

# Wargrave Church of England Primary School



## Newsletter

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2018

### Year 6 Residential

Year 6 have had a fantastic start to the year by spending a fun-filled 3 days at Blakemere Scout Camp with Active Hope. They had a brilliant time (even in the rain at times) and were given opportunities through activities including: kayaking, mountain biking, cooking outside, zip wiring, toasting marshmallows and team building games. All behaviour has been commendable and all children have thoroughly enjoyed their experience and lots of lovely memories have been made.



Many thanks for your ongoing support.

The Senior Leadership Team

### Year 5 Clonter Trip

Both Year 5 classes had a wonderful day experiencing operatic music at Clonter Opera House. They took part in a set design workshop and then helped record musical pieces that were used in the performance later on that afternoon. The children were then treated to a performance with songs from Matilda, West Side Story, Sweeney Todd and Hansel & Gretel. Behaviour was outstanding and we have received a lovely email from Clonter praising their attitude.



### Y5 & Y6 Hope Academy Meeting

The Principal from Hope Academy, Mr Ferguson, will be coming into school next Thursday to meet with all Y5 & Y6 children to chat to them about school life in Hope Academy. This will be followed by a meeting for parents of Y5/Y6 if they may be thinking of Hope Academy for their child in Y7. **3.15pm in the school hall.**

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## Nuts in School

Can we please emphasise to all parents that we have a couple of children in school who have a severe allergy to nuts of any kind. Can you please refrain from sending in any items of food that contain nuts, eg, Nutella, Peanut Butter etc. This applies to the whole school and includes packed lunches and playtime snacks. Thank you for your co-operation in this important matter.

## Important Dates

Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> Sept - Y5/Y6 Parents meeting - 3.15

Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> Sept - Y5EB swimming

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct - 'No Pens Wednesday' (info to follow)

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Oct - School finishes for half term

## Flu Vaccinations Rec - Y5

Letters regarding the flu vaccinations in school will be coming home over the next few days. These are information sheets and also consent forms which will need returning to school in the envelope that is provided with them. The date the vaccinations are taking place is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October. Please ensure you return the consent forms ASAP even if you DO NOT wish your child to have the vaccine. **Please note this is only for Rec - Y5 children.**

## Nursery Parents

If your child accesses the 30hour funding, can you please ensure that you re-new your code every 3 months. This is important to ensure your child's place is secure and we receive the correct funding. Thank you.

## Sponsored Mile

Don't forget the children will be taking part in their sponsored mile run during next week, weather permitting. This will be during their usual PE lesson. Funds generated from the sponsored mile will be used to improve our outdoor provisions, including rest areas following activity and benches to allow children to read outdoors, another of our school priorities next year.

Sponsor forms were sent home before the summer break, if you require a new one please don't hesitate to ask for one.

Mr Albrecht and Mr Holcroft



## Payments to School

Can we please kindly ask for any payments that are made to school to be put in **sealed, named** envelopes. The office is extremely busy at the start and end of school and money presented to them without envelopes can cause un-necessary queues to build up in the main entrance.

Can we remind everyone that dinner money and breakfast/after school club payments are due at the start of each week. Can we also please reiterate that change can no longer be sent home. Any monies paid over the amount due will be carried over to the following week.

## Meet The Teacher

Thank you to all the parents who attended the 'Meet the Teacher' meetings this week. If you were unable to attend please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher if you require any information.

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