01952 386360.



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Mathletics Club

Year 6 children can come and attempt to be our 'Mathlete of the Week' by working at our Mathletics Breakfast Club. School will be open every day from 8:15am for all Y6 children. They can come through the office and will work in the Lamputt room until 8:40am. This is completely FREE, but please note, breakfast is not provided.

Punctuality

We are still seeing some children arriving late to school. The school, governing body, OFSTED and DFE place great importance on pupils being punctual to school. Lack of punctuality affects learning and behaviour not only of the pupil who is late, but it has an impact on all other learners as the teacher is required to recap on missing learning for those who arrive late. Children must be at their classroom for 8:45am ready for registration (class doors close at 8:50am).

Achievements

A huge well done to Ava in Year 1 for achieving her yellow belt in kick boxing with JBS martial arts academy! Keep up the good work!



Stars of the Week



Pupil Stars: Jessica, Evan, Christian, Jessica, Connor, Sophie, Antonia, Jack, Jessica, Princess, Amy-Lee, Demi-Leigh, Lordina and Jaimie-Lea.

Staff Star: Mrs Barton

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 5 th February	Year 1/2 Multisports at Telford Park
Wednesday 13 th February	Class 11 Sharing assembly 10:20am-10:40am (Refreshments from 10am)
Thursday 14 th February	Valentines Disco. KS1 and Reception 3:30pm-4:30pm. KS2 5pm-6pm
Friday 15 th February	Whole school break up for half term. Children return Monday 25 th February
Thursday 28 th February	World Book Day
5 th and 6 th March	Year 5 Bikeability Group 1
Friday 15 th March	Red Nose Day
Friday 29 th March	Whole School Mufti Day. Chocolate egg donations.



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Community Early Help - Lakeside South Activity Calendar January 2019 Telephone: 01952 385465

Day	Title	Time	Details
Monday	Health Visitors - Dawley House, Burton Street, Dawley	9.15am - 11:15am	0 - 5 year Drop In Clinic. Every second Monday of the month
	Drop In and Play - Park Lane Centre, Woodside	9.15am - 11.15am	For families with pre-school children for parents to join in with their children's activities and play with their children. TERM TIME ONLY Re-starts: 07.01.19
	Playing Together - Dawley Town Hall, Dawley	9:30am - 11:00am	Parents/Carers and their children have fun playing together. TERM TIME ONLY Re-starts: 07.01.19
	Playing Together - Brookside Central, Bembridge, Brookside	1:30pm - 3.00pm	Parent/Carers and their children have fun playing together. TERM TIME ONLY Re-starts: 07.01.19
	Baby Group - Families in Telford - Park Lane Centre, Woodside	1.00pm - 2.30pm	For those who are pregnant, have a newborn baby or a pre-walker you are welcome to this group. Pre-school siblings may attend.
Tuesday	Baby Group - Families in Telford - The Hub On The Hill formerly Sutton Hill Community Centre, Southgate, Sutton Hill, TF7 4HG	9.30am - 11.00am	For those who are pregnant, have a newborn baby or a pre-walker you are welcome to this group. Pre-school siblings may attend.
	Parent & Toddler Group - Dawley Christian Centre	9:30am - 11:30am	A drop-in group for parents and carers and young children. Price £1.50 per family.
	Childminders Group - Youth Room, Park Lane Centre, Woodside	9.30am - 11.15am	A drop-in group for childminders.

Wednesday	Woodies Early Learners - Eco-Lodge - Woodlands Primary & Nursery School, Ironbridge Road, Madeley	8.45am - 10.45am	Our aim is to provide a happy and structured learning environment for you and your child. To help your child to learn through play. 0 - 3 years. TERM TIME ONLY
	Baby Clinic - Madeley Medical Practice, Church Street, Madeley	9.00am - 11.00am	Weighing and general development/weaning queries. 0 - 5 years. 1st Wednesday of each month.
	Baby Clinic - Sutton Hill Medical Centre	9:30am - 11:30am	Weighing and general development/weaning queries. 0 - 5 years. 4th Wednesday of each month.
	Baby Group - Families in Telford - The Hub On The Hill formerly Sutton Hill Community Centre, Southgate, Sutton Hill, TF7 4HG	9:30am - 11:30am	For those who are pregnant, have a newborn baby or a pre-walker you are welcome to this group. Pre-school siblings may attend.
Thursday	Baby Clinic - Park Lane Centre, Woodside	9.00am - 11.00am	Weighing and general development/weaning queries. 0 - 5 years. 3rd Thursday of each month
	Little Acorns - Oak Tree Centre, Lightmoor Village	9.00am - 11.00am	Parent/Carers and their children have fun playing together. 0 - 5 years. £1.50 per family. TERM TIME ONLY
	Health Visitors - Park Lane Centre	9.00am - 11.00am	0 - 5 year Drop In Clinic. Every 3rd Thursday of the month.
	Playing Together - The Hub On The Hill formerly Sutton Hill Community Centre, Southgate, Sutton Hill, TF7 4HG	9.30am - 11.00am	Parent/Carers and their children have fun playing together. TERM TIME ONLY Re-starts: 10.01.19
Friday	Playing Together - Youth Room, Park Lane Centre, Woodside	1.00pm - 2:30pm	Parent/Carers and their children have fun playing together. TERM TIME ONLY Re-starts: 11.01.19
	Breastfeeding Group - The Clinic Room Sutton Hill Medical Practice, Maythorne Close, Sutton Hill TF7 4DH	10.00am - 11.30am	Breastfeeding Support Group for Breastfeeding Mothers. For further information please contact Karen Carline, Breastfeeding Facilitator on 07773 259183

