



# School Newsletter

17th June 2022



## Dates for your Diary

June	<p><b>Fri 17th:</b> Y5 Class Assembly (Aimee)</p> <p><b>Tues 21st:</b> Year 6 Exploring Stereotypes and Combatting Racism workshop</p> <p><b>Wed 22nd:</b> Year 6 to Into University</p> <p><b>Fri 24th:</b> Y1 Class Assembly (Elio)</p> <p><b>Mon 27th:</b> Year 5 (Aimee) to Rupert House</p> <p><b>Tues 28th:</b> Year 4 to Natural History Museum</p> <p><b>Tues 28th:</b> Reception to Vauxhall City Farm</p> <p><b>Thurs 30th:</b> Year 4 to Kew Gardens</p>
July	<p><b>Fri 1st:</b> Year 1 Class Assembly (Ana)</p> <p><b>Tues 5th:</b> Year 3 Horniman Museum</p> <p><b>Fri 8th:</b> Y4 Class Assembly</p> <p><b>Fri 8th:</b> Year 5 to Hampton Court</p> <p><b>Fri 8th: Fun Day</b></p> <p><b>Wed 13th:</b> Year 1 to Broadstairs Beach</p> <p><b>Fri 15th:</b> Y3 Class Assembly</p> <p><b>Fri 15th at 7pm:</b> Year 6 Leavers' Show</p> <p><b>Wed 20th:</b> Last day of term. School finishes at 1:45pm</p>
September	<p><b>Mon 5th:</b> Children in Years 1 to 6 return to school (plus children in our Nursery currently who are staying in Nursery)</p> <p><b>Wed 7th:</b> Reception children start</p>

## Messages

### Next Year

On the next page, you will find details of who your child's class teacher will be next year.

You will notice that Simon, Deborah and Roisin are not on there. This is because they are sadly leaving us at the end of the summer term. Although we are very sad to see them go as they are very well established and valued members of the WTW staff team, I am delighted for each of them as they are moving on for very positive reasons. Roisin is moving with her family to Cornwall. Simon has secured a position as an Assistant Head in a school in London, and Deborah is moving to Bristol where she will be taking up a post as Deputy Head in an Infant school. We still have many more weeks with them here but I am sure you will join me in wishing them all the best at the end of the summer term.

With these departures come some new appointments. I am delighted to welcome Peter, Joanne, Emma, Maha and Tilly to the teaching team. Parents in Aimee's class will remember Joanne who has been here with us this year as a fantastic student teacher and joins us as a teacher from September. Maha is a newly qualified teacher, and Tilly, Emma and Peter are experienced teachers that join us from other schools. Sue and I were really impressed with all of them when we interviewed and observed them teaching and know that they will be great additions to the staff team.

Over the next few weeks, each class will spend a morning with their new teacher, including the new staff.

## Next Year

The end of the year is fast approaching and we are busy making plans for the year ahead. Please see below for who your child's teacher will be from September.

Nursery	Teacher: Dannie	with Amandla, Serena, Kazue
Reception 1	Teacher: Chris	with Charmaine
Reception 2	Teacher: Sharon	with Stephanie and Grace
Year 1 (Chris's current class)	Teacher: Peter	with Miranda and Grace
Year 1 (Connor's current class)	Teacher: Elio	with Fejiro
Year 2 (Elio's current class)	Teacher: Joanne	with Leah
Year 2 (Ana's current class)	Teacher: Aimee	with Shifa and Sharon W
Year 3 (Deborah's current class)	Teacher: Ana & Emma	with Kath
Year 3 (Dannie's current class)	Teacher: Talsia	with Kath and Shifa
Year 4	Teacher: Sue & Catherine	with Alexa and Tosin
Year 5	Teacher: Maha	with Nicola
Year 6 (Aimee's current class)	Teacher: Tilly	with Gino and Alicia
Year 6 (Sam/Roisin's current class)	Teacher: Connor	with Gino and Alicia

Deborah's current class will have both Ana and Emma, who will be job sharing approximately half the week each. Year 4 will have the same arrangement but with Sue and Catherine sharing the teaching responsibility.

We have a number of existing and new specialist additional teachers who will be working across the school:

Daniel, Sue Lynch and Del will continue to teach Music across KS1 and KS2.

Sam will be teaching Art in different classes across KS1 and KS2 as well as supporting in Year 6.

Billy is returning in July and will be back with us full time as sports coach for all year groups. Emanuela will continue to teach Dance to KS2.

Emma, one of our new teachers, will be spending part of her week teaching Computing in many of the classes.

Ana will continue to spend part of her week teaching Spanish in KS2 as well as doing some PPA (Planning, Preparation and Assessment) cover in the Early Years and KS1.

Charles will continue to provide reading support each morning for some children, and Rebecca will be continuing one day a week as a Maths intervention teacher. Catherine will be spending part of her week teaching Year 4 and the rest as the school's SENDCo (Special Educational Needs Coordinator).

# Fun Day

Following the success of our International Day, we have decided to hold our summer Fun Day in a similar way. It will be held on a Friday rather than the traditional Saturday we used to do pre-covid as this gets the highest attendance of pupils. The date has been set as Friday 8th July.

Games

Tombola

Bouncy Castle

WTW FUN DAY

Friday 8th July

3:30pm—7:00pm

Toys and Books

Raffle

BBQ

Food and Drink

Face painting

**We need your help...** We have asked the PTFA to collect prizes for the raffle.

Please contact Susan Roots [susanroots32@gmail.com](mailto:susanroots32@gmail.com) (parent of Lucy in Year 5) if you have any donations suitable for the raffle. There are always great prizes for children, adults and families. The tickets will be on sale from Wednesday 29th June. You can purchase tickets at the beginning and end of the school day from Sharon in the office, or at a table near the Fitzalan Street gate on some afternoons. Further details about raffle tickets and prizes to follow later.



We would be grateful for donations for the following stalls:

Toys

Books

Tombola (unwanted gift sets, sealed food and drink items such as tins, sealed perfumes etc.)

Bric-a-Brac (ornaments, photo frames, pictures etc.)

Refreshments\*

Please hand in any donations of the above to Sharon or Nicole in the office.

Please do not send in clothes or electrical items. We cannot sell these on the day and have very limited storage.

\*We would appreciate donations of food for our refreshments stall. Any homemade biscuits, cakes, savoury snacks etc. can be handed to the office with a clear label of what it is and the ingredients it contains. Please hand in any home-made or shop bought donations on the morning of Fun day and not before.

We would be grateful for volunteers to run the stalls on the day from 3:30pm. If you are able to do this, please email Nicole ([nlightfoot@wtwschool.co.uk](mailto:nlightfoot@wtwschool.co.uk)) so that we know how many volunteers we have. On the day we will allocate you a time and stall.