

NEWSLETTER



8th June 2017

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR AUSTRALIA

Due to unforeseen circumstances, SHARE in Australia class on 26th May 2017 was postponed. We have rearranged SHARE for Australia class and it will take place on Friday 9th June 2017 at 9.00-9.25. There will be no tea and coffee in the hall on the 9th June but we do hope you will be able to join us. We do apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

FOMS (FRIENDS OF MOUNT STREET)

Summer Fair 17th June

Can you help us? Do you have a talent or would you like to man a stall? We are collecting bottles of wine, tombola and raffle prizes and teddies. If you have anything you can donate please drop off at the school office. Now the weather is changing, if you find you need to purchase more uniform from our Preloved 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, trousers and skirts £1 each. Our FOMS ladies sort the orders once a week. Pre loved uniform will also be sold in the hall after share.

Dates

Saturday 17th June - Summer Fair 11-2pm

Thursday 13th July - Year 2 Prom 5 till 6.30pm

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 Facebook.

UPDATE ON WILDLIFE/BIRD WATCHING AREA

Just a quick follow up on the bird feeding station. We have recently had a brood of blue tits fledge in one of the nest boxes we put up, a male blackbird has been regularly coming down to feed with two of its young, we have a pair of goldfinches visiting the feeding station plus various other species including robins, house sparrows, and "assorted" pigeons. A very promising start!!!!

We have installed some insect houses and the pond has a healthy population of tadpoles and daphnia. All of the trees we received from the Woodland Trust have survived in spite of the dry weather, and we are continuing to plant the area with nectar rich plants and encouraging wild flowers. Once again thanks to all who have contributed, and we will continue to update you as the year progresses.

REMINDER

Please may we remind parents that all children need a named water bottle in school every day. This is especially important now that the weather is getting hotter.

RECEPTION NEWS

We will be using our new outdoor area this week. Children will not be able to use the outdoor area unless they have their outdoor shoes (Wellington Boots) on. Please can we remind you to bring in a pair of named wellington boots for your child?

CHANGEOVER DAY

Changeover day will be on Monday, 19th June. This is the day where the children will move up to their new class or school (Year 3) and meet their new teacher for 1 day.

WILD WOODCRAFT TRIP – 14TH & 15TH JUNE

We are very excited about our trip to the woods next week and becoming explorers for the day! If you have not yet returned the permission slip for this trip, please send to the office with your voluntary contribution ASAP. Many thanks.

Just a few key points for you to be aware of and to help you know how to prepare for the visit.

- If it is warm and sunny, please send children with **sun-cream already applied** (they may bring a bottle with them but must be able to apply it independently) and a **sun hat**. The woods will be mostly sheltered from the elements, which includes giving shade on a hot day so children will be well protected anyway.
- Please send all children dressed in **long sleeves and long trousers**, even if it is sunny. This will help to protect them in the natural surroundings. Obviously, if it is warm, this can be a thin long-sleeved top and lightweight trousers.
- Footwear - **wellies or sturdy trainers** are most suitable. If it has been raining or is forecast rain, the children are likely to encounter muddier areas in the wood so please note that trainers may get dirtied (therefore old ones are a sensible option)
- Children will be eating outdoors. Hand sanitiser will be provided.
- Food - please send **lunches in a disposable carrier bag and disposable packaging** (if possible no plastic tubs which you are expecting to be returned!)
- Children will have the opportunity to prepare and cook fish on the open fire as part of the survival activities. **Please let class teachers know if your child has an allergy to fish which school is not already aware of.**

YEAR 2 GRADUATION PHOTOGRAPHS

Please note that if you have ordered a Graduation photograph of your child, it will be available for collection on the last day of term before the Graduation Assembly.

KEY DATES

YEAR GROUP	DATE AND TIME	EVENT AND OTHER INFORMATION
Nursery		
Reception	Monday, 19 th June Friday 30 th June Thursday 6 th July	Changeover Day Sports Day Reception Assembly & Superstars
Year 1	Friday 9 th June Monday, 19 th June Monday 3 rd July Thursday 6 th July Monday 10 th July	SHARE (Australia class only) Changeover Day Doddington Hall Trip – America class and half of Australia Class Doddington Hall Trip – Italy class and half Australia Class Homework projects due in
Year 2	Wednesday 14 th June Thursday 15 th June Monday, 19 th June Thursday 6 th July	Wild Woodcraft (45 children) Wild Woodcraft (45 children) Changeover Day Rand Farm Trip

SUPERSTAR ASSEMBLIES

YEAR GROUP	DATE AND TIME
Year 2	Friday 9 th June
Year 1	Friday 16 th June
Reception	Thursday 6 th July
Year 2	Friday 7 th July
Year 1	Friday 15 th July

Last day of Term 6 – Wednesday 19th July 2017

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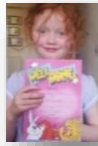
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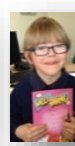


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