

WHYBRIDGE JUNIOR SCHOOL
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
21st April 2017
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ALL TEACHER RUN AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS WILL RE-COMMENCE FROM MONDAY 24TH APRIL 2017

Update
 The easter egg hunt, non uniform day raised and additional:
£18.00
 from class 3J

Dates for your Diary...

Wednesday 26 th April	Whole School – Jack Trelawney (Author) to visit
Thursday 27 th April	Lunch with Mr Hobson
Friday 28 th April	Class 4F – Commence swimming lessons
Monday 1st May	Bank Holiday – School closed
Monday 8 th – Friday 12 th May	Year 6 – SAT's Week
Friday 19 th May	Walk for Wildlife
Wednesday 24 th May	Whole School - Summer Disco
Thursday 25 th May	Lunch with Mr Hobson
Friday 26 th May	Class 4F – Last swimming lesson
Friday 26 th May	Whole School – Balloon Race
Monday 5 th June	Year 6 – Last date for Prom payment
Monday 5 th June	Yearbook & class photos
Wednesday 7 th June	Father's Day – BBQ & games
Friday 9 th June	Year 5 – Science Museum Trip
Friday 9 th June	Class 4TG – Commence swimming lessons
Friday 9 th June	Year 6 – Father's Day Stall - lunchbreak
Monday 12th – Friday 16th June	Year 6 – Stubbers Trip
Monday 12 th - Friday 16 th June	Year's 3, 4 & 5 – QCA Week
Wednesday 14 th June	Father's Day Stall - Lunchtime
Friday 16 th June	Father's Day Stall - Lunchtime
Friday 23rd June	Teacher Training Day – School closed to pupils
Thursday 29 th June	Lunch with Mr Hobson
Friday 30 th June	Parent Forum – 2.30pm – 3.30pm
Friday 7 th July	School Fete – 3.30pm – 7.00pm

Whole School – Jack Trelawny – Author – Wednesday 26th April 2017

Jack Trelawny is the world's leading school author visitor. He has made over 1,600 school author visits and conducted whole-school assembly and individual Class workshops for more than 300,000 children.

He has written seven books so far. I started with six novels in the 'Kernowland in Erthwurd' series and the first book in my new 'Thirteen Things' series, called 'The Emperor's Rhinoceros', was published on 3rd November 2014. There will be another twelve stories in that series, all inspired by the true stories of real objects in the British Museum.



Class 4F - Swimming Lessons Friday 28th April 2017

Class 4F commence their swimming lessons today. Please ensure the children have their swimming kits with them. ALL children MUST wear a swimming hat. Please ensure you purchase one from your local store.

The children are collected from school at 10am every Friday morning and return by 11.30am.



Year 6 – SAT's – Monday 8th May – Friday 12th May 2017

THIS IS THE BIG ONE!

Please ensure the children are in school on time. **Please** ensure that NO appointments are made for this week. If your child misses a test, they will not be able to sit it at a later date. **Please** ensure the children are well rested.

GOOD LUCK! GOOD LUCK! GOOD LUCK! GOOD LUCK! GOOD LUCK! GOOD LUCK!


Walk for Wildlife - Friday 19th May 2017

The children will be going on a short walk to Scargill Junior School to look at local wildlife.



Class 4F - Last swimming lesson - Friday 26th May 2017

This is the last lesson for the year. The children will start again when they enter Year 5.



Whole School – Summer Disco – Wednesday 24th May 2017
Year 3 & 4 – 3.30pm – 5.00pm / Year 5 & 6 – 5.30pm – 7.00pm

The children are being treated to a "Summer Disco" this year. Please send your entry money of £3.50 in a clearly marked envelope to the school office. The PTA will be outside the small hall on Wednesday 21st May from 8.30am to 8.55am for any last minute tickets.

We hope ALL the children enjoy this.

**Whole School Balloon Race
Friday 26th May 2017**

The PTA will be holding their now annual balloon race. Please buy your balloon for just £2.00 and see how far it travels.



**Year 6 – Prom Payment
Monday 5th June 2017**

For those who have not paid in full please do so by this date. Thank you

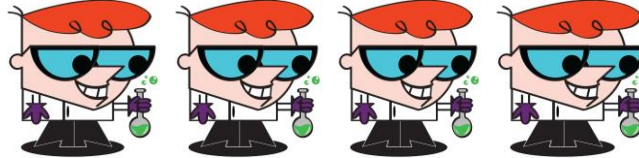


Year 5 – Science Trip - Friday 9th June 2017

We plan to take Year 5 children on a trip to the Science Museum in London on Friday 9th June 2017. The trip will be of great educational value as it will reinforce their science knowledge. School uniform should be worn as this helps to ensure your child's safety and easy recognition.

There is a cost to this trip of £7.50, which is for entrance to the IMAX theatre to watch a space themed film and a chance to experience reduced gravity.

We will be travelling by public transport. We will be taking the bus to Elm Park Station and continuing our journey by train. We plan on returning to school for collection by 4.30pm.



**Yearbook & Class Photos
Monday 5th June 2017**

The photographer will be in school to take Yearbook photos of Year 6 as well as class photos for all year groups.

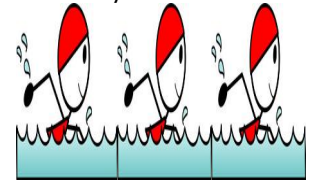
Please ensure your child is in full school uniform.

NO LARGE BOWS PLEASE



**Class 4TG
Commence Swimming Lessons
Friday 9th June 2017**

Class 4F commence their swimming lessons today. Please ensure the children have their swimming kits with them. ALL children MUST wear a swimming hat. Please ensure you purchase one from your local store.



Year 3, 4 & 5 - QCA Week - Monday 12th – 16th June 2017

We would like to remind parents and carers that all Year 3, 4 & 5 pupils are expected to attend this week. **No** Leave of Absence will be authorised during this week. Please ensure all appointments, ie: hospital, dental or doctors are avoided during this time.

Please note: Any leave taken during test week will have an **automatic fine** imposed by the Educational Welfare Officer.

**PLEASE ENSURE YOU HAVE THESE DATES CLEARLY MARKED ON YOUR DIARY
PLEASE ENSURE THE CHILDREN ARRIVE IN SCHOOL ON TIME SO WE CAN SETTLE THEM IN**

**Father's Day Stalls
Wednesday 14th &
Friday 16th June 2017**

The PTA will be holding their Father's Day stalls on the above dates at lunchtime. The children can come along and buy something for the special man in their life.

The cost of a present will be £3.00

**Please note: Year 6
Friday 9th June - lunchtime**



**Father's Day BBQ & Games Afternoon
Wednesday 7th June 2017 – from 2pm**

We would like to hold a Father's Day afternoon for all dad's, stepdad's, grandfather's, uncle's, brother's or male role model to share with their children in school. It will be held on the afternoon of Wednesday 7th June from 2pm. We will be serving burgers, hotdogs and fish finger sandwiches (with all the extra's), refreshments, ice-creams and having a games session with yourselves and the children. We can cater for up to 60 and this includes your child/ren in school. We realise that lots of you will be working, but this would be a great opportunity for just the 'men' to spend time with your kids.

The cost: £10 per adult & £5.00 per child.



Letter & invitations to follow on 2nd May 2017

**Parent Forum
Friday 30th June
2.30pm – 3.30pm**

Mr Hobson will be holding his last Parent Forum for this current school year. Mr Hobson will be available to answer any questions, queries or concerns you have about the school. You can also come along and tell us what your happy with! We look forward to seeing you.



Headteacher's Awards:

Year 3

Class 3GG: Vinnie Perkins
Class 3J: George Maynard

Year 4

Class 4F: Lillie Crump
Class 4G: Elizabeth Durojaiye

Year 5

Class 5UG: Daniel Smith
Class 5W: Laila Ronan

Year 6

Class 6F: Ella Brewster
Class 6P: Liam Bolaky

Congratulations!!!



**Attendance Award
Congratulations to Class 4F**

Group	% Attendance
3GG Miss Gray / Mr Graves	94.8
3J Miss Jackson	94.2
4G Mr Greer	97.1
4F Mrs Field	98.3
5UG Mrs Uys / Mrs Graham	97.0
5W Mrs Werth	96.6
6F Miss Fairbank	96.1
6P Mrs Pettican	96.7
Whole School	96.3

Our school attendance target is 96.1%

School Attendance was 96.3%

**Summer Fete
Friday 7th July
3.30pm till late (ish)**

The PTA will again be hosting this year's summer fete. We will have all the usual games and things to do. The bbq will be out and the bar will also be back. We are hoping for good weather and a good turnout.

See you there!

