



# Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built.

Our Vision: **Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values of *perseverance, compassion and courage* to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.**

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## SCHOOL NEWS

09.05. 2025

### Upcoming Dates:

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May** - SATS Week.

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May**- Maths event at chandlings (Small group of YR4) 1pm-3pm.

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** - Mayday Celebrations Fair 1.30pm.

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** - Moonstone class trip to LEGOLAND.

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May** - Half Term.

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June** - Quad Kids athletics at Tilsley Park 9-12.30pm Jade Class.

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**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> June** - Art Week.

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June** - Tempest Group photos and Yr6 Photos.

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July** - Year 5&6 Residential to Youlbury.

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July** - Whole School P.E Day.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July** - Last Day of Term. School finishes at 1.30pm. **No ASC**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September** - School starts 8.30am.

### **Dear parents/carers,**

I have just returned from a trip to Radley College Farm with Little Gems and we have had a marvellous morning feeding pigs, goats and sheep, meeting the beagle pack, a pair of very excitable basset hounds, guinea pigs and ferrets. We also herded some sheep in to a pen. This was a wonderful way to enrich the curriculum and I can't wait to visit again.



**May Day 21<sup>st</sup> May** For those of you who are new to the school, this event is a highlight of the school year. You will see wonderful May Pole dancing, the crowning of the May King and Queen, the year 5&6 games and of course our famous flower sticks. **If your child is new to the school, please contact the office and we can supply you with a stick that can be decorated with real, plastic, or paper flowers.** This is a treasured school tradition and I know many former pupils still have their sticks. Please also remember that the children will need to bring a change of Smart/Casual clothes with them to change into for the Maypole dancing (no Football shirts please or open toe sandals)

### **Flower Sticks**

If you have any spare that you no longer use could they be brought into school just in case we need some spares? Thank you 😊





### **Moonstone**

We celebrated VE day in our collective worship. we thought about what we were celebrating and why. also, we listened to an interview with a WW2 veteran. The whole school also observed a 2 minute silence, as a sign of respect and made Union Jack keyrings to mark the occasion.

Who said Grammar SATS revision couldn't be fun! Moonstone had lots of fun learning and singing some Grammar revision songs today.



### **Gardening Club**

We still need and are collecting any bulbs, perennials and also packets of seeds for our quiet area in the playground. Plants and seeds can be left at the office. Many thanks for your help.

### **Jade Class**

Well done to the tennis team! We marked VE day this week and had some wonderful discussions with some inquisitive questions for the children.

### **Tennis tournament.**

Some of our Yr3&4 children took part in a Tennis tournament on Wednesday at the WHLC. They all did an amazing job and showed great effort and sportsmanship. Everyone played really well against some very tough competition. What a team!



### **The School Shield**



**Little Gems** – Eli for working really hard with his sentence writing in Phonics and for always trying his best. Well done Eli 😊

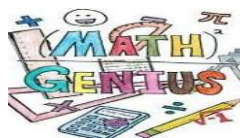
**Opal** – Nina for her great sewing skills making a Circus Puppet. Well done Nina 😊

**Jade** – Leo for being resourceful and using books and discussions to further his learning. Well done Leo 😊

**Moonstone** – Julia for an excellent fact file about Guatemala. Well done Julia 😊



## This weeks Maths Master



**Little Gems** – Luna for her excellent counting to 30.

**Opal** – Oscar for his great maths skills counting money.

**Jade** – Harrison for excellent telling the time.

**Moonstone** – Chloe for great work calculating with pie charts.

**Well done to all our wonderful mathematicians this week**

## This Week's ask me about??

**Little Gems** – Our Farm Trip.

**Opal** – Our Circus Puppets and the history of the Circus.

**Jade** – Viking shoes.

**Moonstone** – What do I need for my May day game?

## Attendance This Week

**Little Gems** – 97.37%

**Opal** – 95.83%

**Jade** – 97.40%

**Moonstone** – 85.93%

## FOWS Update

### May Fair - Wednesday 21st May



FOWS are delighted to once again be supporting May Fair.

Thank you so much to everyone who has made donations so far – your support is much appreciated. Donations will close at 3pm on Monday 19th May, so still plenty of time to drop off donations.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We urgently need volunteers to help enable our May Fair activities to take place. We require help with:

- Setting up stalls prior to May Fair starting (from 12.30 onwards)
- Running stalls after the May Pole Dancing
- Helping with pack down

All of the above will take place after the maypole dancing, so all volunteers will get the chance to fully enjoy watching the children's May Fair dancing. If you are able to assist with running a stall, please see Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell or drop us a line at [friends.wootton.school@gmail.com](mailto:friends.wootton.school@gmail.com).

### **As a reminder, we will be running:**

- **Tea Shop;** all and any donations of homemade or shop brought treats would be very much appreciated. If you are able to provide something, please let Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell know or drop us a line at [friends.wootton.school@gmail.com](mailto:friends.wootton.school@gmail.com).
- **Teddy Tombola;** we'd welcome any soft toys who are looking for a new home. Please either leave these in the boxes in the school office, or if easier / you have large quantities, please contact Angela (WhatsApp 07860853980) to drop off at Mathews Way (collection can also be arranged).
- **Adult Tombola;** donations of toiletries, books, wine, confectionary, candles, small ornaments would be gratefully received. Please place in the box in the school office.
- **Plant sale;** any donations of small household plants or excess vegetable plants would be appreciated. Please let Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell know if you have any to donate and we'd ask that these are donated nearer the time (to ensure they don't dry out).
- **\*New\*** Children's Book stall.

### School Bank details

Please see the Bank details below to make direct credit payments for your child/ren. School dinners, school

trips, Before and after school club etc can all be paid this way.

**Bank-** Lloyds TSB

**Account No-** 19341368

**Sort code-** 30.80.12

**Reference-** Childs Name Lunch Or Childs Name Care or Childs Name Trip.

**Separate Payments should be set up for each child and service i.e. Lunch, Care or Trip.**

