

Woodlands Weekly



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Newsletter No. 1

Welcome back everyone! We hope you had a super summer. By the amount of crutches, bumps and bandages, it looks like it was certainly an active one!

Staff had a very productive two INSET days last week – we looked at the priorities for the year ahead, and had a strong focus on teaching strategies, routines and behaviour across the school. I will be sharing more information about this in the coming weeks.

The children have returned with smiles and enthusiasm – they are working on their ‘wonderful walking’ and ‘legendary lining up’ around school and throwing themselves into learning.

As per the newsletter at the end of last term, teachers are holding information meetings in the next two weeks:

Year group	Date and time	Location
R	Wednesday 28 th September (9am)	Acorn Hall
1	Thursday 8 th September (7pm)	Acorn hall
2	Thursday 15 th September (7pm)	Acorn hall
3	Tuesday 13 th September (7pm)	Acorn hall
4	Wednesday 14 th September (7pm)	Acorn hall
5	Thursday 22 nd September (7pm)	Acorn hall
6	Monday 12 th September (7pm)	Acorn hall

Please do try to make these – it is a chance meet the year group team, who will share pertinent information and to ask questions specific to each year group. On Monday, I will be joining the Year 6 team to go through the process of applying for secondary schools. We will also be joined by Mr Crow, headteacher at the Leigh Academy (Hayesbrook), who can help answer any questions, too.

I will also join the Year R team on 28th September to tell you a bit more about the school and to hand over for important information on phonics. PLEASE DO ATTEND – this will help your child’s journey through Year R and beyond.

It’s been a really positive start to the year so I am already looking forward to next week.

Have a good weekend.

Vicki Lonie

Superstar Corner

Eddie in 3 Elder and Jamie in 5 Hornbeam had fun filming for Milkshake in the summer holidays. They were food tasters in a new cooking show which will be on telly in November.

Letters Home

- PTA Newsletter
- Leigh Academy Taster Sessions
- Walthamstow Hall Open Event



PTA Message

PTA Dates to remember

13 September 2022: PTA Meeting
07 October 2022: PTA AGM and Coffee Morning
21 October 2022: Bags2School collection



Please see our newsletter for more news!

Music

One 30min slot for guitar lessons with Tom Williams available starting after half term! Please contact Tom [07736051082](tel:07736051082)

tomwilliamsmusic@hotmail.com

Community

One of our parents, Mr Coles, has managed to affiliate his Sunday walking football club with Kent FA, giving him the opportunity to offer over 30's walking football for ladies.

They had their first game on 13th of August at 3pm, playing at Long Mead 3G cage, TN10 3TQ . If you are interested in joining, please contact Mr Coles on:

Ttwfcsundays@gmail.com

Spider Coles messenger on Facebook

07850 576 374

Diary Dates

2022/2023



12 Sept Year 6 Meet the Teacher (Acorn Hall)
13 Sept Year 3 Meet the Teacher (Acorn Hall)
14 Sept Year 4 Meet the Teacher (Acorn Hall)
15 Sept Year 2 Meet the Teacher (Acorn Hall)
22 Sept Year 5 Meet the Teacher (Acorn Hall)
12 Nov PTA Fireworks

New dates/times in blue

Term Dates

2022/2023

1 Sep INSET Day
2 Sep INSET Day
5 Sept Term Starts
21 Oct Term Ends
31 Oct Term Starts
16 Dec Term Ends
3 Jan INSET Day
4 Jan Term Starts
10 Feb Term Ends
20 Feb Term Starts
31 Mar Term Ends
17 Apr INSET Day
18 Apr Term Starts
26 May Term Ends
5 June Term Starts
7 Jul INSET Day
21 July Term Ends

