



Warren Wood Primary School

Coming up after the holidays...

Can we kindly ask that parents and carers are mindful of how they park in the roads surrounding school. We are continually receiving emails and photographs from concerned residents who have seen parents dropping their children off at school and parking over their driveways. We have had issues like this in the past which resulted in a very distressing situation for a local resident, working in healthcare, who could not get out to work quickly when they urgently needed to. Please can I urge you to think carefully about where you park – no matter how short a time it may be for. We ask our children to treat others how we wish to be treated and this is a good example of us needing to lead the way.

Thank you so much for your cooperation in this matter.



Newsletter – October 21st 2022

This Week ...

...we sent information out about our forthcoming Halloween events in the first week back after the holiday. Please check the dates and times of these events on the back of this newsletter. Due to the popularity of our forthcoming discos, we have extended the deadline for payment until Tuesday 1st November. All tickets will then be issued by the PTA and returned to your children.

Can I remind that if you are sending money in for tickets, that you do so in a named and sealed envelope. We had many ticket slips returned with money folded into them and when carried to the office, money has fallen out and may well lead to confusion with the tickets. This is a common request that is easily resolved and makes all our lives easier – we do recognise that people may not have envelopes in their houses – but we have seen some very novel alternatives – covid test plastic packets being just one - We love the creative approach!



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A Message from the Headteacher

Hurray...hurray...it's a holiday....

This past half term has flown by in a flash! We have said goodbye to September and October (very nearly) and we see you again, it will be November. I hope that you all have a very well earned rest and holiday.

When we return, we look forward to welcoming back some more missed school traditions. We will have our first post pandemic discos for all pupils, with the exception of nursery. We know that discos can be loud, busy and overwhelming for some pupils and so Nursery will be taking part in their own event – The Halloween Stomp! We are also aware that many children higher up the school find things noisy and overwhelming too and so we will work closely with them and you to ensure that they can enjoy fully inclusive activities but in a way that supports them best. Speak to your child's classteacher or a member of the PTA for more help and information.

On that note, our PTA deserve a shout out. After a period of time where they have been unable to provide all of the exciting activities that our school prides itself on, they are back with a bang! We have our Halloween events this coming week and behind the scenes, plans are being made for a Christmas Fair. I have been delighted to see lots more of our parents joining the PTA to help where they can. We know that people have busy lives and so don't expect hours of commitment. Instead, we are interested in people who can voluntarily give anything in terms of time and help to suit their own lives. This could be as simple as going to get supplies prior to an event such as a coffee morning; helping out at an event such as a disco; helping to put stickers on gifts or prizes for tombolas. All of this help, no matter how small or infrequent, can share the load and help to raise valuable funds to enhance the experience at school for our Woodies family. Please let us know if you would like to join the fun!

Mrs. Reyes

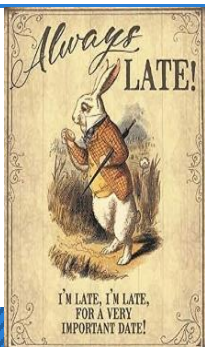
This week, Boo is visiting...



Year 1 – Mrs Ahmed
Year 5 – Mrs Collins

This week, Boo is Year 1 in the infants and Year 5 in the juniors. Both classes are showing super learning behaviours and Boo is looking forward to them being able to discuss their learning with excitement and interest in everything that they do. I wonder who Boo will visit after the holiday?

His message though is '**Miss school, Miss out**' – we love having you here and so does Boo!



Upcoming Diary Dates

Monday 31st October – INSET DAY

Tuesday 1st November – School opens for Autumn 2

Tuesday 1st November – Halloween Stomp for Nursery

Thursday 3rd November – Year 6 trip to The Imperial War Museum

Thursday 3rd November - PTA Halloween Discos – Reception/Y1/Y2 – 5:00-6:00pm
Y3/4/5/6 – 6:15-7:15pm

Further detailed information will be sent via School Ping/Tapestry nearer to the time of each event.