

WOODFALL NEWS

JUNE 2017



Safeguarding

The school has a legal duty to report any non-accidental injuries to children. Where children have had an injury from an accident outside school, we ask that parents please inform the school so that we respond appropriately. The school's Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy will involve links with police and/or social care as appropriate. It is therefore essential that parents inform the school of accidental injury to pupils whilst they are at home. The school cannot hesitate to report any instance of abuse.

Thank you for your help with this.

Parking

Parking around school continues to be a cause for concern. May we please remind all parents, carers and grandparents to park safely and with care. Please avoid parking on 'H' bars, double yellow lines, on kerbs and on corners. Our careful parking will help to keep all our children safe. Very many thanks for this. Please also note that there is an open invitation to park at The Royal Oak and then walk to school.

Holidays During Term Time

We have notification from Cheshire West & Chester Council that they will be recommencing Fixed Penalty Notices from September 2017. Please can we remind parents that all absences must be put in writing and handed into the office. May we also remind parents that the Headteacher is not able to authorise holidays during term.



SportsDay

Sports day will be held on Tuesday 4 July weather permitting.

If the weather is hot please ensure that the children are wearing sun cream, have a hat and have a water bottle.

9.50am - Infants Sports Day - Field

1.30pm - Junior Sports Day - Field

Don't forget your trainers for the mums and dads race!



School Phone Number

When school ring parents the number comes up as 0845 1480060 please can you save this into your mobile phones as "Woodfall Primary" to avoid calls going unanswered. Thank you.



Reminder



Please ensure that sun cream has already been applied to your child before they come to school. Now that the weather is hotter hats and water bottles are essential too.

Year 2 Delamere Trip

Year 2 children enjoyed a brilliant couple of days at Fox Howl in Delamere Forest for their first school residential. They took part in a range of activities including den building in the forest,



Tyrolean rope walking, orienteering, team building games and pond dipping. We finished the evening with a campfire where they enjoyed some hot chocolate and marshmallows while singing a range of campfire songs. The children's behaviour was exceptional, they were a credit to themselves and we are all very proud of them. They are already looking forward to the next one in a couple of years!

Woodfalls Got Talent

We had 12 fabulous acts competing, who had previously won their year group heats. The talent on display was amazing. The eventual winners were:



3rd Sam Lawrenson playing piano; 2nd Nell Leighton Acrodance and 1st place was Alfie Fisher with his Street/Hiphop dance routine.



Uniform

Please can you ensure that all uniform, PE kits and coats are labelled clearly with your child's name and class as this helps the children find their own possessions and helps cut down on the lost property.



Rotakids



Thank you for helping us raise £83.30 at our cake sale on 21st June 2017 for 'End Polio'. This money has been trebled to £249.90 by the Bill Gates Foundation.

On Thursday 22nd June Woodfall Rotakids went to Chester Zoo with Neston Rotary Club. We all had an amazing day learning about the animals and their habitats. We want to thank Neston Rotary Club for the wonderful day and for all their support this year.

Hayley Foster - Rotakids Leader

Staff Car Park

Please note that the staff car park is open for authorised staff vehicles during school operating hours: 7.20am to 7pm. Whilst specific families known to school use the disabled access, the car park is for staff use only. Unfortunately, should vehicles with no authorisation continue to use the staff car park, we will need to contact families directly to explain the problems caused by unauthorised use. Unfortunately, families using the Before and After School facility do not have authorisation to use the staff car park.

Breakfast/Afterschool Club

Let us help with childcare.

Our Breakfast club operates daily from 7.30am -8.50am and our After School Club operates daily until 6pm.

Booking forms for September will be emailed home this week but please contact the office if you would like further information.

Half Term / Inset Day Monday 29 May 2017 - Monday 5 June 2017

July		
Saturday	1	Neston Fair - Choir Singing 1.50pm
Tuesday	4	Sports Day Infants Am / Juniors Pm
Thursday	6	Y4 Allotment Scheme 9am & 3.30pm Meeting Yr6 Parents - Report Grades & Levels Y4 Selling Woodall's Allotment Produce After School
Friday	7	Y2 Swimming 5W - Neston Market Virgin Money
Monday	10	Meet The Teacher Year 5 - 2.30pm
Tuesday	11	Eco Club To Lees Lane Pond
Wednesday	12	Meet The Teacher Year 1 - 9.00am
Thursday	13	Meet The Teacher Year 2 - 9.00am Meet The Teacher Year 3 - 9.00am Y4 Allotment Scheme Meet The Teacher Year 4 - 2.30pm
Friday	14	Y2 Swimming 5B - Neston Market Virgin Money Y1 - Trip To New Brighton
Monday	17	Yr 6 Production
Tuesday	18	Yr 6 Production
Wednesday	19	Junior Disco - PA Infant Activity - PA
Thursday	20	Yr6 - Beach Trip Y4 Allotment Scheme
Friday	21	School Finishes For Pupils

Holiday Dates 2016 - 2017

Finish Friday 21 July 2017 for the Summer.



INSET DAYS

MONDAY 24 JULY 2017
TUESDAY 25 JULY 2017
MONDAY 4 SEPTEMBER 2017

Just to remind you we have an open invitation for you to contact us regarding queries and / or problems. Please help us by letting us try to help straight away, rather than letting things build up.

Your Feedback

If you have any queries or comments to make about any of the items on this newsletter, please contact Mrs Hough, Mrs Bramham or Mrs Graham in the School Office.