



WOODLEA
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Issue 7

17th October 2025

Dates for the Diary

- **October** -
 - Half Term 20.10.25 – 31.10.25
 - **November** -
 - Online Safety Workshop 04.11.25
 - Y4 – Saxon workshop 06.11.25
 - 2026 Intake Open morning 06.11.25
 - Parent evening early 10.11.25
 - Parent evening late 12.11.25
 - 2026 Intake Open morning 13.11.25
 - Coffee afternoon 17.11.25
 - Times table workshop 18.11.25
 - Flu Vaccinations 20.11.25
 - Maths workshop 24.11.25
 - 2026 Intake Open morning 27.11.25
 - Own clothes day 28.11.25
 - **December** -
 - Writing Workshop – 01.12.25
 - Own Clothes day 05.12.25
 - School Fair 06.12.25
 - KS1 nativity 09.12.25
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 - Lambs Carol Concert 12.12.25
 - Infant Xmas party 15.12.25
 - Rock Steady Concert 16.12.25
 - Junior Carol Concert 16.12.25
 - Christmas Lunch 17.12.25
 - Woodlea's Got Talent 17.12.25
 - Junior Carol Concert 17.12.25
 - Junior Xmas party 18.12.25
 - Last day of term (early finish) 19.12.25
- Please note more details regarding Christmas events will be sent after half term.

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

MENU

Week 1 Autumn./Spring Menu 25

The menus are available on [Woodlea School Website](#)

Woodlea Word

“Community is much more than belonging to something; its about doing something together that makes belonging matter” Brian Soils

Being Reflective: It has been a lovely week of whole school events, where we as a school community have come together to do things together. Thank you to all the staff, children and parents for supporting these events.

Sponsored Walk: On Monday, our whole school took part in our sponsored walk. KS1 walked 1.3 miles around the Downs, enjoying the beautiful views, nature, and chatting with their classmates. KS2 walked 3.3 miles around Marden Park and Woldingham, where they saw horses, cows, and calves, and had a wonderful time talking along the way. Last to walk were the Lambs, who did their part by walking around the Glebe. A big thank you to everyone in our community who sponsored the children — at last count they raised £600, which will be used by the School Council to fund projects chosen by the pupils. If you still wish to donate you can on Arbor.



KS1



KS2



Lambs





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Weekly Attendance

Lambs: 95.5% Y1 : 97.8%

Y2: 92.1% Y4 98.5%

Y5: 96.9% Y6: 94.7%

Winners

Y3: 99.6%

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](#)

[Outdoor Learning](#)

World Food Day:

As part of our programme of events to learn about our diverse world all the children celebrated **World Food Day** on Thursday. This was a new event for us. Each class learnt a little bit about the culture of the country the food came from and then had great fun making their dishes through the day. Thank you to all the parents who were able to attend to sample the food the children had made. The food seemed to go down very well, and parents seemed to enjoy the opportunity to chat together.

Lambs - Fruit Salad, Year 1 – Greek Dips, Year 2 – Jewelled Persian Parfait, Year 3 – Sushi, Year 4 – Swedish Biscuits, Year 5 – Apple Crumble & Year 6 – Pizza.



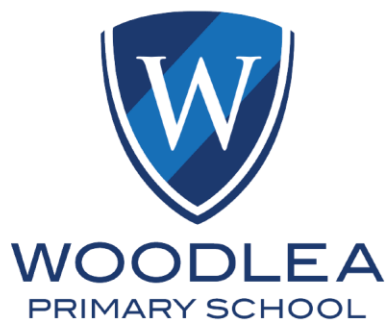
Harvest Festival Assembly on Friday saw all those present in school to celebrate Harvest and reflect. It is also special as it is the first time Lambs join the whole school for an assembly. It was lovely to see so many parents. Apologies for the start time confusion, our brains were a bit wobbly as it has been a busy week.



Lambs – Teddy Bears Picnic

Last week Lambs focused on the Nursery Rhyme “Teddy Bear Teddy Bear turn around.” This inspired us to have a Teddy Bear picnic on Friday. To get ourselves ready we made teddy toast, teddy biscuits and teddy sandwiches. The children’s culinary skills were put to the test, chopping, spreading, weighing and following a recipe.





School Uniform Link

[MyClothing](#)

Communications

All – Sponsored Walk Update

All – Autumn/Spring Menu

All – Parent Consultations

Year 5 – Fire visit

All – Reminder Harvest Festival

All – Reminder World Food Day

IMPORTANT DATES:

Year 6 Secondary School Entry - September 2025:

If your child is in year 6 you will need to apply for a secondary school place by **Friday 31st October 2025**.

Reception Place School Entry – September 2025:

If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022 you will need to apply for a school place. You can apply between **3rd November 2025 and 15th January 2026**.

If you live in Surrey, you can find out all you need to know about school admissions and apply online at www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions or you can call them on 0300 200 1004

Football v Hamsey W 13 - 0

On Tuesday the football team played their first match against Hamsey Green. The team played fantastically well and eventually came out winners by 13 goals to nil. There was a great team spirit and despite winning by a sizeable margin the team were respectful and showed great sportsmanship throughout towards Hamsey Green.

Team – Henry H, Max VTB, Aydan C, Luca S, Raffi S, Oliver H, Adam W, George B, Alfie J & Xavier B



Netball v Hamsey L 1 - 12

On Tuesday we played our first netball match against Hamsey Green. We all tried our hardest and had fun but unfortunately, we lost 12 – 1 (Clara scored the goal) We knew that they had won but we didn't put our heads down and kept trying which is all that matters. Team – Clara I, Maya S, Ellie K, Fay J, Scarlett N, Ava H & Olivia S

Meal Bookings:

Please can we ask that you make your meal booking choice on Arbor before the 24th October so that the catering team can order the food.

If you are packed lunch please still book this in as we will not know children that are bringing packed lunches to school.

A guide for booking can be found here:

[Meal Menu choices on the Parent Portal or Parent App – Arbor Help Centre](#)

The menus are attached to this week's Woodlea Word email.



Parent Consultations:

A reminder that parent consultations bookings are now open. To book please go on to Arbor:

Bookings can be made via the parent portal <https://woodlea.uk.arbor.sc/> or via the Arbor App. A guide for booking can be found by [clicking here](#)