

# Newsletter Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

**Menu Week:** Week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> September will be Week 1

## Parents Information

We are sending home Parents Evening Feedback Forms with this weeks newsletter, if you havent managed to complete one, but attended Parents Evening we would really appreciate your feedback. We're happy to hear all comments.



There is also a letter for all students about school milk offered by our catering provision, AIP. If you would like your child to receive milk, please return the form by Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September. Even if they are entitled to free milk, we still need to know if they would like to have it.

Do you fancy being part of the 'Friends of WFS Group'? We are looking for parents and carers to join us, if you are interested please contact Bev Cooper (Pupil and Family Support Manager) at school.

Our Privacy Notice has recently been updated and can be located on the school website: <http://www.wfs.worcs.sch.uk/page/?title=Policies&pid=16>  
Rebecca Garratt – Headteacher.

## After School Football Club

Unfortunately we've had to postpone Secondary Football Club until further notice.



**Primary Football Club** will start back on **Monday 25th September**. Letters have been sent home with all pupils from Years 3 – 6 inviting them to attend. It's on a first come / first served basis and there are 6 spaces still left to fill. Pupils will need to be collected at 4pm from school and if your child usually has transport you will need to inform them that they will be collected by yourself on Mondays.

## PE Kit

We are finding a lot more pupils without PE kit this year. Could parents ensure that kit is brought to school on Mondays. It is having a big delay to the start of lessons, finding spare kit that fits pupils.

Polo/tshirt

Shorts/tracksuit bottoms

Trainers/pumps

If pupils bring in deodorant, it should be roll on not spray cans to avoid distress to asthmatics.



## Special Olympics

Harry from Class 12BC took part in the Special Olympics in Birmingham at the weekend at The Alexander Stadium. He won two silver medals, for 50m run and soft ball throw, and bronze for standing long jump. Well done Harry!

## Sixth Form News

6th Form have expanded the Blossom Tree Cafe menu. Pop along for a bacon or sausage sandwich for £2.



Springfield Park  
Kidderminster  
DY10 2PS.  
Term Time Opening Hours  
Tuesday 9.30am till 11.30am  
Wednesday 10.30am till 2.00pm  
Friday 9.30am till 1.30pm  
Non term time FoSP will open.  
Friends of  
Springfield Park  
Thursday  
Saturday & Sunday  
10.30 till 2.30  
Subject to volunteers availability  
CAFÈ

## Operation Christmas Child

The Sixth-Form CoPE group are running the Christmas Shoe Box Appeal this year for Wyre Forest School as part of their Asdan community and citizenship coursework. They have given classes information leaflets to take home of items they would like sent in, and those that are unfortunately not allowed! They have enough actual shoe boxes at present, but would really appreciate donations of Christmas wrapping paper and items listed on their leaflets.

### Please Do Not Include:

Used or damaged items, war related items such as toy guns, play soldiers or knives; chocolate or other food items; liquids or lotions of any type including bubbles; medicines; hand-made or knitted stuffed toys; anything of a political, racial or religious nature; sharp objects; glass containers, mirrors or fragile items; playing cards of the 4-suit variety; clothing other than as listed on the information sheet

## Reading in School

We are promoting reading in school and we are encouraging all pupils to read as much as possible. Pupils will have a reading book and those in Middle and Upper School and Sixth Form will carry their reading book to their different lessons. We understand that not all pupils may want to read a book, but could you support by helping your child to read words in a real life context, e.g.- menus, rules for games, T.V. listings, magazines, etc. Thank you for your continued support.



## School Calendar

SEPTEMBER	
22	School Photos Day – brushed hair and smiley faces please 😊
26	Open Afternoon at 1.30pm (prospective new pupils)
26	PINE Class Parents Evening ONLY
28	Introduction to Signalong at Russell House - 9.45
29	MAPLE ASSEMBLY

Please remember to keep the office updated with any change of address / contact details / telephone numbers, thank you.