



*'Opportunity, enjoyment and excellence for all.'*

# Wrotham Road Primary School

NEWS LETTER

## International Primary Curriculum

This term has started with the launch of the new IPC curriculum in all year groups. Classes are carrying out their entry points of the new topics and classrooms are being transformed into new learning environments. This term each class will cover:-

Reception - Growth	Year 4 – History - Saxons
Year 1 - Flowers and Insects	Year 5 - Growing Up
Year 2 - People from the past	Year 6 - History—AD900
Year 3 - Forces	

## Holiday

Taking holidays in term time will affect your child's schooling as much as any other absence and we expect parents to help us by not taking children away during term time. Remember that any savings you think you may make by taking a holiday in school time are offset by the cost to your child's education.

## Fundraising

Thank you to everyone for your support for Sport Relief last term. As a result of your generous donations, we raised the fantastic sum of £267.60 for this great cause.



## SATs - Year 6

Year 6 SATs testing will take place from Monday 14th - Thursday 17th May. Every pupil **MUST** attend school on these days. We are offering free attendance at our Breakfast Club each morning to encourage a relaxed start to the day! Please return the form if your child would like to attend.

## Dates for your Diary

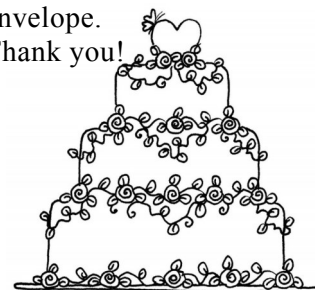
<b>April</b>	
<b>MON 16 APR</b>	<b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>
Fri 27 Apr	100% attendance trip to Bluewater
<b>May</b>	
<b>MON 7 MAY</b>	<b>BANK HOLIDAY (School closed)</b>
Mon 14- 17 May	SATs week Yr 6 - Breakfast Club 8.30am
Tue 15 May	Class RLC Forest School - Shorne CP
Thu 17 May	Class RB Forest School - Shorne CP
Thu 17 May	Yr 1 Trip to Trosley CP
Thu 17 May	Nourish 'Royal Wedding' School Lunch
Fri 18 May	Royal Wedding Tea Party
<b>Fri 25 MAY</b>	<b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>
<b>June</b>	
<b>MON 04 JUN</b>	<b>INSET DAY (School closed to children)</b>
<b>TUE 05 JUN</b>	<b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b>
Fri 08 Jun	GB Athlete visit to school

There is a term dates list available in the School Reception or on our website [www.wrothamroadprimary.co.uk](http://www.wrothamroadprimary.co.uk).

## Royal Wedding School Lunch

On Thursday 17th May Nourish will be celebrating the marriage of Prince Harry and Meghan with a Royal Wedding Menu for the school lunch. The meal is free for Key Stage 1 with the usual charge of £2.20 applying for Key Stage 2. Please send payment in a named, sealed envelope.

Thank you!



## BANK HOLIDAY & INSET DAY

Please note: **MONDAY 7TH MAY IS A BANK HOLIDAY AND SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED.**

We also have an inset day on **MONDAY 4TH JUNE** when the school will be closed to children.

## Warm weather



With the warmer weather finally upon us, we would like to remind parents that children are able to bring in a sun hat to use during playtimes. School hats are for sale (£4.00).

Sun cream should be applied at home, before school. It can also be brought into school for children to apply extra, if necessary. Please be aware that members of staff are not allowed to apply cream to any child.

**Please ensure that all items are clearly labelled.**

Sunglasses are not to be brought into school unless medical evidence from a doctor has been received.

## Visiting Athlete—8th June

We have some very exciting news! Next term we will be visited by **Serita Soloman** who represents Great Britain in the 100m hurdles.

Serita Solomon is a British track and field athlete. She won a bronze medal in 2015 at the European Athletics Indoor Championships in the 60m hurdles. She will be visiting our school on **Friday 8th June**.



Serita will be holding an assembly with the children followed by a sponsored sporting fitness circuit event for the children. More details to follow closer to the date!

## Royal Wedding Tea Party—Friday 18th May

To celebrate the wedding of Harry and Meghan we will be having an Afternoon Tea celebration on Friday 18th May. The whole school will join in with a picnic tea party on the top playground.

**We ask that every child comes into school that day dressed in red, white or blue** (Union Jack colours) and **also brings in a shop bought cake** (no nuts please). The



children may also bring in a small picnic blanket to sit on.

As always we would like to thank you for your support. It is definitely going to be an afternoon full of fun and excitement!

## Staff Update

Mrs Chovancova (Mrs Juliana) will be leaving us on 30th April. We would like to offer our thanks for all her efforts in our school and wish her well for the future.

## Sports Days



Dates for your diary:

**Key Stage 2 Sports Day** will be on Thursday 12th July.

**Key Stage 1 and Reception Sports Day** will be on Friday 13th July.

## Spanish Day



Spanish Day will be held on **Friday 20th July**.

The aim of the day is to introduce and celebrate the Spanish language and cultures. Children can dress up on the day in the colours of the Spanish Flag or dress up in traditional clothes e.g. flamenco/ matador costume. The day will be brought to life with a traditional flamenco dancer and a guitarist performance.

