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Headteacher: Mrs Peta Mather

Dear Parents and Friends,

Friday 22nd March 2013

Thank you to everyone who supported the Red Nose Day activities last week. Year 6 did an excellent job of organising everything. On Monday in assembly they presented the prizes to the winners of the competitions that they ran. The total amount raised was £405.52 which is absolutely fantastic!

As you are aware, we have been visited by Ofsted this week. The children were a real credit to us and made us feel incredibly proud. Their behaviour as always was excellent. Thank you also to any parents who completed the online Parent View. The outcome did not reveal any major surprises to myself or the governors. A huge amount of commitment was demonstrated from the governors and this was much appreciated. We will be putting together a plan to address issues, in order that we can build on the work we are already doing. Further information will be passed to you once the report is published.

We have enjoyed more sporting success this week- well done to the children who attended the netball competition, they came second which now puts them through to the Island final! We wish them every success, but know they will do their very best.

Next week there are some class events, so please look out for details later in the letter.

The report from the pupils who attended the Princess Diana Award training as anti-bullying ambassadors is also in this week's letter, so please have a look. Next week we will let you know how the pupils got on at a technology competition involving other island schools.

Only four more school days to go until everyone can recharge their batteries!

Kind regards,

Peta Mather



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Wootton School will ensure a first class education for all

Menu for the Week Commencing 25th March

PLEASE NOTE CHILDREN SCHOOL DINNERS ARE NOW £2.00

Monday 25th March

Hot dog with sauté potatoes or vegetarian Quorn hotdog with sweetcorn and baked beans.

Apple and blackberry crumble and custard

Tuesday 26th March Easter Lunch Menu

Roast turkey or roast beef or Quorn roast, stuffing, roast potatoes, Yorkshire pudding and gravy, carrots, creamed swede and green beans.

Chocolate Easter cakes, milk or apple juice.

£2.00 per child, £2.76 per adult. Please can adults book in advance

Wednesday 27th March

Easter Breakfast 8am

Chicken and sweetcorn pie with mashed potato or cheese and tomato pizza with jacket wedges.

Chocolate and vanilla ice cream and wafer.

Thursday 28th March

Fish fingers or pasta Neapolitan with chips, baked beans and peas.

Shortbread

All meals served with Cool Water

Please note Jacket Potato and Baguette/Sandwiches also available. Please order daily by 9.am with the kitchen.

Parents are welcome to come into school to have lunch with their children.

These cost £2.76

Please note that if you have not been for lunch before, then you will need to provide details of your full names and any previous names (eg maiden names) and dates of births by providing photo ID (for example - a driving licence or passport) as we will need to carry out a police check. Thank you.

Staff Changes Week Commencing
Monday 4th March

There will be no staff changes this week

Parents' evenings

Please remember to sign up for parents' evenings next week. Years 3,4,5,and 6 on
Tuesday and
Wednesday

Polite notice

It has been noticed that some adults are standing at the bottom of the drive smoking in the mornings and at home time. Please can you refrain from doing this, as it is not very pleasant for the children to walk through.

Attendance for week ending 15th March 2013

Year R	96.43%
Year 1	98.33%
Year 2	95.86%
Year 3	96.54%
Year 4	96.30%
Year 5	97.14%
Year 6	97.20%

Total School weekly attendance - 96.84 %

Total of 6 lates

Our school target is 96.25%

**Rolling Programme Report of attendance
from 01.09.12 to 15.3.13 is 95.63%.**



SEAL

(SOCIAL ,EMOTIONAL ASPECTS OF
LEARNING)

Last half term, we gave SEAL a big push in school and as part of that, we have a focus word for each week which we discuss and use across the school day. Each week in the news letter we will send home the word of the week for the next week for you to share and use at home.

Next week's SEAL word is "CELEBRATE"



HOUSE POINTS

Will now be collected from the week before so these will be up-dated again next week.

	This week	Running total
Dragon	62	2656
Phoenix:	51	2727
Griffin:	56	2371
Unicorn:	91	2393

Red nose day

**Well done for raising
£405.52**



Birthdays

Birthdays to celebrate from Friday 22nd March to Thursday 28th March.

Year 4	Ellie Field (Friday 22nd March) Max Ormiston (Sunday 24th march)
Year 5	Courtney Stevens (Sunday 24th march)



Wootton Cross Country Challenge

Wootton Primary were in the Cowes cluster Cross Country Competition competing against Cowes, Gurnard, Northwood and Queensgate primary schools. The Wootton team members were Kellie Dew (year 6), Elisabeth Mulholland (year 6), Freya Drage (year 5), Toby Southwell (year 6), Adrian Voigt (year 5) and Fraser Law (year 5.)

After a nervous start, the Wootton team came back in good positions. First to cross the line was a Queensgate pupil, closely followed by Fraser in second place; all three of the Wootton boys were placed in the top eight. The three girls finished further down the field helping Wootton to gain second place overall.

The final results were fifth Gurnard with 111 points, fourth Cowes with 105 points, third Northwood with 95 points, second Wootton with 94 points and first Queensgate with 60 points.

By Nicole Dew year 6.

Year 3 Mini Easter Fair

Please support Year 3's enterprise.
The children have planned a Mini Easter Fair as
their takeaway task. This will be held in the
mobiles on the 27th March from 3 to 3:30.
Stalls, games and prizes to be won.



FAMILY EASTER BREAKFAST Wednesday 27th March - 8am

Join us for an egg-citing Easter Breakfast which includes an Easter egg to choose from the
Easter Basket!

Bacon Bap or Sausage Bap

Followed by :
Hot Cross Bun
(served with butter or jam)



Or
Pancake
(with a choice of toppings, lemon & sugar, syrup or chocolate & Banana)

Accompanied by:
Hot Chocolate, Tea or Coffee
And
Orange, Apple or Pineapple Juice.
£3 per breakfast to be ordered in advance.

FAMILY EASTER BREAKFAST

Name.....

Class.....

How many: Bacon Bap ☐
Sausage Bap ☐

How many: Hot Cross Bun ☐
Pancake ☐



NETBALL

First game was outside against Cowes. It was a nail biting game. George was playing excellent in defence. Wootton were playing really well. In the 2nd half Libby was very close to scoring and the team passed the ball well. Cowes scored a lucky goal and the end score was 2-0 to Cowes.

The second game was outside against Lanesend. Libby soon scored an early goal, followed by a fantastic goal by George. A few minutes into the second half saw a brilliant goal from Tom. End score 3-0 to Wootton.

Third game, in the hall, was against Gurnard. Early on in this game came a goal from Freya. Tom was excellent in defence. Luke was close with a goal in the 2nd half and Katie was there to block several tries from Gurnard. End score was 2-2.

Fourth game, in the hall was against Northwood. Katie scored a great early goal. There was excellent passing followed by another goal from Katie, set up nicely by Tom. The rest of the 1st half saw Tom and Katie working nicely together and another near goal.

The fifth game was outside against Queensgate. A good start from Wootton with Libby scoring a goal. This was shortly followed by another excellent, brilliant goal from Libby yet again! Our shots were on target and George scored a third goal. The second half saw very good passing between Tom and Mia; Mia then scored a good goal. We suffered some injuries though, with George cutting his knee and Luke grazing his arm, but we played on. Tom scored another goal and we continued to play well.

Summary- The end result was that Wootton lost one, drew one and won two. Wootton had nineteen points altogether out of six teams, resulting in us coming second. We are now officially in the final. Well done Wootton!



By Jack Hinch year 5

ANTI BULLYING AMBASSADOR TRAINING DAY

Last Friday four pupils from Year 4 visited Carisbrooke College with Mrs Botwright for an Anti Bullying Ambassador Training Day.

The day was run by Alex Holmes who was bullied at school and became an Ambassador against bullying to make a difference to children's lives.

There were five other schools involved including Binstead Primary and Medina College.

The day was full of fun and informative activities including True and False games amongst many others.

We managed to use six of our building learning power muscles throughout the day the main one being empathy.

It was an awesome day and we really enjoyed it!

By Jessica Pain, Jessica Wall, Daniel Jacobs and Christopher O'Reilly.



PTA

EASY FUNDRAISING

Well done to everyone who has signed up. This year we have raised **£209.77** for doing nothing but our shopping on line!

To join click on **easyfundraising.org.uk** and follow the simple steps for Wootton Primary PTA.

WOOTTON'S GOT TALENT

10TH May 6pm in School Hall

Are you a future Star?
Have you got a talent that will amaze?

If so show us!

Look out for entry forms in book bags soon.



SUMMER FAYRE— 21ST JUNE

The PTA will be holding a vegetable competition for all you green fingers out there.

Categories include:

Biggest vegetable
Weirdest vegetable
Best in show
Tallest sunflower (pictures only)
Longest runner bean
Best decorated 'Veg Monster'

50p per entry

Ready, Steady, Grow!

We advertise local events/clubs etc. in good faith and accept no liability.

SHORT BREAKS

Short Breaks offers a range of accessible activities available for children and young people with additional needs, E.g horse riding, swimming, football, dance groups, fun club, crafts group and many more.

You can gain more information about the Short Breaks Programme by visiting the Wightchyps.org.uk website or by contacting Leslie Forde at Family Information Zone (FIZ) on 01983 821999.

Island Equus

Easter Camp

2-5th and 9th-12th April 2013

Pound Lane, Calbourne

Call 01983 613936 for more information and to book your place on Equus Pony Camp



LITTLE HERONS—HOLIDAY CLUB

	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Week 1 1/04/13	Bank Holiday Easter Monday (CLOSED)		Themed Day: EASTER FUN DAY (To Include: Arts & Craft, Easter Egg Hunt, Cooking, Role-Play) <i>Come in fancy dressed.</i>		Construction Challenge (Get creative working in a team)	Cooking (Make a sweet treat)	 TRIP DAY JR Zone Soft Play Park, followed by a Picnic and Medina River Walk. 		Dance Workshop	Team Games (To include: Balloon and Parachute Games.)
Week 2 8/04/13	Dance Workshop	Spring Art Competition (Paint a Spring Picture)	 TRIP DAY Butterfly and Fountain World, followed by a picnic 		Drama Workshop (Make a fun show)	Spring Arts & Craft (Flower Craft)	Local Walk / Play Park	Cooking (Making a cheesy treat)	Themed Day: Wild West Party (To include: Fun Team Games, Arts & Craft and Music) <i>Come in fancy dressed.</i>	

Please note there is an extra charge of £4 for trip days to cover costs of travel etc

Name Date of Birth Contact Number

	Monday 1 st April	Tuesday 2 nd April	Wednesday 3 rd April	Thursday 4 th April	Friday 5 th April
Hours required					

	Monday 8 th April	Tuesday 9 th April	Wednesday 10 th April	Thursday 11 th April	Friday 12 th April
Hours required					

Children's Easter 2013 Sports Programme

The Fairway Sports Complex, Sandown



Premier School Sport Coaching Limited, specialists in sporting activities, offer fun and stimulating courses for children in a safe environment. Run by qualified, CRB checked coaches, we provide a full range of indoor and outdoor programmes to suit young people from 4 - 13 years.

Sports Programme 9am - 12 noon			
Mon 8th April ☐	Tennis Kwik Cricket Martial Arts	Mon 8th April ☐	Rock Climbing & Laser Combat £20.00
Tues 9th April ☐	Skateboarding Badminton Hockey (shin pads & gum shield require)	Tues 9th April ☐	Rock Climbing 3 Hours £10.00
Wed 10th April ☐	Athletics Table Tennis Basketball	Wed 10th April ☐	Rock Climbing 3 Hours £10.00
Thurs 11th April ☐	Squash Ultimate Frisbee Volleyball	Thurs 11th April ☐	Rock Climbing 3 Hours £10.00
Friday 12th April ☐	Gymnastics Dance Hula Hooping	Friday 12th April ☐	Rock Climbing & Laser Combat £20.00
£6.00 per session for sports £10.00 per Rock Climbing Session £20.00 per Rock Climbing & Laser Combat			TOTAL COST £

	BRITISH GYMNASTICS 9.30am - 10.15am Pre-School Gymnastics 2 - 4 Years (Parent & child session)	10.30am - 11.15am Pre-School Gymnastics 2 - 4 Years (parent & child session)
Monday 8th April	☐	☐
Total	£5.00 45 Minute Session	☐

Please tick the boxes on the days you wish your child to attend. Payment to be made in advance, cheques made payable to Premier School Sport Coaching Ltd. Please send application form and payment to Myrtle Cottage, Kemming Road, Whitwell, PO38 2RA

Booking essential. For more information, please contact
 Vanessa Herridge at Premier School Sport Coaching
 07810693182
 or e-mail premierschoolsportcoaching@hotmail.co.uk

company No:7786614 VAT Registration No: 121192554

Please make sure your child has suitable clothing and plenty of drink

Easter Sports Programme 2013

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU BOOK YOUR PLACE ON 07810693182 TO ENSURE YOUR PLACE

Sport / Activity	Easter 2013	Start Date 8th April 2013																											
Location	Fairway Sports Complex, Sandown																												
Name of Child																													
DOB		Gender																											
Parent/Guardian																													
Address & Postcode																													
Contact Tel No		E-Mail																											
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