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Friday Note
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Dear Parents

Second Hand Book Sale Friday 3rd March

Do you have any unwanted children's books at home? If so, we would love to receive them! Please drop them in at the school office or to Falcon class during Book Week. We will put them on sale after school on Friday 3rd March. All welcome.

All proceeds will help us to purchase new books. Many thanks.

Hey! Magazine

A Hey! Magazine photographer will be in school next Wednesday March 1st at 9.30 to take pictures of any awards or WOW articles that your child/ren have done in the last few months to be published in the Easter addition of Hey!. Please can you send children to school with their awards, let's fill the magazine with Westfield wonderfulness! Thank you.

Book Week

We are looking forward to book week next week and have some special events planned to celebrate books and encourage the love of reading.

It was lovely to see so many parents in school on Wednesday for the Key Stage 1 'Stay and Read' event. Key Stage 2 parents are welcome into school on Thursday 2nd to hear their children read. We are also taking part in World Book Day so we are in for a fun week of wonderful reading activities.

Sponsored Read

Thank you to those who have bought in sponsored read money so far, if you wish to support the read can we have sponsor money in by 10th March please.

World book Day

World Book Day is on 2nd March this year and we are welcoming children to come to school dressed up as their favourite book character should they wish to.

Scooters

We have found a few scooters in the cloakrooms during half term. Can we ask you to remind your children that they should keep scooters in the scooter park and take them home during the holidays, thank you.

Greatwood Meeting

We will be holding a meeting for parents of pupils wishing to go to Greatwood on Monday 27th February at 3.00pm in Dragonfly Class. At this meeting we will be sharing a kit list, medical permission form and answering any final questions you may have. If you are unable to make the meeting all of the paperwork will be available from the office the following day. Any further concerns or queries please see Mr Chorley.

School Hours

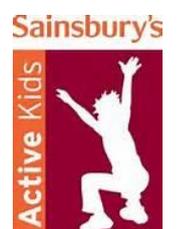
Please can we remind you that the school does not open until 8.30am. Children should not be onsite before this time unless they are attending breakfast club. Classes are not supervised until 8.30am so please do not send your child into school before then.

Facebook

Our Facebook page is, on the whole, very successful however please remember we don't work 24hrs a day! Teachers shouldn't be contacted via their personal pages and questions cannot always be answered immediately. Any important messages, such as illness or going home arrangements must not be relayed via Facebook. We really want to keep the site up and running as for most of the time comments are helpful. Please support us in this matter.

Sainsburys Active Kids Vouchers

Sainsburys will soon start giving out vouchers and we will be collecting them in school. Look out for the collection box in the Library.



English Workshop

"On Thursday we went to Writhlington School to do an English workshop. It was great! Here are a few of our lines (we wrote about seasons):

Summer is the best, Summer always beats the rest –
Charlie Day and Charlie Barter

Leaves Crunch – Ava and Holly

The sun glistens among the golden leaves – Charlie,
Charlie, Ava and Holly

The wind howls like screaming ghosts" written by
Charlie.

Westfield's Wonderful Writing

This week it's Year 4's turn to show us their wonderful writing. This lovely piece is written by Evie Taylor in Dragonfly Class.

"It was during the Saxon times. In the year 1066. And William who lived in France has been promised by Edward, the confessor, that he could be the next King but so has Harold Godwinson. When Harold Godwinson became King William got very angry. What will happen next? Will they have a battle? Read on and find out."

Diary Dates

Feb

Mon 27 Book Week

March

Wed 1 Hey! Magazine in for photos 9.30am

Thurs 2 World Book Day
KS2 Stay and Read 8.30-9.20am

Mon 6 Parents Evening

Weds 8 Parents Evening

Fri 31 Movie Night

April

Fri 7 Easter Bingo
Pupils break up for Easter

Mon 24 Pupils return to school

May

Wed 3 – Fri 5 Year 4 Great wood Camp

Mon 8 – Fri 12 Year 6 SATs Week

Tues 16 Class Photos

Tues 23 Year 6 Trip to Lifeskills

Fri 26 Inflatable Day

Pupils break up for Half Term

June

Mon 5 Inset Day

Tues 6 Pupils return to school

July

Fri 14 Summer Fayre

Thurs 20 Year 6 Leavers Disco 7.00-9.00pm

Fri 21 Pupils break up for Summer Holidays

Please keep your comments coming in. We always like to hear what you think, positive or negative.

Yours sincerely



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