

# Oak Hill Academy

## Newsletter

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### Dates for your Diary...



- Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Jun** Deadline for photo orders via school
- Wed 15<sup>th</sup> Jun** 3B Class Assembly 9am
- Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Jun** Work With Your Grandchild Day
- Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Jun** 6U Class Assembly 9am
- Weds/Thurs 22/23 Jun** Y3 Overnight trip
- Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> June** – Polling Day **PACKED LUNCHES ONLY**
- Fri 24<sup>th</sup> June** 3pm Summer Fayre
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June** \*\*\* Inset Day - School Closed For Pupils
- Tues/Weds 28/29<sup>th</sup> Jun** Drama club performs *Wicked Wizard of Oz* 6pm
- w/b 4<sup>th</sup> July** – Move Up Week for Children
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup> July** – Y3/4 Summer Festival
- Weds 6<sup>th</sup> July** – Choir at Hounslow Singing Festival
- Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> July** – Y5/6 Summer Festival (Details to follow...)
- Fri 8<sup>th</sup> July** Annual Reports sent home
- Mon 11<sup>th</sup> 6pm and Tues 12<sup>th</sup> July 2pm** Y6 Leavers Performances
- Tues 12<sup>th</sup> July** Parents Evening re reports
- Mon 18<sup>th</sup> July** Sports Morning and Family Picnic
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup> July** 2pm School Ends for the Summer
- Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Sept** **Return to school at 8.50am**

### CLASS PHOTOS



Be sure to order your copies asap! To order class photographs please go to [www.getphotos.co.uk](#) Orders via school must be received by Mon 13th June. A fee will be charged for late orders. Thank you



### A Royal Street Party!

This year's Summer Fayre is a traditional affair that celebrates the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday! It will be held on Friday 24/06/16 from 3-5pm

Come along and join in the **Royal Street Party!**

All your favourites will be here including... Bouncy Castle/Slide, DJ, Gym Displays, Dance Competitions, BBQ, Hoopla, Tea Party, Bar and many more...

This promises to be a 'Right Royal Knees Up!'



Still on the subject of Summer... come along and see the fantastic, show stopping performances from the children! Each year group will produce their own spectacular display. Show times are...afternoons, Weds 6<sup>th</sup> (Y3/4) & Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> (Y5/6) July. More details to follow shortly...

### Achievements Board!



A very worthy mention to our amazing children at Oak Hill Academy who have appeared on our 'Achievements out of School' Board this term. There have been lots of fabulous, well-earned achievements. Please keep them coming as we love to share all of the hard work that you do out of school.

#### Teya Cockerell - Year 6

Ice Skating – Teya has progressed from level 1 through to level 8 in ice skating. What an achievement – well done!

#### Medha Kumar – Year 4

Swimming – Medha has progressed to Stage 8 in her swimming classes. What an achievement – well done! Electric Keyboard – Medha has also achieved Stage 4 in her Keyboard Lessons. Keep up the fab work!

#### Anna Edevbie – Year 6

Piano – Anna has progressed to level 3 within her piano lessons. What an achievement! Well done.

#### Albanie Barrett - Year 3

Swimming – Albanie has achieved her Stage 3 and Stage 4 within swimming – well done! Keep up the good work.

#### Exciting News...

We have been running a project within the school this year–Badgework. This is open to any child within Oak Hill Academy. We have selected a range of challenges for the children to try and successfully complete. They range from sporting challenges to artistic challenges. The aim is to successfully complete 7 out of the 10 challenges, all of which are adjudicated by a member of staff.

We are pleased to announce that we have our 1<sup>st</sup> child at Oak Hill Academy to complete all 7 challenges. We are so proud of Maaya Akilen in Year 6. Maaya has worked hard all year to achieve this goal. There is a display in Year 6 that shows all the children in this year group who are undertaking the challenge and showing what they have passed to date. Well done for all your hard work, commitment and leading the way for the rest of the school!



### Whole School Inter-House Sports

The sun shone all day for us on 09/06/16 when we held our Whole School Inter-House Sports Carousel. The children had fun competing in their respective Houses. Well done to everyone! The overall House winners were **PHOENIX**.

### Y6 Leaver's Performances



As we prepare to bid a fond farewell to our current Y6 group, they will be putting on their **Y6 Leavers' Performances**.

**Be sure not to miss it!** They will be set to entertain you on Mon 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm & Tue 12<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm. Details coming soon...

### \*NEW\* School Uniform Supplier

Please note, we have a new school uniform supplier! School Bells, 48 Bell Road, Hounslow, Middlesex TW3 3PB 020 8577 6656 will be able to cater for all your school uniform needs. Uniform will no longer be available to buy from the school.



A **BIG** well done to our very own School Business Manager, Mrs R Thomson and her family for running the Windsor Half Marathon 13 mile River Trail Run on 22/05/16!

Mrs Thomson and her family have raised an impressive £1500 for a school defibrillator. Thank you to all of you who sponsored her for a very worthy cause that could save lives.

### Money, Money, Money!



Thank you to those parents who have registered on the SchoolComms Gateway app. We need all parents to be registered so they are able to use this from September.

When we return to school in September we will **no longer** be accepting cheques as a form of payment.

From the Spring Term 2017, we will **no longer** be accepting cash payments via the School Office unless there are valid circumstances which must be put in writing which prevents you from paying on Schoolcomms.

If you need any assistance in loading the app please come into the office and ask for Mrs Thomson or Mrs Clack who will be able to assist you.

### Parent Forum



Thank you to all the parents and carers who give their time to attend the Parent Forums. Your attendance and input is greatly valued. As a result of the discussions around Homework and the Parent Homework Survey, we have revised our Homework Policy, the new policy which will be launched in September.



### Protect Your Children in the Sun



Please make sure your child is protected during the summer months by ensuring sun cream is applied *before* they come in to school. Sun hats and sunglasses should be worn during break times only.

### Drinking Water



As the weather gets increasingly warmer, please ensure your child has a bottle of water in school. Drinking bottles can be bought from the school office for £1.70.

### \*\*2015-2016 Inset Day change\*\*

The Inset Day on the school calendar originally on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July will now take place on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June.

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