

NEWS TO SHARE...

Can you believe that we are at the end of transition? I hope your child has enjoyed their time with their new teacher in their new learning room, and they are now excited for the new challenges that September will bring.



All parents should have received an update from their child's teacher including their end of year levels and a comment from their new teacher about how they have settled in. Apart from Y6 - unfortunately we have to wait until the SAT results are released next week, then the reports will be with you as soon as we can. There

is also a parent drop-in for any Y6 parent who wishes to talk to their Y6 Teacher on the following Monday. Thank you to all our parents for visiting our parent drop-ins on Tuesday or Wednesday of this week. An opportunity for you to catch up with your child's previous teacher and their new teacher. It is always great to see our families in school, celebrating the achievements of their children.

Staffing Changes... It is with sadness that I inform you that Mrs Keen is literally escaping into the sun, but it with happiness that we welcome Mrs Fay Mason as our new cook and lead in the kitchen - arguably one of the most important teams in the school! (Plus, Mrs Keen will be back at various points...) Can we also pass on our best wishes to Mrs Jackson and her family. Their new baby - George William was born on Tuesday 23rd June. He looks gorgeous and I'm sure it won't be long before he visits us at Woodlands.



MR. BUSY

By Roger Hargreaves



As we draw closer to the end of term, the pace begins to accelerate as there is still much to achieve. Y6 are rehearsing for their end of year and final Woodland production, year groups are creating products to sell and rehearsing their performances for the Summer Sizzler, Y5 children have been invited to apply for the very important posts of Head Boy or Head Girl. And finally - Reception held a very special graduation ceremony on Thursday to celebrate the end of Early Years Foundation Stage.

See you next Thursday for Summer Sizzler Day, fingers crossed for sunshine...
Mrs Newton.

Diary Dates:

Friday 10th July at 9:00 -
Y3 parents invited to watch
our singers perform

Friday 10th July Y6 Prom

Monday 13th July 3:30 -
4:30 Y6 Parent Drop in

Tuesday 14th July
Reception visit to Conkers

Thursday 16th July at 2:00
Forest School Presentation
(Invited parents)

Thursday 16th July at 9:30
Y6 Leavers Production and
Presentation

Friday 17th July - Break
Up for the Summer.

Thursday 3rd September -
School begins for children.

Woodlands Ex-Pupil working for Sports Plus.

Rachel Watkins returned to Woodlands in a working capacity - to cover Mr Dovey's PE lessons.
Well done Rachel.

SUMMER SIZZLER - THURSDAY 9th JULY ON THE FIELD

1:15 Performance Start 3:30 Stalls Open

You will need to purchase your 'Festival Band' on the gate to gain
Entry, from 1:00. Entrance £2 per adult Children go free



OUT AND ABOUT



Many groups of our children have been out and about for various reasons over the past couple of weeks. It is wonderful to report that every group has had a valuable learning experience and thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity. Plus, every single child has represented our school in an outstanding manner.

Well done to all our children for being a credit to us and your families.

- * Y2 went pond dipping (Yes, a couple did return with soggy feet!)
- * A group of children participated in a multi-skills tournament
- * Y5 visited Pool Hayes to watch their latest production 'Beauty and the Beast'
- * A group of Y5 children visited an Exotic Zoo at Pool Hayes
- * Liam Wright and his family attended a presentation with the Express and Star for winning the Homeserve Advert Competition.
- * Y6 visiting their new schools (It was very quiet in school...)
- * Y4 visited Willenhall E'ACT on Tuesday 23rd June for a friendship day. This is what some of the children said about their visit:

Sam McKenzie- "I liked doing cooking because I've never cooked before and we cooked our own shortbread."

Jake Taylor- "I've made a new friend called Mika and we made shortbread together."

Ronan Clarke- "I learned how to clean up and dry up after making shortbread."

Ryan Morgan- "I really liked PE because it was so much fun."

Warrick Howarth- "I enjoyed boiling the salt water over the Bunsen burner."

