

REMINDERS AND DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Forest School – Friday 21st April – Firefly
- Forest School – Friday 28th April – Ladybird
- Forest School- Friday 12th May - Caterpillar (not on 5th)
- Forest School- Friday 26th May/9th June - Bumblebee

- Tuesday 25th April – Whole Class Photos
- Thursday 27th April 2.30pm: SATs meeting for Year 2 Parents/Carers
- Friday 5th May – wear red, white and blue mufti for the Coronation.
- Tuesday 23rd May 8.40am: Gymkhana meeting for Year R Parents/Carers
- Thursday 25th May 8.40am: Phonics Screening meeting for Year 1 Parents/Carers
- Follow us on Facebook Windlesham Village Infant School and Twitter @windleshaminfants if you don't already and remember to check our website regularly for updates too!

Message from Mrs Ezzard

Welcome back! We've made a brilliant start to the final term of the year - I hope it is sunny, fun and rewarding for us all. This term there'll be lots going on, so please make a note of the dates attached. One highlight will be the FOWVIS Summer Fair on Saturday 20th May - please note the date and get ready to join in the fun!

We have an amazing team of Governors who work with me in setting the strategic direction of the school. For some of them, their term of office is coming to an end and we would be looking to recruit new governors in the year ahead; if you, or a friend, is interested in this role, please come and see me, especially if you are experienced in marketing, health & safety.

This week was 'offers' week when families were given their allocation for Yr R and Yr 3; if you know of anyone who is still looking for a school place for Reception in September, please let them know that we have spaces and I will be happy to give them a tour of our school. We have some lovely induction events planned this term. In June and July we will be starting our own 'transition' work in PSHE lessons, when we talk to the children in each class about 'moving on' and supporting them to think about the next school year; I will share more details after May half-term.

The School Council will be introducing new playground equipment with the school next week; we made a 'long list' of items we could buy using the money raised from the Chocolate Tombola. School Council members talked about the choices with each class and all pupils were able to vote for the sorts of equipment they would like the most; overwhelmingly, the children voted for den building equipment, which is what we have bought.

We will be celebrating the King's Coronation in the first week of May, taking this as our focus for a lot of our learning that week. On Friday 5th May, we ask that the children come to school in red, white and blue clothes (mufti); we will be having a street party in the playground in the afternoon.

Lost property

A reminder to please ensure that all school uniform, PE kit, bookbags etc are named so that we can return lost items to their owners if found.

Un-named items of property found around school are placed in the lost property box in the office. If you are missing anything then you are welcome to have a look through by asking the team in the office. Periodically, we will also place the box outside at drop-off/pick-up (front of school) so you can have a look through.

It is also worth checking every now and again that your child hasn't accidentally picked up another child's property by mistake. If you do find any items not belonging to your child, they can be handed in to the office.

Class Photos

Whole class photos will be taking place on Tuesday 25th April in the morning – details of how to purchase the photos will follow shortly.

School Menu

We are now in the Spring/Summer Term so a new menu is attached and is also available on the school website. This details the meal options for the rest of this academic year.

Clubs

After school clubs start back next week and will run through to the penultimate week of term, with the last club being SCL Football on Friday 14th July.

Choir – if your child would like to attend choir this half-term, payment can now be made via ParentMail/Shop.

Let It Grow

BBC Radio 2 are celebrating the joy of planting and encouraging you to Let It Grow, turning grey spaces into wild and colourful places. If we each do one small thing to bring nature close to home, and support our wildlife, together we can make a big difference. This links with Science learning in each class this term, so we encourage you to get planting! bbc.co.uk/let-it-grow

Sun Safety

In the summer term, sun safety is important and we encourage all pupils to come to school with sun cream already applied on sunny days. Sun cream should not be left in book bags.

Coronation

BBC Radio 2 have a series of programmes/content about the King and the coronation, if you are interested to know more. bbc.co.uk/sounds