

Wimborne First School



Diary dates

Rabbits Coffee & Croissants Assembly Friday 10 March: All welcome from 9.30, assembly starts at 10am.

PTFA Ouiz Night Friday 17 March See reverse for details.

Comic Relief Friday 24 March

See reverse for details.

Rabbits Tesco's Farm to Fork Trip Wednesday 29 March Letter to follow shortly.

Otters Coffee & Croissants Assembly Friday 31 March: All welcome from

Owls Tesco's Farm to Fork Trip Wednesday 5 April Letter to follow shortly.

9.30, assembly starts at 10am.

April PTFA Easter Egg Hunt

Thursday 6 April Information to follow shortly.

Whole school Easter Service at Wimborne Minster

Friday 7 April

Lunchtime Supervisors required ...



Calling all parents, we are currently looking for lunchtime supervisors. The working times are 11.45 -1.15pm and can be a permanent post or on an as and when basis. If you are interested in joining our team, please pop into the school office to collect an application form.

Simply the Best!

Welcome back to the spring term, hopefully we will soon start to have some sunshine and lighter nights.

A few staffing updates. Firstly, a big welcome to Mr Best our new Site Manager (right), please keep an eye out for him on the playground and say hello. He has previously been a Site Manager for two local schools and has

joined our team. We are so pleased that he decided to come and work with us, he will be a real asset to the team.

Mrs Land who has been with us for the last few years is moving on to new ventures, we wish her lots of luck with her new job, thank you for everything you have done for WFS.

We have two new Teaching Assistants joining us this term, Mrs Gerlach and Mrs Dean will be working with children across the school teams. Welcome!

Enjoy the rest of the spring term.

Mrs Hartley

Term Dates 2017 Spring Term 2017

Friday 7th April:

Last day of term, normal finish time.

Monday 10 April to Friday 21 April: Easter Holiday.

Summer Term 2017

Monday 24 April: Back to school. Monday 1 May: Bank Holiday.

Friday 26 May:

Last day of half term, normal finish time.

Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June: HALF TERM.

Monday 5 June: Staff training day. Tuesday 6 June: Back to school.

Friday 21 July:

Last day of term, 1pm finish.

Autumn Term 2017

Monday 4 & Tuesday 5 September: Staff Training Days.

Sainsbury's



"Let's get collecting.

We are collecting Sainsburys Active Kids vouchers again to help benefit the school.

If you have any to donate, simply pop the vouchers inside our special collection box in the school reception. A huge thank you to everyone who supported the school last year, we managed to purchase a great selection of sports equipment for our children to use in school.



All children can come to school wearing, red, funny hats or with their faces made up in support of Comic Relief. Children are also welcome to bring in a small donation for Comic Relief.

Middle School and Reception 2017 Applications

15 January 2017 was the closing date for applications for children starting Junior or Middle school in September 2017. Applications received after this date will be treated as a late application.

If DCC received your application before 15 January they will let you know the outcome on 18 April 2017. If DCC receive your application between 16 January and 17 April it will be treated as a late application. They will let you know the outcome on 19 May 2017.

If DCC receive your application after 17 April will be treated as an In Year Application.

School Lane

We would like to remind parents not to drive up school lane at the beginning and end of the school day.

There have been several complaints from families who walk up the lane that it is extremely unsafe.

Our school car park is also not to be used for parents to drop children off at school.

We have parking permits available to purchase in the school office that are valid on school days only from 8.35 - 9.10am and 3.10 - 3.30pm in the Westfield Close and Allenview Road car parks.

Permits cost £4 and are valid from September to July.

Thank you for your understanding.

PTFA Quiz Night Friday 17 March 7pm

TEST YOUR TRIVIA

he PTFA are once again hosting the very popular Quiz Night and this year it's colliding with St Patricks Day so expect an Irish twist or two!!

Come along and have some fun. The PTFA bar will be selling beer, wine, prosecco, soft drinks and snacks from 7.00pm and the Quiz will begin at 7.30pm. Quiz teams must contain a minimum of 4 people and a maximum of 8 but please do not worry if you can't get together a full team – come along anyway and we will have some non-allocated team tables for you to join. It's a great way to meet new people!

If you would like to join us, please remember to complete the form sent out and post in an envelope, along with the correct money in the PTFA post box located in the school Reception. Tickets will then be sent out in your child's bookbag.

HOT MEALS

In the next few weeks your child will be bringing home an order form for hot school meals. Please make sure all meal orders for the week commencing Monday 24 April are returned promptly.

All children who require hot school meals must return their menu otherwise they will not receive a meal.

There will also be a copy of the menu and order form on our school website.

BREAKFAST CLUB

We are now full on several mornings for Breakfast Club. Should you wish to use this service, please ensure you call the school office on 01202882532 to check availability and book a space.

Parents must bring their children into breakfast club and hand them over to a member of staff, please do not allow children to arrive on their own. Children are to arrive no later than 8.10am.

