

Newsletter Friday 14th June 2019

Menu Week: Week beginning 17th June 2019 will be **Week 2 – A copy of the menu is on our website.**

Attendance: Whole School Target 2018/19 is 95%



Week Ending 7th June 2019 – Whole School 92.7%

Top 3 classes; 1. 13S = 98.4% 2. HOLLY & 9DG = 97.3% 3. BEECH = 97.2%

IT'S A BOY!!!



Jess from ASH Class has had a beautiful baby boy, they have called him Noah and he was born on Friday 7th June.

Change of May Day Date for 2020!

You may have seen the news in the last week that next year's Early May Bank Holiday will be moved back by four days for the whole of the UK to coincide with the 75th anniversary of VE Day. May Day is traditionally held on a Monday but will be put back to **Friday 8 May 2020**

We will make the change on our Term Dates leaflet

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-48565417>

9K Have been reading in class...



In 9K, we have been reading the book 'Gangsta Granny'. During our maths lesson we followed a recipe to measure and weigh ingredient to make Granny's cabbage soup.



Vote for us please!

National Book Tokens are running a competition for a school to win £5000 for their school library. All you have to do is go on to the website and nominate our school. The more votes we have, the more chance we may win! Thank you!

<https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools>

Summer Fete – Friday 5th July 1.30 – 3.30



We still need summer fair donations please and if anyone would like to join us at the summer fair we'd be really grateful for any help with setting up, packing away or running a stall. We'll be at Russell House from 10am onwards. Please contact the school office and we will pass your details on.



Try A Trade for Middle Phase

Middle School enjoyed their 'Try a Trade' Event this week. They were able to ask many questions to the trades people and enquire about the skills they would need to have a job like theirs. A huge thank you to our providers (Kidderminster College, Kidderminster Fire and Rescue, Safer Neighbourhood team, Horticulturist, West Midlands Safari Park).



Drayton Manor Trip

Lower Phase went to Drayton Manor this week and have explored the animals and rides. Pupils tried rides that were out of their comfort zone and had beaming smiles when the rides finished. They thoroughly enjoyed the day and were extremely well behaved. The charity workers who supported the children on the day commented on their politeness and excellent behaviour. Well done Lower Phase.



JUNE	
17	Poppins Session - Signalong with Bev Thorne 1.45-2.45
18	Secondary Sports Day (10 – 12) at Stourport Sports Centre
18	'New Reception' meeting for parents – 6pm – Main Site
19	Dad's & Dens for OAK & PINE (with Richard Liggitt) (1.45 – 2.45)
19	'New Lower' meeting for Parents – 2pm
19	Communication Skills – Parent Workshop
20	'New Middle' meeting for Parents – 2pm
20	Prom Night
21	ASH ASSEMBLY – Parents to arrive by 9am please
24	Poppins Session – ASD Issues with Sue Jones 1.45 – 2.45
25	'New Upper' meeting for parents – 2pm
26	'New Sixth Form' meeting for parents – 2pm
27	(Current) Sixth Form Parents coffee morning 10am – 11am
27	Lower Phase Sports Day at WFS 10am – 11.30am
27	Early Years Sports Day at WFS 1.30pm – 2.30pm
28	Year 11 Leavers (those not going to WFS sixth form)
28	BEECH ASSEMBLY – Parents to arrive by 9am please

JULY	
1	Poppins Session – Fire Service talking about Fire Safety 1.45 – 2.45
2	(New) Complex Learner Group Meeting – 2pm
3	KS4 Pupils to The Artrix – Dance Competition, afternoon & Evening
3	Middle Phase Award Ceremony – 1.30pm **NEW DATE**
4	Transition Morning (9.30 – 11.30)
5	BIRCH ASSEMBLY – Parents to arrive by 9am please
5	Friends of WFS Summer Fayre (1.30 – 3.30)
8	Poppins Session - Signalong with Bev Thorne 1.45-2.45
9	Transition Morning (9.30 – 11.30)
10	Early Years Awards Assembly (OAK & PINE) 1.30pm
11	Early Years Awards Assembly (MAPLE & HAZEL) 1.30pm
11	RDA Summer Show
12	Early Years Awards Assembly (ELM & YEW) 1.30pm
12	WILLOW ASSEMBLY – Parents to arrive by 9am please
15	Poppins Session – Sensory Story Session 1.45-2.45
15	Russell House Summer Fayre 4pm – 6pm
16	Transition Morning (9.30 – 11.30)
16	Reports home to Parents
16	Lower School Awards Assembly 1.30pm
17	KS4 / 5 & Leavers Assembly 9.30am
18	Year 7 – Hero Afternoon Tea / Picnic 1.30pm
19	Last Day of Term – School finishes at 3pm
22	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS