

# **Wormholt News**

# Friday 14th October

# Head's Chat

Hello families,

We have had another busy week here at School. SLT has been visiting some more classes, which has been really positive. Your children constantly bring smiles to our faces, with their wonderful behaviour, the kindness they show to each other and the brilliant comments they make!

New displays have been put up all around the school, which are looking great. Our theme this year is Black History. We have displays about Mo Farah, Malorie Blackman and Kamala Harris to name but a few. You may have seen some of the displays while you've been visiting the teachers for your parent meetings this week. Thank you to all the parents who have been to the parent meetings so far. The feedback has been really positive. We are all delighted to be working closely with you to ensure your children do the absolute best they can at school.



I am delighted to tell you all that Mrs Naveen's baby boy arrived today!

Mummy and baby are both doing really well. Congratulations to them all. He is our fourth Wormholt baby this year!

Have a lovely weekend everyone,

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

#### **Harvest Festival**



Thank you to everyone who contributed to this year's Harvest Festival food collection. Emily, from Hammersmith & Fulham Foodbank, joined our assembly on Monday and explained to us where the food we had collected would be going. All the donations were collected by Hammersmith & Fulham Foodbank after our school assembly.



If you want to find out more information please go to their website at:https://hammersmithfulham.foodbank.org.uk/







Last Tuesday, a group of children and Miss Macalka took advantage of the lovely weather and went for a walk over to Wormholt Park. The children enjoyed collecting lots of dried leaves to make a collage with.



# Year 6 BBC Trip

On Tuesday, a group of Year 6 pupils visited Television Centre with the aim of constructing a bug hotel. There were some wooden pallets already in position and it was their job to add in lots of torn cardboard, stones, rocks, foliage, sticks and bark. By the time they finished building the bug hotel, the insects were already starting to move in. Here is an article written by the people who organised the trip at TVC.

https://televisioncentre.com/news/tvc-bug-hotel-built-and-opened-by-local-school



# **Secondary School Applications 2023**

Applications must be made online through your Local Authority. The closing date for submission is **31st October 2022.** The National offer day is 1st March 2023.

Please see below for the web page:

https://www.lbhf.gov.uk/children-and-young-people/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/transf er-secondary-school-2023

Further information is also available on this web page, i.e. The Moving on Up booklet and hints and tips leaflets.

### **Primary Debating Programme**

#### **Developmental Language Disorder (DLD) Awareness Day**

Friday 14th October is DLD Awareness day. Developmental Language Disorder (DLD) is a common language disorder, where children have difficulties understanding and/or using spoken language, which can continue into adulthood. It is a condition that affects 7 to 10% of children, which could equate to two children in every classroom.

Click to find out further information about DLD <u>https://radld.org/</u> or for further information and advice about speech and language visit the Communication Hub at <u>https://communicationhub.org/#parents</u>



### **Inspire Coffee Mornings**

The Inclusion and Specialist Intervention Outreach Service provides specialist interventions to inspire Children and Young People with SEND to transform their lives and achieve the best outcomes. Specialist interventions, assessment, teaching and advice are provided specifically for children and young people with hearing impairment, visual impairment, Autistic Spectrum Disorder and Dyslexia as well as

#### InSpire Coffee Mornings 2022-23

For parents and carers of autistic children and young people

Please join us for these relaxed and informal parent groups hosted online by specialist Teachers for children and young people with autism from Hammersmith & Fulham's InSpire Outreach Service

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Ferm
EYFS Group (Nursery and Reception) AM 10.00 to 11.00 PM 13.30 to 14.30	Wed 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct (PM) Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec (AM)	Weds 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb (PM) Weds 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb (AM)	Weds 10 <sup>th</sup> May (PM) Weds 5 <sup>th</sup> July (AM) Transfer to school focus
Primary Group (Years 1 and 6) 13.00 to 14.00 pm	Tue 18 <sup>th</sup> October Tue 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Tue 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tue 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Tue 16 <sup>th</sup> May Tue 27 <sup>th</sup> June
Secondary Group (Years 7 to 13) 18.00 to 19.00 pm	Tue 18 <sup>th</sup> October Tue 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Tue 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tue 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Tue 16 <sup>th</sup> May Tue 27 <sup>th</sup> June

advice for young children with significant developmental delay.

Please note the dates for their coffee mornings.



### **Reception Class Applications 2023**

The application process opened on 1st September and closes on 15th January 2023. The National offer day is 17th April 2023.

https://www.lbhf.gov.uk/children-and-young-people/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/startingschool-reception-2023

# Hardship - parental support

We are of course aware that times are hard at the moment, with rising fuel prices, food costs and more. Please remember that we are always here to give advice and help. If you are worried about anything, please speak to a member of SLT or someone in the office.

### **Children in Need**

Our Children in Need Day will be on Friday 18th November.



### **CHEYNE Support Sessions**

Cheyne Child development service are offering workshops for families on the waiting list for a Autism /Neurodevelopmental assessment at Cheyne Child Development Centre on:

- Monday 31st October 22: Child Development & Additional Needs
- Monday 7th November 22: Supporting Communication

- Monday 14th November : Understanding the local education system
- Monday 21st November 22: Learning through play
- Monday 28th November 22: Supporting sensory needs

These sessions are for parents/carers for children aged 0 - 5 years All sessions are between 12.30pm - 2.00pm and will be at The Stephen Wiltshire Centre (Fulham) You can attend if you are

registered with an LBHF GP OR your child is awaiting further autism/neuro assessment at Cheyne Child Development Centre Sessions run by Daisy Beard (ASD integrated keyworker), Dr Khushbu Patel and Dr Amal Hussein (Educational Psychologists)

Please click here for further information and to book a place. <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/cheyne-cdc-waiting-list-support-stephen-wiltshire-965309</u>

In addition to this they are also offering the following sessions:

• Friday 21st October: Supporting sensory needs

These sessions are for parents/carers for children aged 0 - 5 years All sessions are between 10.00am - 11.30am and will be at Randolph Beresford Early Years Centre You can attend if you are registered with an LBHF GP OR your child is awaiting further autism/neuro assessment at Cheyne Child Development Centre Sessions run by Daisy Beard (ASD integrated keyworker), Dr Khushbu Patel and Dr Amal Hussein (Educational Psychologists)

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# **Skills Builder Weekly Challenge**

Have you been completing any of these skills builder challenges at home? Please let us know how you are finding these. Here is this week's challenge!

Play a board game with your household. (If you don't own a board game, find an idea for a game online). As you play, think about how you can support and encourage others. **Extension:** try teaming up and playing cooperatively.

#### **Reflection Questions**

**Getting Started:** When do you find it easier (or more difficult) to work with others in a positive way?

Intermediate: Have you helped make decisions with others?

Advanced: How can you encourage others to help out too?

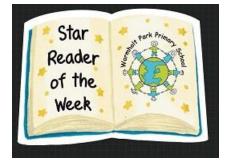
**Mastery:** What is an 'unhelpful conflict'? How can you avoid this when working with others?

#### 🙀 Teamwork

Skills Builder has resources available for parents/carers on their website. The <u>Home Zone</u> helps parents and carers to build their child's essential skills at home.Each week they have a different Skills Challenge that parents/carers can complete with their child. <u>Click here to visit their website</u>



#### **Readers of the Week**



This week, the Star Reader of the Week is: Ismail in Ottawa (Reception) Well done !

#### **Class Assemblies**

Thank you to Tokyo (Year 5) for their wonderful class assembly to parents today.

Please find the list of upcoming dates for class assemblies on our website at: <a href="https://wormholtparkprimary.co.uk/assemblies/">https://wormholtparkprimary.co.uk/assemblies/</a>

# **School Calendar**

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2	3	4 Ubrary School uniform recycling	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 Library	12	13	14	15
16	17	18 Library	19	20	21 Birthdey Bash	22
23	24 Half Term - school closed	25	26	27	28	29

Our School calendar is updated regularly. Please click the link below to access it

<u>Click here to see</u>

#### Attendance

Best Attendance this week		
1st	Washington	
2nd	Токуо	

Well done to these classes!

# **Useful Dates**

Autumn Term 2022				
Monday 24th - Friday 28th	Half Term			
Friday 16th December - 1.30pm	End of Term			
Spring Term 2023				
Wednesday 4th January	Children back			
Monday 13th - Friday 17th February	Half Term			
Friday 31st March - 1.30pm	End of Term			
Summer Term 2023				
Monday 17th April	Children back			
Friday 21st April	INSET DAY			
Monday 1st May	Bank Holiday			
Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June	Half Term			
Thursday 29th June	INSET DAY			

Friday 21st July - 1.30pm	Last day of term
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