Newsletter

Thursday 19th October 2017

<u>Oaks</u>

Please remember to practise times tables for first week back.

Please go on maths whizz and practise reading, fiction and non-fiction over the holidays.

Willows

We have been looking at our spelling challing words, well done to those who have been practising them at home. Please continue learning them at home. If you have lost your booklet, please let us know and we will give replacements before half-term for you to practise over the holidays.

Oaks Swimming

Reminder: Oaks will be starting swimming on Wednesday 1st of November. Please can the children remember their swimming/trunks, towel and swimming hat.

Twitter

We are now on Twitter. We will be tweeting updates, reminders and celebrations from the school regularly. It's quite simple to follow our twitter page,

- Download or find twitter on the internet
- Sign up by just filling out your full name, mobile number or email address
 - Then type in the search bar 'WoodtonPrimary'
 - Our page will appear and then just click 'Follow'
 - You will then receive our regular news and updates



Willows Forest School Lesson

Letters have been sent home to explain that on a Tuesday afternoon from 1.30pm, Sparrowhawk Leisure is running a Forest School Lesson for Willows class, please remember to bring in suitable clothing on Tuesday.



School Photo

On Monday the 30th of October the children will be having a whole school photo taken, and Oaks will be having a photo took for the Gardening Club.

Please can Oaks remember their gardening clothes to change into for the photo. Thank you

Midday Supervisor Vacancy

We are currently looking for a Midday Supervisor at Woodton and at Ellingham Primary. If you know of anyone that would like to apply please visit the school website below for further information:

http://www.ellinghamandwoodton.co.uk

Thank you.



Many thanks to all the parents who dropped in to the coffee and chat session this week. I will be running these drop-ins every fortnight so parents / carers can pop in for an informal chat. It will give us a chance to talk through what we've found out so far in the Solihull and share ideas. I'll be printing off the leaflets and idea sheets which go with the program as well as doing the program myself. Several members of staff and Governors are also taking part themselves to help develop their understanding of what makes children "tick!" If you don't have access to a computer or internet I'll have these available at the drop in's. This week your child has come home with a Solihull information leaflet containing the access code which allows you to sign up to the program for free. The drop in dates are listed below, please feel free to pop in for a chat \odot Mrs Querelle

Ellingham Primary School - 8th, 22nd November and 6th December.

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 19th October - End of Term

Monday 30th October - Return from Half Term

Monday 30th October - Whole school photo with photographer and Oaks Gardening Club

Wednesday 1st November - Oaks swimming starts. Letters have been sent out, please can

these be signed and returned as soon as possible - Please note that they swim until 10am so

are therefore back in time to have a school dinner.

Thursday 2nd November - Special Bonfire Lunch

Thursday 9th November - 2pm Sharing Assembly

Monday 20th November - Tempest 9am - 11am, Individual and Sibling photos

Friday 1st December - 3:30-5pm Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 13th December - Willows Nativity - details to follow

Thursday 14th December - Children's Christmas Lunch - Further details to follow

Thursday 14th December - Children's Christmas Party 3:30-5:30pm

Monday 18th December - Carol Service at the church 2pm - Further details to follow

Tuesday 19th December - Last day of Autumn Term

Thursday 4th January 2018 - First day of Spring Term