

Worsley Mesnes Primary School Newsletter

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E safety concern.

It has been brought to our attention that a fake Facebook page in the name of David Alley has been created and is sending friend requests to pupils at a local secondary school.

Once accepted the profile is then accessing and reposting photographs of the pupils onto its own profile.

While this has not been reported by any pupils at Worsley Mesnes Primary School, please remind your children to be safe online and to share with you anything of which they are unsure.

If you have any concerns or require more information please contact the school.

School Uniform Reminder

For safety, if your child has pierced ears the earrings need to be removed preferably, or covered, for PE and sports events.

No make-up/nail polish.

No extreme hairstyles or haircuts with patterns/lines shaved into it.

No trainers – if your child comes to school in trainers they will change into their black school pumps. These can be purchased from the office.

Thank you for your support.

National Book Tokens Competition

The following link is to the National Book Tokens website where book tokens to the value of £5000 pounds can be won for our school library.

Select the link and fill in the entry details. The closing date is the 31st July. The more times that we enter the more chance we have of winning.

<http://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools#.V2pZsaFwaUk>

Family Bingo

On Wednesday 29th June, we will be hosting our Summer Family Bingo!

6pm, eyes down 6.30pm.

Come and Join us.





Summer Cycle Experience Holiday Courses

Wigan Council are running Summer Holiday Courses to help children in our borough improve their cycling skills. To book children on a course visit the website of Cycle Experience at <http://www.cycleexperience.com/holidaycourses/> , you must select Wigan then choose one of the venues the course is running from. See poster, or ask in school for more details.

Music Lessons Year 2 – Year 6 from September 2016 onwards

On Wednesday 8th June 2016 Wigan Music Service visited our school and did a music demonstration called “Music Alive”. Following the demonstration children were invited to collect a leaflet from the office if they were interested in taking up music from September 2016.

On Wednesday 15th June 2016 a reminder went out stating that if your child wishes to start music lessons in September 2016, the school office will need to know by the deadline of Thursday 30th June 2016.

As the deadline is approaching we are sending out one more reminder. An early deadline date has to be set as the Music Service need this information before the summer holidays.

Communicating with Teachers

Could parents please ensure that any minor matters are communicated to the class teacher via their Child's planner.

If there is anything of a more serious nature that you wish to discuss, please make an appointment with your child's teacher, so that this can be dealt with privately and effectively without wasting valuable learning time.

The beginning of the school day is an important time for teachers and children, therefore please do not stop the teacher outside. Please allow them to get in with their class straight away to start the day in the exciting way that they have planned.

Medication in School

If your child requires medication during the school day, please speak to a member of staff in the office for further guidance.

Bikes / Scooters

Please ensure all children coming to school on their bikes or scooters wear a safety helmet.

Could you please also ensure you collect your bike or scooter at the end of the day, a large number are being left behind and Mrs Davies has quite a collection in her office!

Seal Theme – Changes

The theme for this half term is Changes, we will be looking at change and the feelings it sometimes leads to, as well as how we manage these and cope positively with changes in our lives.

Why don't you have a go at our Family Activity 'If I ruled the World'? There will be a small prize for everyone who takes part and brings it back into school.



Please let Mrs Davies know if you would like more information.



Unify Bank

Our Unify Bank is currently open every Wednesday between the times of 8:35am – 9:00am, if any children and parents wish to open a Unify Account or pay in their savings money they need to attend on a Wednesday morning in our Hippo Zone.

Please note: Our School Office cannot accept any money or applications forms, parents, carers and children need to attend the Unify Bank in the Hippo Zone each Wednesday.

Infant Entertainer / Leaver's Disco

We will be having an Entertainer in school Monday 11th July for all our infant children, 3.20pm – 4.30pm. Wednesday 13th July is our Leaver's Disco, 6pm-8pm. Watch out for the slips to book a place.

Photographs

At this time of year, we hold in school lots of performances and events. We always ask parents/carers to sign when attending our events if taking any photographs.

Please note – when taking photos you sign to say you are only taking the photo of your own child/ren. The parents of some of our children in school have requested that their photos do not appear on social media, so by only taking the photo of your own child, no other children should appear on any social media.

School Values Awards

Reception ~ Jack M – Courage
Year 1 ~ Joseph P – Determination
Year 2 ~ Ruby H – Determination
Year 3 ~ Chelsea D – Determination
Year 4 ~ Amelia I – Excellence & Inspiration
Year 5 ~ Callum S – Determination
Year 6 ~ Brogan McF – Respect

Attendance for week commencing 20.06.16

Reception	100%
Year 1	97.3%
Year 2	94.3%
Year 3	96.9%
Year 4	96%
Year 5	97.6%
Year 6	94%

Dates for your diaryUpdates are in **bold**

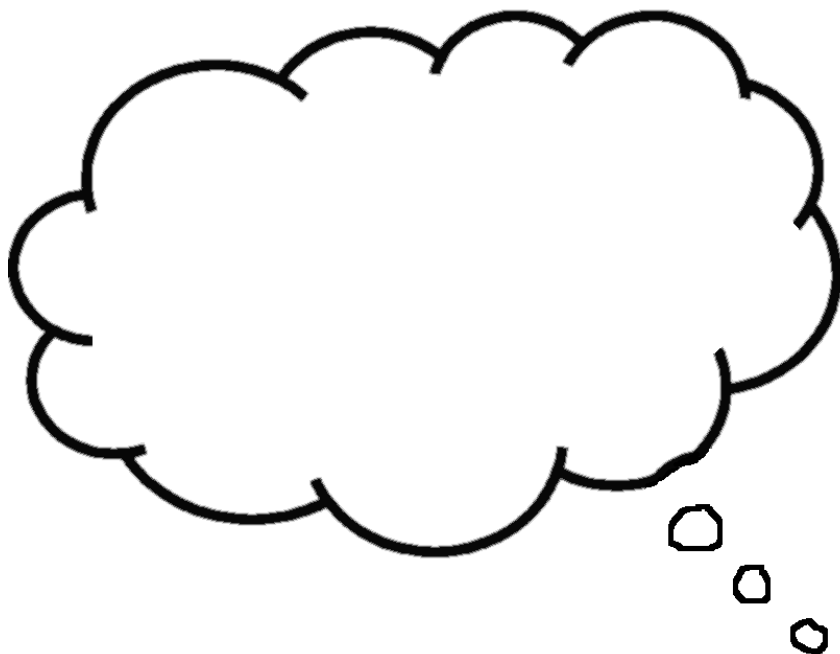
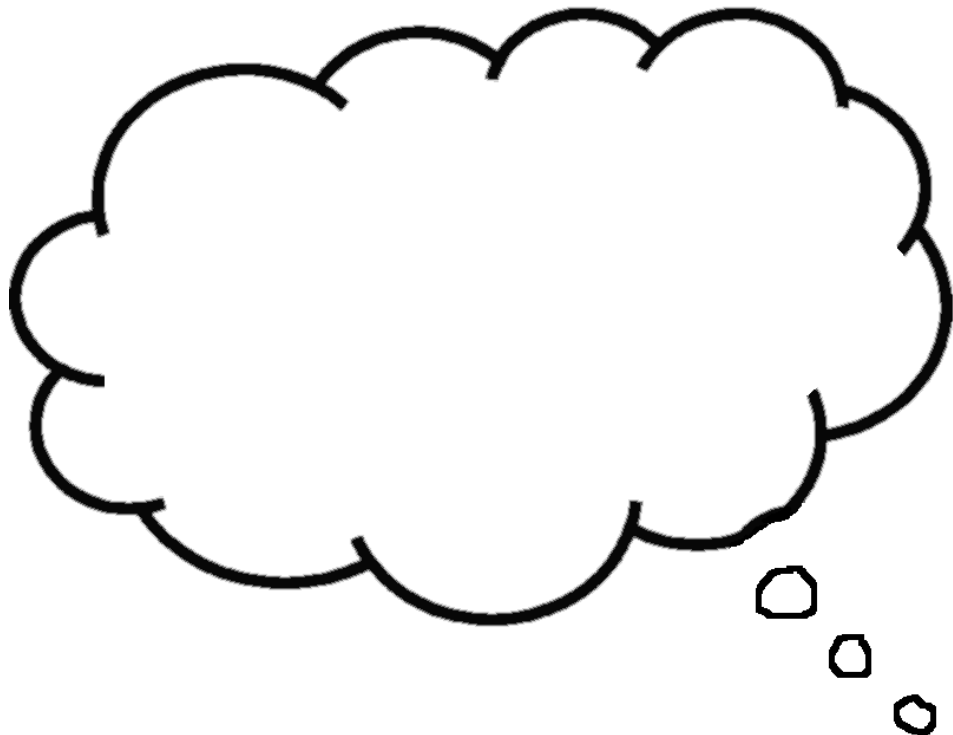
Date	Event	Notes
Every Wednesday	Unify Bank in our Hippo Zone 8:35am – 9:00am	
14th June 2016 until 13 th July	WOWs Art Exhibition at Robin Park	
Wednesday 29 th June	Summer Family Bingo 6pm	
Monday 4 th July	Olympic Week in School	
Tuesday 5 th July	Y6 SATS results back in school	
Wednesday 6 th July	Y6 Presentation Evening 6pm	
Thursday 7 th July	Inter School Challenge – Year 5	
Friday 8 th July	Pop Project KS2 Carnival Party (Rio Week)	
Monday 11 th July	Ten Piece Gala Concert – Year 3 & Year 5	
Monday 11 th July	Infant Entertainer 3:20pm – 4:30pm	
Wednesday 13 th July	Leavers Disco 6 – 8pm	
Wednesday 20 th July	School closes for the summer break at 2pm	

If you are aware of anybody who is having difficulty accessing the information on our newsletter because of literacy or language difficulties, font size or colour of paper, please ask them to contact us and we will do what we can to help.

If I ruled the World....

If you could make a wish and change something what would it be? Share your ideas. You might like to talk about something you would change for yourself, for your family, for the town if which we live, for the country or for the World.

Work with a family member, choose one each and draw or write in the bubbles below:



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Leigh Indoor Sports Centre - 01942 487800

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