

Newsletter - Summer (1)

Dear Parents

Swearing

We are continuing to hear swearing from children in school, please could you make sure that your child knows that it is totally not acceptable or appropriate.

Parking Banner

We continue to try and ensure that all parents park in a safe and thoughtful way, when collecting and dropping children to school.

We are participating in a scheme run by the Road Safety Team in Essex, and a "No Excuse for Bad Parking" Banner, has been displayed outside the school, bad parking can be a serious safety issue. This has been discussed with the children and hopefully they will encourage their parents to park safely.

Absence - Reminder

If a child is absent for any reason, please phone us as soon as you can on the first day of absence to advise us of the reason. Usually this will be because they are unwell, but can sometimes be for various other unavoidable reasons. If we do not hear from you, we operate a first day phone call system, and will try to contact you on the first day of absence to find out the reason. If we have had a phone call, and your child is only absent for one day, then we do not need a note. Otherwise we need a note on their return.

Reading

Please note there are suggested reading (book) lists on the school website for all year groups. (www.whitebridge.essex.sch.uk).

Term Dates

Please find attached dates for both this academic year and also for 2017/18 showing training days.

Dates for your Diary

Thurs. 15 th June	Year 3 trip to SeaWorld
Tues 20 th June	Year 2 trip to Paradise Park
22 nd June	Sports day, KS1 9.30 a.m. - KS2 1.30 p.m. (Please note that the date is much earlier than usual)
Tues 27 th June	District Sports - KS2 - Picketts Lock 12.00 - 4.30 p.m.
Thurs. 29 th June	New Intake Meeting 7.00 p.m.
Fri 30 th June	Year 6 - Transition Day
Sun 2 nd July	Summer Fayre
Monday 3 rd July	Year 2 - Music Festival
Wed 5 th July	Year 5 Curriculum Evening

Fri 7 th July	Reception Assembly a.m. Whole School Picnic Afternoon
Monday 10 th July	Non Pupil Day
Fri 14 th July	Year 2 Assembly
Tues 18 th July	Year 6 Matinee Performance (p.m.) Year 6 Performance 7.00 p.m.
Wed 19 th July	Year 6 Leavers Pool Party (Arranged by parents)
Thurs. 20 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly End of Years Disco's
Thurs. 20th July	Break up School 3.15 p.m.

Yours sincerely

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