

# Walter Infant School and Nursery

# Friday Flyer

Dear Walter Families.

I am so delighted to be at back at school; I have been so warmly welcomed by everyone, and so has Walter, who is also delighted to be back. We have missed everyone so much, but I was able to concentrate on getting much better, more quickly due to the wonderful leadership of Mrs Bell and my amazing team of colleagues.

Isla has drawn a picture of me and Mrs Bell working together; it made us smile. I am

on the left with the long legs!



You will all have noticed the scaffolding around the school building, this is because at long last we are having the roof repaired! This has taken 7 long years to organise and we are all so glad (especially Mr Fennell) that we will no longer be at risk from leaks when the rain falls! Hooray and thank you to Wokingham Borough Council.

It was a joy to lead my first assembly, which was on the value of honesty. The children were so knowledgeable and articulate and we learned an acrostic poem about honesty in Walter Infant School and Nursery, which the children would like to share with you all at home.



# HONESTY!

- Helping everyone to understand what has happened.
- · Owning our own behaviour
- Never saying something that isn't true!
- Everyone needs to be fair and kind
- Stating the facts! What actually happened?
- Treating everyone in the way you would want to be treated
- You can ALL do this!

#### Star of the Week

All of our Star of the Week certificates were awarded to children who have always demonstrated honesty; they have all received a values badge as well.



























#### **Woolley Firs**

Our Year 2 children had a wonderful time at Woolley Firs and as usual we had a glowing report from the staff at Woolley Firs complimenting our children on their exemplary behaviour. Sadly, Mrs McDonough was too poorly to attend the trip so Mrs Bell went in her place. Mrs Bell called me to let me know how proud she was of all the children and all the adults, and that she had had a brilliant day. She said Mrs McDonough should feel extremely proud of her Year 2 Team and all the children. Prajan was awarded a values badge for being so kind and swapping his seat on the coach with another child! Well done Prajan!









Thank you, Mrs Pimm, for these wonderful photographs; it looks as if the children had the most amazing and memorable time.

#### **Summer Fair at Walter Infant School and Nursery**

Our Summer Fair is on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, starting at 11:00 am until 2:00 pm. This will be the first Summer fair for our new Parent Teacher Association (PTA) and is an incredibly large and complex event to host. It is also our biggest fund-raising event of the school year and with the present 'Cost of Living Crisis', we are more dependent than ever on donations and fundraising to ensure that we can provide the wonderful education and opportunities we provide to make our children's education be as memorable, as exciting and as much fun as it can possibly be. We are hoping to buy more outside gymnasium equipment, some for Foundation Stage and some more for the main playground as the children love it so much; so, we would all be so grateful if you are able to help us as much as you can.

#### **Volunteers**

This is the link for parents, aunts, uncles and grandparents to sign up to help on a stall at the fair; we have not had much take up and if we do not have enough support we will not be able to go ahead, which would be a terrible shame, as we are already making exciting plans for Miller's Ark to come and visit in September!

#### Please sign up here: volunteersignup.org/AKJX4 Summer Fair 2024 signup sheet Saturday 22nd June 2024 To sign up, select a row below > Y Show volunteers ■ Show classic view What and when Wrap lucky dip prizes FULL YYYYY Ya > © Friday 21st June Fold raffle tickes (in school) FULL 0 O Friday 21st June General help on afternoon of Friday 21st June >

#### **Donations**

We would love to have lots of donations so we can make lots and lots of money for our children!

On **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June**, please could you send your children in with SWEETS!!!!! As many as you can, but without nuts, as we are a nut free school, in exchange for coming to school without their school uniform!

# **NON- UNIFORM DAY 14<sup>TH</sup> June 2024**





#### The School Council

### RUMBLE IN THE JUMBLE

The School Council are running a second-hand TEDDY and SOFT TOY stall again; only teddies and soft toys, no games or action figures. The toys must be in as good as new condition please. The Year 2 School Councillors will have the opportunity to work on the stall, which they love to do! Please bring the toys into school next week (beginning 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024).

#### Friday 21st June 2024 ~ another non-uniform day!

Please bring cakes, biscuits and cookies into school for our PTA Cake Sale; please include a list of ingredients. **NO NUTS PLEASE.** 

<u>Please also bring in bottles for the bottle tombola;</u> we would love to receive bottles of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, as well as bubble bath, perfume, shower gel and anything else that comes in a bottle.

#### **Beach Day and the Seaside at Walter**

Foundation Stage had a wonderful day at the beach on Tuesday when they returned to school. The seaside theme will continue next week.



Have a lovely weekend.

Judy Hargreaves: Headteacher

## **Walter Infant School**



# **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2024**

Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Beech Class Assembly 2.45pm-3.15pm
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Larch Class Assembly 2.45pm-3.15pm
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Oak Class Assembly 2.45pm-3.15pm
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	FS2 Wellington Country Park Trip
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	FS2 Wellington Country Park Trip
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Non-uniform day for Summer Fair Donations
Friday 21st June	Non-uniform day for Summer Fair Donations
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	FS1 & 2 Sports Day 1.00pm-3.00pm (Robin, Dove, Magpie, Woodpecker)
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Summer Fair 11.00am-2.00pm
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 Sports Day 9.00am-12.00pm (Year 1 & Year 2)

Please note that these dates are subject to change.