The Green Oaks Federation



OAKWOOD WEEKLY BULLETIN



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Highlight of the week...

Harvest Festival Celebration!

This week Year 2 invited parents and carers in to watch their Harvest celebration assembly. The children sang with enthusiasm and the ever popular 'big red combine harvester' remained in our heads for the rest of the day! Our friends at Rosefield Court were delighted to receive the Harvest boxes from the children. It was great to see such diverse age groups engaging with each other and for the children to be able to share their Harvest gifts within the community. Thank you to everyone who donated a food item.

Respect, Learn, Stay Safe...

With half term nearly here (!) we have been thinking about how well we have kept our three rules for ourselves, each other and the community over the last few weeks. I have certainly seen evidence of good manners and tidy uniform, children actively learning with each other in the classroom and making safe choices, particularly at playtime. The children are now thinking about what we can get even better at when keeping our rules which I look forward to sharing in assembly next week.

And finally...

Sue and I were delighted to experience such a warm welcome from the children who attend Breakfast Club as they arrived to school this morning. Their 'meet and greet' demonstrated a high level of respect and courtesy which we relentlessly pursue within our Green Oaks Community so thank you!

Jenny Cook, Head of School

Notices

Year R - Meet Your Teacher

Hopefully you have all managed to book your appointment to meet with your child's class teacher next week. This will be an opportunity to find out how they have settled into school and learn about their baseline assessment. This will help you to know their current strengths and their next steps. Don't worry if your child is not yet secure in some of the areas of development - it is early days and there is lots more to learn! If you were unable to make an appointment please contact Sue Dale-Heaps and she will do her best to help. Please report to the school's main reception for your appointment where we will be able to direct you to where your child's teacher is hiding.

Oakwood Open Morning - Thursday 18th October

Do you love Oakwood? Would you like your friends to be part of something unique and inspirational? Then why don't you get them to come along to one of our Open Morning for prospective parents? We also currently have spaces in all year groups [filling up fast!] and it is never to late to join the Oakwood family!

Contact the school office to book an appointment or to find out more.

Greenfields Open Morning - Thursday 1st November

Greenfields are warmly inviting all Year 1 and 2 parents to their Open Morning above. There will an introductory welcome from Sue Tadman followed by a tour of the school with their Year 6 ambassadors and school governors. This is an opportunity for you to see the school in action and ask any questions you may have.

Please contact Greenfields School Office to book an appointment on 01252 843822

Friends of Oakwood Notices

AGM - Friday 19th Oct at 10am

It is time for our Annual General Meeting (AGM) to review our achievements during the last academic year and also select the new Committee for 2018/2019. As part of the Green Oaks Federation it has been decided to amalgamate the PTA's across Oakwood and Greenfield's to create one PTA called 'Friends of Green Oaks'. This is open to all parents and carers and is an opportunity to find out about some of the events that you could be involved with this year. We are particularly keen to see new parents at this meeting so please think carefully as to whether you can give some time, however small, to be being a part of something special.

Little people welcome!

Year 1 Cake Sale - Friday 19th October

Look out for cakes on sale outside school from 3.15 pm!

Hook Fireworks Show - Saturday 3rd November

We are again this year selling tickets on behalf of Hook PTFA in return for a commission on any sales made by us. If you are interested in attending the Hook Firework Show and would like tickets we will have someone available from Monday 15th October through to Friday 2nd November selling them from the school office between 3pm - 3.30pm.

Ticket Costs:

Adult Ticket £6.50

Child Ticket £4.50

Family Ticket (2 Adults & 2 Children)£20

SCHOOL DIARY THIS WEEK

Date	Event	<u>Time</u>
15th October	Meet your teacher: Cherry Class	2.00 - 5.30 pm
16th October 17th October	Meet your teacher: Chestnut Class Meet your teacher: Birch Class	2.00 - 5.30 pm 2.00 - 5.30 pm
18th October	Open Morning for Prospective Parents Meet your teacher: All Year R Classes	9.15 -11.00 am 3.30 - 6.30 pm
19th October	Friends of Oakwood AGM at Greenfields Year 1 Cake Sale	10.00 am 3.15 pm
W/c 22nd October	HALF TERM	51.15 p
Monday 29th October	INSET Day	

DEADLINES:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Details</u>
Friday 19th October	Green pages Advertising Publication Booking Form
Friday 19th October	Year 1 Cake Donations

LETTERS HOME LAST WEEK:

Year R:	Year 1:	Year 2:

All:

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