

Woolgrove School – Newsletter No. 11

June 2024

Hello everyone,

There are plenty of events and activities going on as we draw nearer to the end of term. Please join us for as many of these opportunities as you can, it's always so lovely to interact with our Woolgrove families in person. A list of dates for your diaries is included at the end of this letter.

FoW Father's Day Gift Shop



Thank you to the Friends of Woolgrove team for running the Father's Day gift shop today. All items are beautifully wrapped in clear cellophane, so

please remove from schoolbags and hide until Sunday if you want to keep them a surprise!

Carers Week

This week is Carers Week and County Council are supporting Carers in Hertfordshire by raising the profile of Young Carers – many of whom are attending school but yet to be identified as a Young Carer. School can refer or the young carer can self-refer to Carers in Hertfordshire, where an assessment can be carried out and the right support and help can be offered, if needed. Please see the attachment that came with this newsletter for further information.







FoW Woolgrove Wander

Unfortunately, we have had to take the decision to cancel this year's Woolgrove Wander. The recent weather has hampered our efforts to properly inspect our wildlife areas and make the proper preparations for this event. Our Caretaker,

Russell, has also reported that some baby foxes are enjoying being out and about at the



moment and we don't wish to disturb them during this time. Apologies to those of you who were looking forward to this, we hope to run this again next year.

Dogs on Site

Please be reminded that dogs are not allowed on site. Even if animals are small enough to be carried, we cannot allow them to be in the vicinity of the school for safety reasons.

School Photographs

A reminder that the photographer will be joining us in school Tuesday 18th June.

Open Days

We look forward to seeing you all on one of our open events, dates and times are listed below. It's a great opportunity for your children to show you around their new classroom and for you to meet the new Teaching team. We will also have a selection of good condition, pre-loved uniform available for you to take away. Small donations are welcome but not necessary.



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Woburn Safari Park Trip

Last week our Formal and Semi-Formal class learners enjoyed a day out at the Safari Park. The day was a huge success, with all the children demonstrating their best behaviour. I was immensely proud of each of them and very much looking forward to returning with our EYFS and remaining Semi-formal classes later this month.



Voices of the East

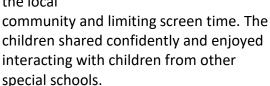
This week some of our students attended Voices of the East, an opportunity for a small group of pupils to represent the school and our 'pupil's voice'. They shared with a number of other special schools and adults how they like to keep

Voices of

Children, Young People

nd Families

their mind and body healthy contributing some brilliant ideas. Consistent themes were going outside, exploring the local



Calling Polish Speakers



We have a child joining Woolgrove in September whose parents are Polish. The family have

benefitted from assistance from other Polish speakers within their current school. If there are any Parents who would be able to assist our new family with communication going forward, please contact the School Office.

Suitable Clothing

Please ensure children are correctly dressed for the weather and that they are wearing the appropriate footwear. Our children are encouraged outdoors to play in all weather where possible and enjoy lots of walks within the grounds of the school with

their classes.
Open toe shoes,
fashion sandals
and crocs are
not suitable for
school.



Term Dates

Please see the list of dates below. We look forward to seeing you all soon

Kind regards,

Lisa Hall, Head Teacher



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13 June	FoW Father's Day Gift shop
14 June	Open Day (2.30 – 3.30pm)
18 June	School Photos
20 June	Open Evening (6 – 7.30pm)
22 June	FoW Woolgrove Wander (10am – 12pm)
25 June	EYFS and Semi Formal Class trip to Woburn Safari Park
8/9 July	Sports Days
11 July	Transition Day
12 July	Summer Fair (4 – 7pm)
15 July	Reports go home
15/16 July	Sports Days (Back up)
17 July	Y6 Leavers Assembly (1.15pm)
19 July	End of Term 1.15pm
22 July	Inset Day
23 July	Inset Day