

Wormholt News

Friday 9th June **Head's Chat**

Dear Families,

What an amazing week we've had! On Wednesday, we held our KS1 and EYFS Sports Day in Wormholt Park and on Thursday, KS2 headed over to Linford Christie stadium for their Sports Day.

Both days were a great success. The children behaved brilliantly and it was so lovely to see so many of you there to cheer your children on.

I'd like to thank Ms Relton, who organised the events so well. It was her first time and she smashed it!

This week, Year 4 have started their official Multiplication Check set by the DfE. Next week, Y1 will complete their Phonics Check. I recently got sent last year's results for the Multiplication Check and our results were significantly above the national average. In fact, our school was in the top 20% of schools in the country! Well done present Year 5s.

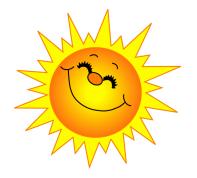
We are planning an event for July, which I'd like to give you the date for now, so you can keep it free.

We will be having a Picnic in the Park for Reception to Y6 children and their families on Wednesday 12th July at approx 11.30am - more information to follow. (Nursery will be holding their own event.)

I hope you all have a lovely weekend in the sunshine.

Anika Hargie

Headteacher



Sports Days



We will be putting lots of photos in next week's newsletter!

School Bake Sale - Friday 16th June

We're running our second bake sale to raise money for a whole school art gallery at the end of the year. This bake sale will happen **next Friday 16**th **June.**

Your support with this would be amazing to make our end of year event extra special for our pupils. Please help by donating any baked goods for the children to purchase (with ingredients clearly labelled for allergies and <u>no nuts</u>!) on Friday morning, along with donations of at least 30p. Every child will get **at least** one cake after lunch each so long as we get donations!



Year 5 Parents & Carers - Save the date

Parents and carers of children currently in Year 5 (who will be going into Year 6 in the next academic year), You are invited to attend the Transferring to Secondary School meeting being held on Tuesday 12th September from **9.00am to 10.00am** in our bottom hall. Sam Lord will support you and your child with choice and advice sessions regarding Secondary School options in Hammersmith and Fulham. The Session on **Tuesday 12th September 2023** will guide you through:

- what the different type of Secondary School options are;
- how to understand the school's admissions criteria;
- what banding tests will mean to parents and their children;
- what specialist (aptitude) places are available in certain schools;
- what foundation (SIF) places will mean for you and your child;
- the process of how to apply online;
- why it is important to choose your six places, as well as timelines and open days of visits to Secondary Schools.

There will be a Q&A at the end to address any further queries or concerns.

Hammersmith & Fulham Food Bank

If you need an emergency food parcel, please contact Kim or Sharon in the school office and request a referral. Alternatively, your key worker (if you have one), your GP, Health Visitor, or your housing officer are also able to make referrals.

The foodbank provides 3 days of nutritionally balanced, non-perishable food, as well as essential toiletries. They sometimes have fresh food, bread, etc where local businesses have donated it. When you go to collect your parcel they will always have a conversation with you to discuss your preferences and if there are any other ways they can help you.

THE HUB @ 75

They offer help beyond a food parcel. Find out more about additional services and in-person support.

Hammersmith & Fulham Foodbank also offers 'wraparound' support to local residents and anyone who wishes to visit, via the White City Hub.

A range of services are available from the Hub, including drop-in sessions for anyone to pop in and use our computers, borrow or trade a book, play a board game or just stay for a chat.

See their full timetable for further details at:

https://hammersmithfulham.foodbank.org.uk/get-help/the-hub-75-white-city/

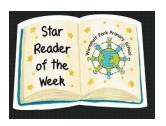
- Tuesday & Thursday 'drop-ins' from 10.00 to 16.00 is available for anyone who is passing to
 make use of our facilities, including computers and pre-loved clothes, books and toys, as well as
 pre-booked appointments with H&F Citizen's Advice (for people referred to the Foodbank).
- Coffee mornings every Wednesday from 9.00 to 11.00.
- Art Club every Friday morning from 11.00 until 13.00 (up to 8 people at a time).

Understanding Anxiety - Workshop for parents and carers of autistic children

The InSpire Team is running a free workshop, led by specialist teachers for autistic children, for parents and carers living in Hammersmith & Fulham. This workshop will help you develop an understanding of the factors that may cause autistic children and young people to experience anxiety.

This session is being held on **Thursday 15th June from 9.30 -1.00pm** in Holy Trinity Parish Hall, Brook Green, Hammersmith. If you are interested in attending, and would like further information please speak to Samantha Everett (SENCO).

Readers of the Week



This week, the Star Reader of the Week is Elias in Oslo (Reception) and Aaliyah in Santiago (Y6)

Well Done!

Class Assemblies

Please note the **change** of dates. **New dates** for class assemblies being held in the Summer term are:

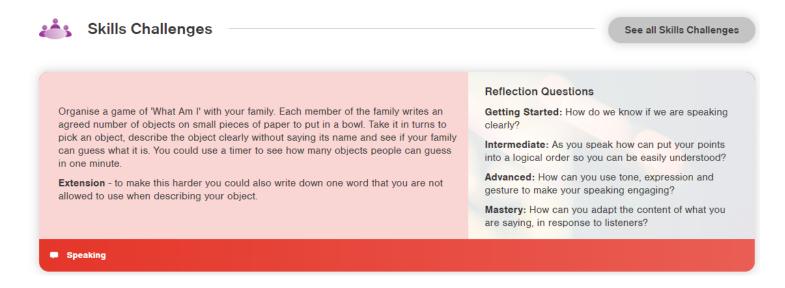
- Friday 16th June 2023 Ottawa (Reception)
- Friday 23rd June 2023 Harare & Havana (Year 1)
- Friday 7th July 2023 Oslo (Reception)

These are held in the bottom hall from 10.00am to 10.15am. Doors open at 9.55am. Please don't be late as this can be upsetting for children expecting you to be there from the start. It is also disruptive for the rest of the children.

Please can we remind you that any photographs or videos taken during class assemblies are for personal use only and should **NOT** be shared on any social media.

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!



Skills Builder has resources available for parents/carers on their website. The Home Zone 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. Click here to visit their website

School Calendar



Our School calendar is updated regularly. Please click the link to access it. <u>Click here to see</u>

Attendance

Best Attendance this week		
1st	Washington	
2nd	Wellington	

Best Punctuality this week		
1st	Santiago	
2nd	Washington & Seoul	

Well done to these classes!

Useful Dates

Summer Term 2023		
Thursday 29th June	INSET DAY	
Friday 21st July - 1.30pm	Last day of term	