



Issue 25

22nd March 2024

Dates for the Diary

- March -

Yrs 3-6 Cross Country Competition at
St Francis – 27.03.24

Last Day of Term – 2pm finish
28.03.24

Easter Holidays 29.03.24 – 12.04.24

- April -

INSET DAY 15.04.24

Summer Term Begins 16.04.24

Year 4 Bikeability 17.04.24 – 19.04.24

Yrs R-2 - Road Safety Magic Show
22.04.24

Year 4 Carrot Wood 24.04.24 –
26.04.24

Year 5 Swimming begins 26.04.24

Yr 5 Football Rally at St Johns 26.04.24

Bag2School Collection 29.04.24

Yr 6 Football Rally at St Johns 30.04.24

- May -

SEND Coffee Morning 08.05.24

Census Day 16.05.24

Year 6 Trip 21.05.24

Year 6 Plant Sale 24.05.24

Half Term 27.05.24 to 31.05.24

- June -

Year 6 Residential Trip 10.06.24 –
14.06.24

Please note that all upcoming
events are also on the Woodlea
School Website

OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

Yr4 - Bikeability - 17th April - 19th April
2024

Years 3-6 - Cross Country at St Francis -
Wednesday 27th March 2024

Reminder Year 4 - British Museum -
Wednesday 20th March 2024

Reminder - Arithmetic Workshop - 21st
March 2024 - 5.30pm - 7pm

Reminder Book Fair - Today 19th March -
Wednesday 20th March 2024

Year 6 - Secondary School Destination
Infants Easter Sing Song - Wednesday
27th March @ 2.30pm

Mufti Day & Easter Fair - Friday 22nd
March

MENU

Week 1 – Autumn/Winter 2023/24

The menus are available on
Woodlea School Website

Woodlea Word

Poetry is not only dream and vision; it is the skeleton architecture of our lives. It lays the foundations for a future of change, a bridge across our fears of what has never been before – Audre Lorde (World Poetry Day 21st March 24)

Science Fair:

Thank you to those that attended the Science Fair, we hope that you enjoyed seeing the children's hard work, we always find this a rewarding experience for the children to take part in.



Lambs Trip to the British Wildlife Centre

Last week Lambs had an exciting trip to the British Wildlife Centre. They had a so much fun visiting and learning about the animals. Thank you very much to our parent helpers on this trip.



Year 3 Trip to Butsers Farm

Last week Year 3 travelled by coach to Butsers Ancient Farm. We stepped back in time to experience times in the Stone Age and Roman Britain. The roundhouse was very dark, and we were not expecting the fire. Next, we used tiles to make a Mosaic and then experienced being an archaeologist and finding artefacts. We had such a great time and wish to thanks the parent helpers!





Weekly Attendance

YR: 99.6% Y1: 97.9%

Y2: 99.1% Y3: 97%

Y5: 98.4% Y6: 94%

Winners

Year 6: 100%

Please remember school attendance is mandatory. Holidays should be planned for school holiday times to avoid missing school time.

If your child is absent, you must notify the school office every day before 9:10am at the latest.

Universal Credit

Did you know that the school receives extra funding for every child that is entitled to universal credit?

If you are entitled to universal credit, please do make sure that you come and make us aware in the school office. This means that we can access more funding for the school and for your child.

Amazon Wish Lists

[Year 6](#)

[Year 5](#)

[Year 4](#)

[Year 3](#)

[Year 2](#)

[Year 1](#)

[Lambs](#)

Football Match - Woodlea v Audley

Team: India P, Joshua S, Jake C, Oliver G, Oscar L, Harry W, William K, Josiah M, Cruz W & Calum G.

"Audley got the upper hand at kick off to get the first goal, but failed. A bit later, the ball went out for a throw in, and Jake took it. He took a long throw into the box where Josh was waiting to tap it in 1-0 Woodlea! Later, Woodlea got another throw in and not surprisingly Jake took it, put in the box and Calum scored. 2-0 Woodlea! Just before the second half, Jake took a free kick from the halfway line and bang! Jake scored! 3-0 Woodlea! The second half had started, Woodlea lost the ball, and our opponents got the attack and scored 3-1, Two minutes later, 3-2 and Audley were catching up but Woodlea lifted their heads up and Calum scored another goal. 4-2!

At the end of the game Woodlea got one more and final score was 5-2 to Woodlea."

Men of the Match: Calum and Jake

Head Teachers Awards:

Well done to the following children:

Lambs – Louisa B, year 1 – Louene M, year 2 – Miller R, year 3 – Jack Y, year 4 – Ethan S, year 5 – Charlie L and Oscar L, year 6 – Bea W

Arbor Task this week:

Please can you check your child's Transportation method on Arbor.

To do this you will need to:

Go on to the Arbor App

Go to your child's profile and scroll to Mode of Transport



Bag2School: Collection will be on **Monday 29th April at 9am.** Please leave donations on that date by the scooter shed.

Please see link which details what they will collect:

[What We Collect | Bag2School](#)



Screening

Parents have been enquiring as to why the green screening has been moved by the driveway. This was causing a safeguarding issue as children were hiding behind it and therefore for the safety of the children we have removed it.



The Dogs Trust:

On Monday and Tuesday this week we had a lady visit us from the Dogs Trust to run some workshops for years 1 to 6. These workshops covered many important messages that aim to ensure safe and mutually rewarding interactions between children and dogs. They focused on safety both within the home, as well as out and about in the community.

We have been sent the following links that they thought might be of interest:

'Dogs and children: living safely together'

<https://www.dogstrust.org.uk/dog-advice/life-with-your-dog/at-home/dog-and-child-safety>

Our Dogs Trust education site is full of useful safety information and the areas we cover in our workshops:-

<https://www.learnwithdogstrust.org.uk/>

<https://www.learnwithdogstrust.org.uk/safety/>



Donations of Tissues:

Thank you so much to those parents that have already donated, it has been very much appreciated. There are still lots of colds and snotty noses and unfortunately, we are running very low again. If you are able to spare a box of tissues, this would help us greatly. Any donations would be welcomed at the school office.