

Wow we are nearly at the end of a very hectic term! A lot has been going on over the last few weeks and more is still to come! Thank you to all of the parents/carers that have returned the report reply slips—for those that haven't, there's still time as your comments are important to us.

I would like to congratulate our year six pupils who received their SATS results last week. The children worked incredibly hard with lots of revision and they should be proud of their achievements. We would like to wish them all the success in the world as they enter secondary education. They have been a credit to our school over their time at WLPS and I am in no doubt that they will continue to be in the future.

During this final week, the children will be bringing home various pieces of work and belongings. Please ensure that you have everything before the end of the week as we will be having a clear out over the summer break.

Enjoy the last week of activities and we would all like to wish you a very enjoyable summer.

Netball update

On Monday 30th June we took 2 netball teams to Grovewood Primary in Rayleigh. Our first team won 4-3 with our second team narrowly losing 7-5 (to a mixed team of both schools). Well done to our year 6 players for playing this year and long may they continue to play at secondary school. Also special thanks must be given to Holly and Dolly for being outstanding team players and joining the mixed team so everyone could get a game.



Wake & shake event at Deanes

Children from our 'Wake and Shake' club went to the Deanes School on Wednesday 2nd July for a celebration event. As you can see they met someone rather famous! I would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs Grayland and Mrs Lowe who have been running the Wake and Shake club over the past year. The club is so well organised and enjoyable and this is all down to their hard work and commitment. I know that the children appreciate being put through their paces every Friday morning and will look forward to starting again after the Summer Break

Class swaps

During our class swap sessions the children had the chance to meet and get to know their new teachers for next year. They were tasked with making clay tiles which are going to form a new mosaic for the front of the school, so look for this outside next year!

Sports day

On Thursday, 3rd July we held another fantastic sports day. The sun was out and the competition hot! The lead changed from the morning to the afternoon with the overall winning team being the Yellow Team made up of Australia and Wales. Well done to all the children, who performed amazingly, especially in such hot conditions. A huge thank you for Mr King for organising the day and to all of the parents, carers and relatives who came along to show their support.

Weekly results

| Class | Result | League points |
|--|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Turner | 93.33% | 5 |
| Picasso | 94.00% | 3 |
| Matisse | 93.18% | 2 |
| Monet | 96.80% | 18 |
| Hockney | 96.09% | 19 |
| Goldsworthy | 95.56% | 2 |
| Dali | 92.73% | 2 |
| Whole school % since the start of the year | 94.99% | Lead Classes Hockney |

Attendance League

Well done to class Hockney for winning the attendance League last week

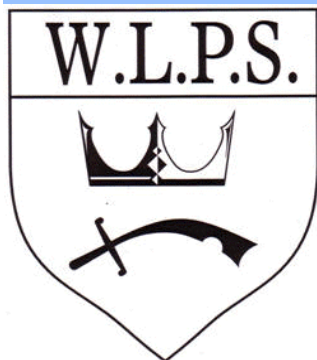
Diary dates

| | |
|----------|----------------|
| 3rd Sept | Non—Pupil day |
| 4th Sept | Back to School |

Relief Staff

If you are interested in registering as a relief cleaner or midday assistant, please ask for an application form from the school office.

'WLPS is committed to developing unique and ambitious children who make informed choices and are inspired to reach their greatest potential.'



Swimming Gala

On Tuesday, 15th July, our KS2 children took part in the annual swimming gala, held at Runnymede swimming pool. The children performed brilliantly and came home with the following medals:-

Gold

| | | |
|-----|---|-------------------|
| Tia | - | year 6 backstroke |
| Amy | - | year 5 backstroke |
| Max | - | year 5 backstroke |

Silver

| | | |
|-------|---|---------------------|
| Holly | - | year 4 breaststroke |
|-------|---|---------------------|

Bronze

| | | |
|---------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Connor | - | year 6 boys freestyle |
| Maddie | - | year 5 girls freestyle |
| Freddie | - | year 5 boys breaststroke |
| Gemma | - | year 4 girls backstroke |
| Sean | - | year 4 boys front crawl |
| Freedie, Maddie, Max, Amy | - | year 5 front crawl relay |



All of the children that took part in the event performed fantastically well with excellent team spirit. Well done and thank you to Mr Pringle for organising the event.



And finally.....

As our year six children prepare for their final day.....

Good luck and best wishes from everyone at Woodham Ley Primary School.

Have a happy summer....!!!!

