

# NEWSLETTER



16<sup>th</sup> March 2017

## RED NOSE DAY

Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> March is Red Nose Day. Red Noses are now **SOLD OUT!** Thank you to all those who have purchased one. Numbers were limited. Local supermarkets and shops are selling them if you missed out.

## FUN AND ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE DAY

Dress in Red – a suggested donation of £1 would be fantastic. Guess how many sweets in the jar (winner gets the jar of sweets), suggested contributions of 50p. Take part in a red nose and spoon race, suggested contributions of 50p.

## FOMS (FRIENDS OF MOUNT STREET)

Body Shop rep, Marie, a Year 2 mum will be in the hall after share on Friday 21st April. Marie wishes to help raise some funds for the school; she will donate 10% of all sales made on the morning and there will be a raffle too. Please pop in for a coffee and support her.

Summer Fair 17th June

Can you help us? Do you have a talent or would like to man a stall?

We are collecting bottles of wine, tombola and raffle prizes, if you have anything you can donate please drop off at the school office.

If you find you need to purchase more uniform from our Pre-loved uniform rail, just pop into the office to get an order form or contact us. Uniform can be purchased at any time, jumpers and cardigans £2, polo shirts and PE shirts £1, many other items too at £1 each. Our FOMS ladies sort the orders once a week. It will be in the hall after share.

Dates

Friday 31st March - Easter Cupcake Competition and Sale.....more info to follow later

Friday 21st April - Film Night 4.30pm Trolls

Saturday 17th June - Summer Fair 11-2pm

If you are able to spare some time and enthusiasm to join us please contact Helen, Chair of FOMS on 07719537709 or come to our next meeting.

Follow us on face book.

## SPECIAL ADVICE

Due to the recent outbreak of sickness and diarrhoea in school, please may we advise you to keep your children at home for 48 hours after the last bout of illness. Many thanks for your cooperation.

## POLITE REQUEST

Please may we ask parents to make sure their children's clothing is named; we seem to have many unnamed items of clothing left behind from the after school sports clubs. Thank you for your cooperation.

## YEAR 2 MORNINGS

As the year elapses and the prospect of junior school becomes more real, we begin to incorporate transition activities and discussion into circle times. We have spoken to the children again this week about opportunities they have to be more independent in school.

Obviously, being responsible for their own belongings and organisation at the start of each day is a small step toward practising this and we have been so proud of how many of our children have risen to this expectation. It really does make a difference to their confidence too.

We really want to reiterate that your support in saying goodbye to your child at the **year 2 outside entrance** and encouraging them to come in with all their belongings is crucial in achieving this and we will be expecting all children to do this now.

If you need to speak to the class teacher with an issue which can't wait, then of course do pop in or contact the office to leave a message.

Many thanks for your support.

## WESTGATE PRODUCTION OF "HAIRGEL"

Year 2 have been invited to watch the Westgate Year 5 production of 'Hair Gel' (similar to Grease) on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March at 1:45pm. Parent helpers will be needed.

## YEAR 2 SWIMMING LESSON

Please may we remind parents that the last swimming lesson for class Miro will be on Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> March and the first swimming lesson for class Kandinsky will start on Monday, 27th March.

## EASTER INSPIRE (REVISED DATE)

Please note that our Easter INSPIRE afternoon will now be on **Thursday 30th March** (not 29th March). This will be for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Parents are invited to join us in classrooms for a lovely afternoon of Easter crafts. We will put sign-up sheets on classroom doors the week before and there will be a limit of 10 parents per class.

## PARENT EMAILS

As our computer system is being synchronized with our two sister schools, the parent emails are still being updated. We apologise for any inconvenience and while this is completed we will be sending out hard copies

## CLOTHES APPEAL FOR NURSERY

We urgently require items to add to our supply of spare clothing in nursery; especially pants, socks and tights, ages 3, 4 and 5 years. Thank you.

## KEY DATES

YEAR GROUP	DATE AND TIME	EVENT AND OTHER INFORMATION
Nursery	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 1:30-2:30pm	Red Nose Day
Reception	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 1:30-2:30pm Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day Easter Inspire
Year 1	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 1:30-2:30pm Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day Homework projects due in Easter Inspire
Year 2	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March, 5:30pm Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> March Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 1:45pm Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 1:30-2:30pm Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March 1:30-2:30pm Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	SATS Information session Miro last swim session Westgate production of "Hair Gel" Red Nose Day Kandinsky first swim Easter Inspire Tea Party WOW morning (more details to follow)

## SUPERSTAR ASSEMBLIES

YEAR GROUP	DATE AND TIME
Year 2	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March
Year 1	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March

Last Day of Term 4 – Friday, 31<sup>ST</sup> March 2017

First Day of Term 5 – Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2017

### WONDERFUL 100



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PHOEBE



JAMES

### TERRIFIC 200



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### 250 BOOKS



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