

# 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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#### **Upcoming Dates:**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October-** Harvest Festival at Wootton & St Peters church 2pm. All parents/carers welcome.

**Tuesday 15th October- Friday 18th October- Moonstone** Cycle Training.

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October-** FOWS Spooky Disco 4.30pm-6pm. **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October-** Whole School Maths Café 2.30-3.20pm.

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October-** Open class rooms 2.30pm. All parents/carers welcome.

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October- Last day of term, school finishes 3pm. Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November- Half Term week.

Monday 4th November- School starts 8.30am.

Tuesday 5th November- Flu vaccination R-Yr. 6.

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November- Reading Café- 2.30pm-3.20pm.

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November- Yoga workshop.

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November-** Individual /Sibling school photographs.

Thursday 21st November- Parents Conversations.

Tuesday 26th November- Parent Conversations.

Wednesday 27th November- Radley Reptile Visit 1.45-

2.45pm Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December- Radley Reptile Visit 1.45-

**Friday 20th December-** Last day of term, School finishes at 1.30pm.

Monday 6th Jan-Inset Day.

Tuesday 7th Jan- School starts 8.30am.

#### Parents/carers-

We are just coming back from a fabulous trip to Oxford to the Pitt Rivers and Ashmolean museums. This has been a rich cultural experience for the whole of Key Stage 2. Thank you for your contributions as it makes it possible for these events to be able to happen. We very much hope it has inspired your children to learn even more about Ancient Greece (Moonstone) and the Stone Age (Jade class). Our broadband ambitions curriculum has I sorted some incredible home learning- look at AJ's Spartan helmet-

it's stunning. We can't wait to showcase more of your home learning in our newsletters and it looks like this term's Open Classroom could be one of the best ever.

# Whole school Maths cafe Tuesday 22nd October at 2:30 - 3:20 pm.

Come and find out how we approach problem solving in Maths

Ks2 Reading Café – on Tuesday 5th November 2:30 to 3:20 pm. Come to school to share a book with your child, find out about how we teach reading and get some ideas about making reading fun at home

#### **Harvest Festival**

Traditionally each child brings in a non-perishable item to school the week of Harvest. We then parcel them up and deliver to St Peters Church. The gifted items are then offered and our Harvest Festival begins. Each year a number of our year 6 children are then chosen to deliver some of the parcels to the older members of the Wootton community (along with staff). The rest of the donations are taken to a local charity (Abingdon Food Bank). Donated items for Harvest can be bought into school from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October, e.g. - Tinned items, rice, pasta, tea, coffee, biscuits etc. Please do not feel obliged to donate, only do so if you can. Our School Harvest celebration will start at 2pm at Wootton & St Peters Church on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October. All parents and carers are warmly welcome to join us at church, to celebrate Harvest and listen to the children sing.

#### **Help Wanted Please**

\_We are looking for someone with a van to collect a panel of Heras Fencing from behind the cricket pitch and transport it to jade classes garden at the front of school. If you have a van or know anyone that could help, then please contact the school office with your details. Many thanks.

#### Attendance This Week

**Little Gems - 98.71%** 

Opal -- 92.77%

Jade - 95.52%

**Moonstone – 90.59%** 

#### The School Shield



Little Gems – Lyra for being so keen to try new things. Well done Lyra ☺

Opal – Robyn for her amazing collage of The Three Little Pigs Houses. Lovely work Robyn ☺

Jade – Ezra for his fantastic learning about Networks and for his wonderful picture. Well done Ezra (3)

Moonstone – Nathan for his fantastic speech from the point of view of Odyssey. Great work Nathan ☺

# **This weeks Math Master**



Little Gems – Maxwell for knowing the 2D shapes 😂

Opal – Georgie for her problem solving with numbers binds to 10 and 20 ☺

Jade – Emily for her great explanation of number lines

Moonstone – Layla for working really hard on her Maths and for being able to calculate mentally ☺

#### This Week's ask me about??

Little Gems - Harvest and what it means.

Opal — Our walk around the village to look at different styles of houses old and new.

Jade - Our Trip to The Pitt Rivers Museum.

Moonstone - Our Trip to The Ashmolean.

# Jade Class School Trip.



# **Moonstone Class School Trip**



AJ's Amazing Homework!





Open classrooms

We will be running Open Classrooms every term. This is a chance for you to come into your child's classroom and find out even more about what your child has been learning. Your child will present their work, tell you what they have learnt and the learning skills that have helped them to gain the knowledge. The first Open Classroom will take place on Friday 25h October at 2:30 pm.

# **After school Clubs**

#### Monday

Art club 3.00 to 4.00pm. The club is open to all children in years 1-6.

Freda covers a variety of projects and children will learn about drawing, painting, collage and lots more. Please message on 07922202847, or email-Fredalivery@yahoo.co.uk for more information or to

book a place.

# **Monday**

Multi-skills club 3.00-4.00pm. The club is open to yrs. 1-6 and is free of charge.

#### Tuesday

Football Squad- 3-4pm.

Open to all children in years 5&6 and is free of charge.

### Wednesday

Football club- 3-4pm. Open to all abilities in years 1-6 and is free of charge.

#### **FOWS FUNDRAISERS**

FOWS are always looking for ways in which we can raise money to provide an additional layer of enrichment to the school's curriculum. For things like classroom materials provided by our termly classroom grant scheme through to larger financial outlays such as coach/transport fees to events.



# Spooky Disco - TICKETS!

Spooky Disco, 4.30-6pm on Friday 18th October.

Come and join the fun with music, games, and fancy dress!

Tickets are £2, these can be purchased with cash or by BACS from Angela Goswell. She will be in the playground at school drop off and pick up each day.

Alternatively, you can send your payment via BACS (To the FOWS Bank account)

Please state your child's/children's names on the payment reference

NatWest Acct number: 63431173

Sort Code: 60-01-01

Tickets can be collected from Angela before the event. We still need a few more volunteers to help at the event, please email friends.wootton.school@gmail.com or let Karolina (Nuno, Nina, Natan's Mum know). This event can only take place with volunteers and your help! If you are able to help at the event or donate snacks, crisps and cake to sell in the tea shop please let Claire Hastie (Leo & Beth's Mum), Karolina Nenca (Nuno, Nina & Natan's Mum) or Angela Goswell (Oliver & Alex's Mum) know, drop us an email at friends.wootton.school@gmail.com or find us in the playground at school drop-off/pick-up. Look forward to seeing you there!



