



Wood Ley Community Primary School



Newsletter

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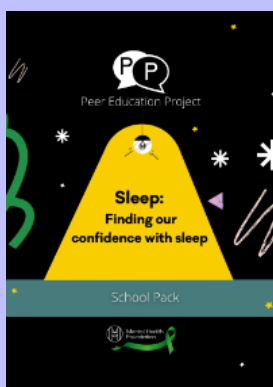
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World Mental Health
Day 2021



Dear Parents,

The children have been working very hard this term, I hope you have managed to see some of their maths work which has been shared with you via class Dojo. If you are having any problems accessing Dojo, please let us know and we will help.

Forest School

It is lovely to see the children enjoying their forest school sessions. They have been bug hunting, playing in the mud kitchen and exploring in the forest area.



Parents' Evenings

We are looking forward to sharing how your child has settled into school this year at our virtual parents' evenings. The online booking process via parent mail will go live on Monday 4th October. You will receive notification via parent mail that the booking process has opened and you can select an appointment in the menu section. Please let us know if you have any problems. Parents' evenings will be Thursday 14th October 5-7pm, Wednesday 20th October 3.45 -5.15 and Thursday 21st October 4-6pm.

World Mental Health Day

We are promoting World mental Health Day on Sunday 10th October. We will be sharing some of the school resources with the children and learning about the importance of sleep.

There is some useful information on the web site

below. www.mentalhealth.org.uk/our-work/children-young-people-and-families



Wood Ley Stars

Well done to all of the children who have been awarded star of the week in September. We are very proud of your achievements

Hazel Class: Jack, Shay, Lewis, Alex

Acer Class: Tegan, Oliver

Cedar Class: Darci, Denis, Oskar

Poplar Class: Brooke, Jessica, Joseph

Maple Class: Cory, Elliot, Lacey

Beech Class: Theo, Liam, Eloise

Cherry Class: Georgia, Rosie, Harley

Oak Class: Edison, Mia, Eli

Elm Class: William, Joshua, Jessica

The children in Holly and Willow classes will be joining in the celebrations very soon.



School Councillors

Well done to the children who were elected to represent their class as a school councillor. The term of office will run until February. Picture on page 3

Peer Supporters

We are delighted to have our year 6 children as peer supporters again. They have begun their training and are very keen to start supporting the children.

SEND Drop In Thursday 21st October 2.30pm

Mrs Spinks is looking forward to meeting parents at the next SEND drop in session on **Thursday 21st October**. If you have issues you would like to raise with Mrs Spinks at the drop in please could you e mail her to arrange an appointment for the day.

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

We are pleased to announce our Times Tables Rock stars this month: **Theo , Charlie**



School Values

The school value for this half term is **happiness**. We are very much looking forward to seeing who will be nominated by the it teacher for demonstrating this value over this half term. The lucky student will be awarded a golden ticket and will be invited to select a special book from our vending machine.

Harvest Festival

We are extremely keen to hold our open air harvest festival celebrations on Thursday 14th October, weather permitting. 9.00—9.20 for Foundation and Key stage 2. will have their assembly together at 9.40—10.00 . We will continue to collect your kind donations on Thursday 14th October, which will be passed onto Stowmarket Food Bank.



Picture Gallery

KS1 School Councillors



KS2 School Councillors



Peer Supporters



Eco Warriors



Diary Dates & Term Dates

October

Friday 1st October—Cherry Class forest School / GVSP Archery Club KS1

Monday 4th October—LKS2 trip to Felixstowe / GVSP Boxercise club LKS2

Wednesday 6th October—School nurse Y1 hearing, vision height and weight checks

Wednesday 6th October -Elm Class Forest Schools / GVSP Dodgeball Club UKS2

Thursday 7th October—Oak Class Forest Schools

Friday 8th October—Cherry Class forest Schools / GVSP Archery Club

Monday 11th October—GVSP Boxercise Club LKS2

Tuesday 12th October—School nurse Y1 hearing, vision, height and weight checks.

Tuesday 12th—open day for foundation families due to start September 2022

Wednesday 13th October -Elm Class Forest Schools

Wednesday 13th October—GVSP Dodgeball Club UKS2

Thursday 14th—Open Air Harvest Festival 9—9.20 Foundation and KS1 / 9.30—9.50 LKS2 / 10.00—10.20 UKS2

Thursday 14th October—Virtual Parents Evening 5-7pm

Friday 15th October—Flu Vaccination Day

Monday 18th October—Show and Share "Topic work," via Dojo this week

Monday 18th October—GVSP Boxercise Club LKS2

Wednesday 20th October—Elm Class forest Schools / GVSP Dodgeball Club UKS2

Wednesday 20th October—Virtual parents' evening 3.45—5.15pm

Thursday 21st October—Oak class forest Schools / Virtual Parents' Evening 4-6pm

Friday 22nd October—Kittle Photographs / Cherry Class forest Schools / GVSP Archery Club KS1

Term Dates 2021 / 2022

Autumn Term

Wednesday 1st September 2021 - Friday 17th December 2021

(Half term - Monday 25th October 2021 to Friday 29th October 2021)

Spring Term

Tuesday 4th January 2022 – Friday 8th April 2022

(Half term – Monday 21st February 2022 to Friday 25th February 2022)

Summer Term

Monday 25th April 2022 - Thursday 21st July 2022

(Half term – Monday 30th May 2022 (May Bank Holiday) to Friday 3rd June 2022)

Non-pupil days or 'PD' days

Wednesday 1st September 2021

Thursday 2nd September 2021

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Wednesday 5th January 2022

Monday 25th April 2022