

# Wray Common Primary School Newsletter



Inspiring Lifelong Learning



## WRAY COMMON SPORTS DAY

With sun cream liberally applied, sun hats firmly in place and water bottles at the ready, all of the children took to the field yesterday to compete in our annual Sports Day. Great team spirit was evident from the very start as our KS1 children kicked the day off with their sports in the morning. They were ably led by our Year 6 Sports Leaders and also supported by our Year 5 children. The children collaborated brilliantly in their teams and the winners at the end of the morning were **Rubies**. After a wonderful Family Picnic in the glorious sunshine, it was the turn of our KS2 children to compete. True grit and determination and great team work finally saw **Diamonds** as the winners. The overall winner (both KS1 and KS2 combined) was **Rubies** with 546 points, closely followed by **Emeralds** with 521 points. Every child should feel proud of their achievements and the way in which they competed with such team spirit! A big thank you to all of the staff involved in making the day run so smoothly and to Miss Wortley for masterminding the whole event. We would also like to thank the members of the Friends for keeping the crowds refreshed with drinks and snacks throughout the day.



## TO INFINITY AND BEYOND

On Wednesday this week Wray Common opened its doors to the Year 2 children from Merstham Primary, Holmesdale, Earlswood, Furzefield, Lime Tree and St. Joseph's to take part in a Music Festival. Asteroid the Alien (better known as Mrs Edwardes) beamed down from her spaceship to lead the proceedings and the children sang their hearts out in the songs all about Space. A truly harmonious sound!



## DISTRICT SPORTS *Report by Millie and Euan 6R*

There was an air of suspense as everyone fell silent to hear the speakers announce the first race. The 80m sprints were first and because Wray Common is a large school, we had to wait for the small schools to go first. The whistle blew: the first race had begun! Competitors watched and cheered as the time sped past and their time to race arrived. The reserves race was the last race of the day and we all then gathered to hear the final scores. The girls' team came second overall to Reigate Priory and the boys came 5th overall. The total scores took into account the results from the Field Events that took place at Sandcross the day before. After a long, exhausting, but exciting afternoon, we headed for home feeling proud!





## TAKE ONE PICTURE ART EXTRAVAGANZA- FRI 13<sup>TH</sup> JULY

With the Art Extravaganza only two weeks away, we wanted to share with you the timings for the afternoon.

- 12.50 p.m. - parents, carers, friends and family arrive at school to go on a tour with the children looking at all of the wonderful artwork
- 1.45 p.m. - bell will sound to signal the children to go back to class and visitors to go out on to the field
- 1.55 p.m. - performances of songs and dances by all year groups.

School will finish at the usual time on this day. Please join us - it promises to be an afternoon to remember!

## RANGERS REPORT

This week the Rangers have been putting their engineering skills to the test. In order to escape the heat, we've been building shady dens to relax in. Watch out for our special event on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July; it will be the climax of our Park Wars 2018. Parks will be earning points over the next week in a variety of areas. Which Park will be crowned champions this year?

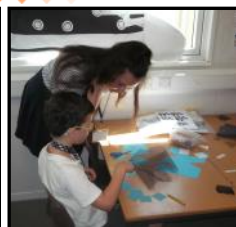
### Important Date:

Wednesday July 11<sup>th</sup>  
12:00 p.m. is when  
September's sessions go  
live. [Click here](#) to make  
your booking.



## PATTERN AND PRINT

In Year 3 the children have been looking at Andy Warhol's picture 'Converse Shoes'. They designed their own shoes for fairytale characters, then practised drawing different patterns onto polystyrene prints. This week, they printed their fairytale shoes in a printed design, just like Andy Warhol's, but much more magical! In their final piece, which you will get to admire during our Art Extravaganza afternoon, there is a warlock's shoe, a princess' high heel and some boots for Dumbledore! Year 3 were also lucky enough to receive some visitors from St. Bede's this week, who came in to teach a session on pattern and print. They linked their session to our topic by also looking at Andy Warhol's 'Converse Shoes'. The children collaborated in groups of three to create a tile towards to their nine tiled final piece. Each tile was made of a different textile print such as floral, stripes, polka dots and geometric shapes - take a look



## COMMUNITY MATTERS

### R&Be Active Summer Holiday Activities

The aim of R&Be Active is to encourage children and families to try something new in the holidays and help them improve their physical and mental health. Please [click here](#) to find their summer activities leaflet. For full details, please go to [www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk/schoolhols](http://www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk/schoolhols)

## PROBLEMS WITH TUCASI

Following an upgrade of the Tucasi system over the half term holidays, we are aware that there are some issues with the dinner money accounts. We believe that the problem has now been fixed, but if you are still experiencing difficulties, please let us know in the school office. Thank you.

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

We are extending the deadline for you to return your child's preferences for Wray Common School Led Clubs for the Autumn Term until Tuesday next week, the 3<sup>rd</sup> July. Letters are available from the school office and the letter can also be found on the school's website.

### Other Club News

We now have letters for Chess Club, Basketball, All Sports and After School Swimming in the school office. Other outside club letters will follow next week.

## NEXT WEEK . . . w/c 2<sup>nd</sup> July

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Personal Survival and Water Safety 6B  
 Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Year 6 Secondary Induction Day  
 Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Year 2 and 3 Sports Event at Charterhouse (invited children only)  
 Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Year 4 'Arty Afternoon' 1:30 p.m.  
 Year 6 to Back to the 80's performance at the Harlequin (packed lunch required)  
 New Reception Parents' Meeting 6:00 p.m.  
 Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Mufti Day and Year 4 Sleepover 6:00 p.m.

## FAREWELL MRS HUMPHREY



We will be saying farewell to Mrs Humphrey on the 9<sup>th</sup> July. Mrs Humphrey has been a member of staff here since April 2015 and she has worked with many children across the school and had a very positive impact on our children with speech and language needs. She will be moving on to Reigate St. Mary's where she will continue to develop her work in speech therapy. We would like to thank Mrs Humphrey for all she has done here at Wray Common and we wish her well for the future.

## SUMMER FETE - 2 WEEKS TO GO!

**Saturday July 14<sup>th</sup> 2018 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

The Summer Fete is our biggest fundraiser of the year and a great day for all the family.

\*BBQ\*   \*Auction\*   \*Various tombolas\*   \*Cakes\*   \*Hair Braiding & Tattoos\*  
\*Lucky Dips\*   \*Coconut Shy\*   \*Face Painting\*

**\*Hollywood Bowl (New)**   **Mega Slide (New)**   **Gladiator Jousting (New)**   **Slime Stall (New)**

In order for the fete to be a success, we **URGENTLY** require volunteers to help on stalls, particularly the Hair Braiding and Face Painting.

Please contact Lindsay or Katie [wsummerfete@gmail.com](mailto:wsummerfete@gmail.com) if you can help in any way, even if it is just for an hour on the day!

### Mufti Days

In return for the children wearing their own clothes, we ask if you are able to provide items for the following stalls:

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July      Bottles either alcoholic or non-alcoholic

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July      Cakes

We would be very grateful for any help you can offer, your support really can make a difference. We also need people on the mornings of the two remaining Mufti Days, to help with the collection of the items being brought in by the children. Again, please let Lindsay or Katie know if you can help in this way.

### **Raffle Tickets**

Raffle tickets will be coming home **today**, so please look out for them in your child's school bag - additional books are available from the school office.

### **Auction**

If you want to get in an early bid on our auction items, please remember to email the team with your bids [wsummerfete@gmail.com](mailto:wsummerfete@gmail.com). Here is a reminder of the items on offer:

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| 1. Barrett and Coe                                    | 2x £160 Family Portrait Sessions   |
| 2. Donyngs  | Free Sports Hall Party   |
| 3. Lingfield Park                                     | 4 premier tickets  |
| 4. Leeds Castle                                       | 1 day complimentary ticket (2 adults and 3 children)                                       |
| 5. Clove Restaurant                                   | £20 voucher  |
| 6. Loseley Park                                       | 2 tickets to visit the <i>Walled Garden</i>  |
| 7. Athletix   | One free term for one child  |
| 8. Camp Glide   | 1 Day free for one child in the Summer Holidays  |
| 9. Reigate School of Ballet                           | Free dance lessons for one term  |
| 10. Hollywood Bowl                                    | One free game for a family of 4  |
| 11. Kew Gardens                                       | 2 adult tickets to the Gardens plus parking  |
| 12. La Barbe Restaurant                               | Meal for 2 plus coffee   |
| 13. London Museum of Water and Steam                  | Tickets for 2 adults and 2 children  |
| 14. Benefit Cosmetics                                 | Complimentary 'Make-upper' for 6 people  |
| 15. Epsom Downs Racecourse                            | Tickets for 2 adults and 2 children for the 'One Enclosure' on the <i>Any One Race Day</i> |
| 16. 2:1 scale replica of Lewis Hamilton's race helmet |  |



## HONOUR BOOK



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| <b>1VG</b> | Jessica Wells<br>Oliver Cowan<br>Jessica Norris<br>Amira Mehmood               | For fantastic effort in reading!<br>Wow, your reading has been fantastic, keep persevering!<br>For fantastic effort learning a dance taught by Reigate School.<br>For brilliant attention to detail when learning a dance.   |
| <b>1W</b>  | Finley Whysall<br><br>Poppy Scholes<br><br>Dexter Young                        | For his fantastic explanations in Maths this week, using key language to justify his decisions.<br>For her fantastic writing this week, engaging her audience using 'show me don't tell me' features.<br>For his fantastic effort to finish all learning independently, working hard to achieve his best learning.   |
| <b>2E</b>  | Katie Perrett<br>Frankie Taylor  | For always listening, sharing thoughts and ideas. She is a model student!<br>For an improved focus in lessons and completing his writing.  |
| <b>2M</b>  | Zeya Bennett<br>Haris Majid  | For persevering with her Maths.<br>For persevering with his 3D shapes.   |
| <b>2ML</b> | Lily Plowman<br>Eden Hobbs<br>Finlay Jones<br>Cleo Gould                       | For writing a super explanation of the Gold Rush.<br>For working hard on her presentation and handwriting.<br>For writing a wonderful diary entry as if he was a boy in the Gold Rush!<br>For working hard on her reasoning in Maths.  |
| <b>3R</b>  | James Liddiard<br>Jessy Benedetto<br>George Wadsworth                          | For a fantastic innovation of Cinderella - great characterisation!<br>For an amazing <i>Losing</i> story inspired by Cinderella.<br>For being a fantastic Maths coach to his partner.  |
| <b>3W</b>  | Ava Davidson<br>Jessica Low<br>Indie Knights                                   | For using imaginative story telling language when planning her fairy tale.<br>For using imaginative story telling language when planning her fairy tale.<br>For using a graph to interpret information.  |
| <b>4E</b>  | Tyler Piercy<br><br>Harrison Sayer   | For amazing focus and effort in his reading. All the hard work this term is really paying off, Tyler!<br>For super progress in his reading. Your hard work is really paying off, Harrison!   |
| <b>4RW</b> | Sophie Earwicker<br><br>Amelie Lawrence<br>Henry Merriman                      | For a fantastic attitude towards ensuring that everyone succeeded in their papier mache art project.<br>For an amazing story and sharing her ideas.<br>For his concentration and attention to detail in his art.   |
| <b>5B</b>  | Thomas Roberts<br>Ellis Jurado<br>Benjamin Hanson                              | For a much improved attitude towards his learning.<br>For a super job during the Science afternoon at Reigate Grammar School.<br>For awesome facial expressions during our drama morning at St. Bede's.  |
| <b>5M</b>  | Summer Leuchter-Stevens<br>Oscar Rush-Kellett<br>Jasmine Gould<br>Olivia Ojeih | For a much improved attitude towards her work - lovely descriptive sentences.<br>For a super job during the Science afternoon at Reigate Grammar School.<br>For a super job during the Science afternoon at Reigate Grammar School.<br>For super writing. Well done!   |
| <b>5W</b>  | Lillie Rerrie<br>Ava Street<br>Elloise Davison<br>Davina Hubbard               | For being a really good role model for others especially during the Year 5 assessment week.<br>For persevering with her Maths Passport. Keep going, Ava!<br>For great participation at the Science afternoon at Reigate Grammar School.<br>For an excellent portrayal of Tom in St. Bede's drama workshop.   |
| <b>6B</b>  | Joshua Poulter<br>Dan Davey<br>Kelsie Ford<br>Morgan Royer-Kennedy             | For thought provoking contributions to our body image discussion in PSHE.<br>For super imaginative ideas for his <i>sky ship</i> newspaper report. Mrs Brooks can't wait to read it!<br>For a super effort to engage the reader in her newspaper report.<br>For engaging the reader with interesting vocabulary f d in his newspaper report.   |
| <b>6C</b>  | Phoebe Taylor<br>Stephen Cordingley<br>Emily Ward<br><br>Faizan Ahmed          | For being super reflective and using a range of resources to improve her newspaper article.<br>For a fantastic twist to his 'Sky Ship' newspaper report. Mr Carter hopes they all survive!<br>For always demonstrating a great attitude to work and willingness to join in with class discussions.<br>For a fantastic original idea for his background, using hatching techniques. It is out of this world!  |
| <b>6R</b>  | Lucie Slumbers<br><br>Lola Taylor<br><br>Anya Combe<br><br>Madison Ford        | For having courage to overcome her fears, face a challenge and achieve something they were worried about.<br>For having courage to overcome her fears, face a challenge and achieve something they were worried about.<br>For being an expert learner and writing her newspaper article without much time to plan- you remained focused and, as a result, achieved well, Anya!<br>For her beautiful landscape picture using cross hatching skills. |

