



The Smile

South Wootton Infant School Newsletter

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Are you reading every day?

Congratulations to those children who completed the Easter Reading Challenge. It was interesting to see the range of reading material that the children enjoyed.

Congratulations to Lily (Year 1) and Luke (Reception) who have been the first two winners in our weekly book draw. To gain entry into the draw, the children have to read four or more times in a week and have this noted by a parent/carer in their learning journal or on Tapestry.



Luke chose this book when his ticket was drawn out. He felt very happy to win but did find the book a little scary on reading it at home. Hopefully, he will enjoy it more as he gets older!!

We expect all the children to read at home on a daily basis.

Finding the time to share a book can be difficult as our lives are busy, but it does make a difference to your child's academic progress both now and in the future.

Royal Norfolk Show

We are taking the whole school to the Royal Norfolk Show on Wednesday 1st July as part of a special week focusing on aspirations for the future. We will be taking a large number of adults on this visit to allow for good adult to child ratios. If you have had a DBS check and would be free to come with us, please could you let Mrs Crosby know. We will then let you know if we would like you to help nearer the date. We will not be asking for voluntary contributions for this visit as entrance to the Show is free for school trips.

PTFA

Plans are being drawn up to build an outdoor classroom space which the PTFA have been raising money for over the last year. Hopefully this will be installed before the end of the year.

In order to refill the coffers, the PTFA have planned two events this term. On Sunday 17th May there is a Car Boot Sale. For further details please contact the office.

On Friday 10th July, it will be the annual Summer Fayre from 5pm—7pm. Please could you let The PTFA secretary, Mrs Crosby, know if you are able to help at this event.

100% attendance

Some children are maintaining their 100% attendance for the year by being in school every day for the second term. These children are Thomas Jackson, Albie Mallet, Chloe Saunders, Sophia Dunn, Tilly Gardner, Macie Hayes, Dulcie Hornigold, Rhys Johnson, Finlay Morgan, Will Burton, Rinoa Russell, Yazen Alsiwan, Lauren Hunt, Erin Woodrow, Madeleine Butcher, Catherine Copsey, Jack Joslin, Tyler Morgan, Alfie-James Morton, Thomas Robins, Katelyn Tsang and Tillie Yallop.

Please note—we do not authorise any holidays in term time. It is very important that the children are in school everyday. We have noticed children that have taken holidays in term time this year have found it hard to pick up the pace of school life and learning as a result of their absence. We want all our pupils to be fully prepared for the next stage of their education when they move year groups or leave us to move onto their next school.

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Children of the Week

	13th - 17th April	20th - 24th April	27th April - 1st May
Dragonflies	Phoebe	Layla	Harry
Bumble Bees	Jack	Byron	Khadijah
Caterpillars	Lola	George	Max
Crickets	Jacob	Lily	Calum
Ladybirds	Mataya	Lily A	William
Butterflies	Harley	Joe	Ronan

Diary Dates (see separate list for full details)

May

Monday 4th - Bank Holiday—School Closed

Friday 22nd - School closes for half term

June

Wednesday 10th - Intake Meeting for New Reception parents (Sep 2015)

Tuesday 23rd - New Parents Evening at Junior School

July

Tuesday 30th June—Transition Day—Year 2 to Junior School

Wednesday 1st- Royal Norfolk Show visit

Friday 3rd-Sports Day

Happy Birthday

The children who have celebrated their birthday in April are:

Lyla Sampson, Flynn Angell, Dulcie Hornigold, Byron Davis and Shayna Louise Kendle-Johnson **who are now 5.**

Jayden Allen, Harry Meyer, Alex Wilmore, Madison Johnston, Huw Galvin, Fearne Russell and George Martin **who are now 6.**

Mataya Shaw, William Burt, Jack Joslin and Archie Turner **who are now 7.**

Attendance

For the month of April the class with the best attendance was

CRICKETS

with an attendance total of 98.6%

CONGRATULATIONS to them.

Our overall attendance is now at 96.3% which is now below our whole school target of 96.5%.

Please remember that we do not authorise any holidays in term time and taking a holiday is likely to result in a fine.