



WEST BYFLEET INFANT SCHOOL

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We Believe in Success

Teachers who love to teach..... Children who love to learn.....

This Week.....

We hope you all had a wonderful half term break. Thank you to all the parents who came in for Parent's Evening this week—we hope you came away with a good understanding of your children's progress to date and enjoyed the chance to chat with the teacher.

We are all looking forward to the Junior School fireworks display this evening. Please see the attached flyer for more information. It really is a wonderful display—it has a reputation for being one of the best in the area, so don't miss out. Tickets are £6 on the gate and doors open at 5.45pm, with display at 6.30pm. Hot dogs, refreshments and glow sticks on sale.



Useful Dates:

Tuesday 8th Nov—Forest Schools—Ladybirds—please come into school wearing suitable outdoor clothes/wellies/trainers and bring a waterproof coat and spare pair of shoes for indoors.

Fri 11th Nov—PFA Quiz Night

Sat 19th Nov—St John's Christmas Fayre

Sat 26th Nov—Joint Christmas Fair

Mon 5th Dec—School Production to Stoop Court Yr 1 and 2

Tues 6th Dec—School Production to parents 2pm Yr R/6pm Yr 1 & 2 at St John's Church

Weds 7th Dec—School Production—2pm Yr 1 & 2 at St John's Church

Fri 16th Dec—Xmas Jumper Day

Tues 20th Dec—School Xmas Lunch

Weds 21st Dec—End of Term finish at 2.15pm

Welcome Back

Mrs Binding!

We are delighted and very excited to welcome back Helen Binding, our fantastic TA, after a long recovery from illness. We know the children will love her contagious enthusiasm and wonderful personality!

Scooting in the Playground

Please can we strongly remind you not to allow your children to scoot in the playground. We have had a couple of near accidents and will have to ban scooters at school if scooting in the playground continues. Thank you.

We have had a couple of cases of Impetigo in Reception. Impetigo is a common and highly contagious skin infection that causes sores and blisters. It's not usually serious and often improves within a week of treatment or within a few weeks without treatment.

For more information please see the NHS website:

www.nhs.uk/conditions/impetigo/pages/introduction.aspx



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Tights and Tissues

If you have any spare school socks that you can donate to school we would be very grateful. Also, boxes of tissues would be gratefully received.

Plea from the Office:

Please can you ensure that all monies paid to the office are in named envelopes and that you give us the correct money—we do not have access to very much change in the office! Thank you so much.

Poppies for Sale

We will be selling poppies next week for minimum donation of 20p in class. We also have other poppy related items at Reception for sale to parents. Many thanks.



New School Launch Day

*Mrs James and
MP Jonathan
Lord cut the
cake!*



Question of the Week

If you were to design a new type of firework what would it look and sound like?



Thank you for your help in discussing this fun question with your children.

PFA Quiz Night—11 November 7.30pm—Raffle

Get those Heat magazines out—it's almost quiz time. If you haven't decided whether you want to come yet, it is not too late. Everyone is welcome and we can always find you a spot on a table! It is a fun night of chatting, eating and drinking..... oh and a touch of quizzing! We will have a raffle on the night so if you have any spare bottles of fizz or such floating around at home and would like to donate towards the raffle we would be very grateful!!

Thank you!

Head Lice

We have had a few instances of head lice at school recently. This is a very normal and common occurrence in children of primary school age and absolutely nothing to worry about. They do, however, need to be treated quickly to avoid them spreading. They can be treated by combing through the hair with a nit comb and conditioner on a daily basis until hair is clear. Alternatively you can buy special treatments from the chemist. For more info, please see the NHS website or speak to a pharmacist.

www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/pages/Introductions.aspx