



Oak Hill Academy

Newsletter

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Diary Dates



Wed 18th May 4R Class Assembly 9am
Thurs 19th May Class Photographs
Fri 27th May Last Day of Half Term
w/bMon 30th May- Autumn Half Term Holiday
Weds 8th June 2.30pm Parents Forum
Wed 15th Jun 3B Class Assembly 9am
Wed 22nd Jun 6U Class Assembly 9am
Fri 24th June 3pm Summer Fayre
Monday 27th June *** Inset Day - School Closed
For Pupils- PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE ***

Wed 20th Jul Last Day of Summer Term
Thurs 21st Jul – Summer Holidays
Fri 2nd Sep
Mon 5th Sep Return to school at 8.50am



A Royal Street Party!

This year's Summer Fayre is a traditional affair that celebrates the Queen's 90th Birthday! It will be held on Friday 24/06/16.

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 6th (Y3/4) & Thurs 7th (Y5/6) July. More details to follow shortly...

Y6 Leaver's Performances



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

Be sure not to miss it! They will be set to entertain you on Mon 11th July at 6pm & Tue 12th July at 2pm.

Details coming soon...

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.



The Sponsor Money Kept Coming In!

Since reporting in our last newsletter the fantastic amount of £708.25 that had been raised by the children in their Skipathon for the British Heart Foundation, we have had sponsor money still rolling in. Your generosity has been overwhelming for this good cause and the final total was a staggering... £1023.05!

Year 4 raised the most money amongst the Year groups with 4U being the class with the most

overall sponsor monies and... Chelsea T (Y4) raising a fantastic £130.00 alone!

A BIG thank you to everyone who played a part in this enormous fundraising event!

The British Heart Foundation donates 20% of the raised monies back to the school which enables us to purchase resources for the children.

Don't forget... in a further bid to raise funds for a school defibrillator, our very own School Business Manager, Mrs R Thomson, will be running in the Windsor Half Marathon 13 mile River Trail Run on 22/05/16.

If you would like to sponsor her, please come the School Office with your donation!

Dinner Money Payments



Unfortunately, we have had to contact several parents recently as they have not been paying dinner money on each Monday prior to meals being taken and therefore incurring large debts on their child's account.

Dinner money is to be paid **every Monday** for that week's meals (you may also pay for a half term). Failure to do so will result in your child's dinner account being frozen and you will have to provide them with a packed lunch until the account is paid in full.

Food Information

Please be reminded that any meat served by our caterers, Edwards & Ward, is not **Halal**. Please ensure your child is aware of this. A vegetarian option is always available



CLASS PHOTOS

Class Photos will be taken on Thursday 19th May 2016. Please ensure your child is in full School uniform.

Parent Forum



The next Parent Forum Meeting will be held in the Meeting Room on **8th June** 2016 at 2.30pm.



We are experiencing a large amount of Lost Property at present. Please ensure

your child's name is written or sewn into all school clothes and their name and class marked on their lunchboxes too. This would help enormously when trying to reunite items with their owner.

Thanks to you...



After your very generous donations via a social media article, Mr Graham, Site Manager, has replaced his bike that was stolen from the school site recently. Also, Mr Graham used some of the monies raised to purchase padlocks for the Cycle Park for the children to use that will ensure all bikes are locked whilst in the park.

A MASSIVE thank you to all of you that donated and to Mr Graham for his very kind donation of padlocks for the Cycle Park. This shows a real sense of spirit within our local community. Well done to everyone!



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.

Absences

Please notify the School Office before 9.30am on each day of your child's absence.

****2015-2016 Inset Day change****

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

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