

Five Acre Wood Parent Bulletin





Week commencing: 22/05/2017

Please make sure that if you change your contact details we are informed immediately. If you wish to receive information via Parent Mail, we need to be informed directly through your own online account of any changes to your details. If this isn't done, and you change your e-mail address, then you won't receive any of the information we send out using this service! Information about the school and future events can also be accessed via the school website on: <http://www.fiveacrewood.org.uk/>

General Notices



Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	Secondary Performance 'Joseph' 10:30am
Friday	

From	Message
Family Support TEAM	<p>Please can we remind Parents/Carers that the car park at Loose Site is in total lockdown in the mornings and afternoons. This is for Health and safety reasons.</p> <p>If you park after the Zebra Crossing then you will be in lockdown with the Transport and you will have to wait until each row of taxis is let out.</p> <p>The parent drop off is before the zebra crossing where there are allocated car parking spaces for Parents to use. Thank you.</p> 
Family Support TEAM	<p>On Friday 30th June at 10.15am-11.40am. Behaviour Management - A Parents' Survival Guide. Pam Stephens STLS returns for another session on Behaviour Management at Bower Grove School.</p> 
Family Support TEAM	<p>Please be aware that it is your responsibility to inform the taxi company if your child will not be on the transport home after school. This will help any confusion at the end of the school day. Many thanks.</p> 
Jane Gardiner	<p>Please be advised that we have had to change the date of the Summer Fayre to Saturday 15th July. This is the last Saturday of the summer term. I'm sorry for any inconvenience caused - please do pop the new date in your diaries and we hope to see you there.</p> 



Monday 5th June 2017-Staff training day (pupils not in school)

Tuesday 6th June 2017- First day of term 6 for pupils

Tuesday 13th June- Parent Partnership Forum

Friday 16th June 2017- Sensory MOVE fundraiser

Friday 7th July 2017-Transition day

Saturday 15th July – Summer Fair

Monday 10th July 2017- 3.45pm-6.45pm

'Meet the new teacher' parents evening

Wednesday 12th July 2017- Sports day (Primary)

Thursday 13th July 2017- Sports day (Secondary)




Tuesday 18th July 2017- 10.30am Secondary Summer performance and Prize Giving

Friday 21st July 2017- Last day of term

Important Info

If you need any information regarding your child's Transport, Support Services, education or Health.

Please use the Kent County Council Website. It is a really useful site with all the information you need. www.kent.gov.uk

<p>Jane Gardiner</p>	<p>We are very excited to be able to announce that we have been shortlisted in the Tesco Bags of Help initiative.</p> <p>The community funding scheme awards grants of £4,000, £2,000 and £1,000 – all raised from the 5p bag levy – to local community projects.</p>  <p>We are one of three groups in the local region to have been shortlisted to receive the cash award, so all we need now is for our supporters to vote for us in Tesco stores! Voting is open in stores throughout May and June. Customers will cast their vote using a token given to them at the check-out in store each time they shop.</p> <p>The project that this will fund is a sensory garden, which will hugely benefit our students. We have been busy designing the garden with input from the students themselves, and now all we need is the support of Tesco customers so that this dream can become a funded reality.</p> <p>The stores taking part in the scheme are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BEARSTED EXPRESS ME14 4N • LONDON RD MAIDSTONE EXPRESS ME16 0DJ MAIDSTONE GROVE GREEN ME14 5TQ MAIDSTONE LOOSE RD EXPRESS ME15 7TY MAIDSTONE TOVIL ME15 6RQ • OAKWOOD PARK MAIDSTONE EXPRESS ME16 9NZ • TONBRIDGE RD EXPRESS ME16 8TE • WEEK STREET MAIDSTONE EXPRESS ME14 1RL <p>To vote, you will need to make a purchase within store of any value. You will receive one token per transaction and it's not necessary to purchase a carrier bag in order to receive a token.</p>
<p>Family Support TEAM</p>	<p>On Thursday 25th May 2017 The Secondary performance of 'Joseph' will be taking place. Please do come along, we have seen some of the practices taking place so far and it is looking really good!</p> 
<p>Family Support TEAM</p>	<p>Kings Hill Paralympic Event on Saturday 1st July from 2pm. This is a free event for all the family with free tennis, archery, Football and face painting. To book a place contact Martine on 07854019823 or martinemccahon@yahoo.co.uk</p> 

Activities and Support

School Clubs

School clubs run termly, Tuesday through to Friday after school between 3.30 and 4.30pm.

Square Pegs Drama Group

For more info and/or to request an application form email admin@squarepegsdramaclub.com, call Beth on 07880 794816 or contact us via our Facebook page www.facebook.com/squarepegs

Inclusive Martial Arts Club

Family Martial Arts, based in Wharf Road, Tovil. They run a specialist disability session on a Saturday morning. In addition to this they also welcome children and young people with special needs into their regular after school weekday sessions.

<http://www.familymartialarts.co.uk>
Phone: 01622 663030

Kent Friendz

Our services include, After School Clubs, Saturday Clubs for 8-15 years, 16+ Clubs, School Holiday Activities, and Support at home and in the community.

www.kentfriendz.org.uk

Phone: 01732 838183




M4S

M4S is a parent driven charity supporting disabled children and young people with special needs and their families from Maidstone and the surrounding areas.

info@m4s.org.uk

Phone: 01622 764566


Holmesdale Notices


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Holmesdale	<p>Please can we remind parents to send back the Health Care plans as soon as possible as this is a <u>KCC requirement</u> for your child. Thank you.</p> 
Holmesdale	<p>On Tuesday 6th June and Wednesday 7th June, The Duke of Edinburgh practice walks are taking place. Please make sure your child has sensible footwear and has appropriate clothing for the day. As you know the fine British weather is unpredictable so pack for any eventuality! If you have any queries please do let us know.</p> 
Holmesdale	<p>On Monday 15th May- Friday 19th May the sixth Formers took part in Work Experience. They had a great time and worked very hard! We have had some lovely feedback from the companies they have worked for. Well Done!</p> 



Pupil Achievements

A big WELL DONE to...

-  Kyle Keiley who went swimming today and managed brilliantly. He had a fab time and interacted really well with the instructor.

-  Yasmina Adams who has been practicing sentence building in pupil premium. She has been working hard with this and last week as they were finishing, she pointed to the door and said "the slippery floor sign is over there" (she was right as she put it there!) she promptly had to write it down and we have a lovely photo of it. Well done Yasmina!!

Holmesdale Upcoming Events

Monday 15th May – Friday 26th May – Careers fortnight

Monday 26th June- Friday 30th June- Snowdon Residential Trip for Ash and Maple Class

Monday 10th July- Meet the new teachers Parents Evening 3.45pm- 6.30pm

Tuesday 11th July- School Leavers BBQ

Saturday 15th July- 6th Form Prom

Tuesday 18th July 2017- Secondary Summer performance and Prize Giving

