Ellwood School News

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Half Price Book Fair

Next Wednesday (28th June), we will be receiving book cases packed with hundreds of fantastic Scholastic books. We are delighted to announce that we have permission to sell every single item (including stationery and quizzes) at HALF the marked price! We hope that this will be an ideal opportunity to stock up on a couple of books for the children's summer-holiday reading. Each class will hopefully have time on the first Wednesday (before the end of the school day if the cases arrive in time) to explore the books and other items that are available.

The Book Fair will be open each day after school from Thursday 29th June at approximately 3:20. Any remaining books will be collected by the Scholastic team on Wednesday 5th July. We have not as yet had confirmation of the collection time, so please don't wait until the final day to make your purchases as the cases may have been taken away by the time school finishes.

We hope you will support the Fair. As always, Scholastic has offered free books for the children's classrooms and libraries, depending on how much money is raised after the sale of the books. We look forward to seeing you at the Book Fair. Please look out for the posters around our school to remind you of the agreed dates.

Many thanks for your continued support with developing the children's enjoyment of reading.



Sports Day—Reminder

Just a reminder that Sports Day will take place on Tuesday July 4th, starting at 12.45 p.m. We are asking that children wear a t-shirt in the colour of their house.

Robin = red; Kingfisher = blue; Woodpecker = green and Goldfinch = yellow

More details will follow shortly regarding the running order of the day



Year 6 and Drama Club Production Friday July 14th

Year 6 and Drama Club are busy rehearsing for their amazing production of 'The Wizard of Oz'. The production will take place on Friday 14th July at 6p.m. at Lakers School.

Details regarding tickets will be sent out closer to the time.



Country Dance Festival

Thank you to all the Country Dancers who took part in the Country Dance Festival at Speech House on Thursday evening. Our country dancers were: *Maisie Edwards, Lilly Gomery, April Donoghue, Ella Biddington, Freya Leach, Isabelle Beard, Freya Breese, Emily Mitchell, Harriet Gane, Lola Aston and Immy Aston.*

Many thanks to all the parents/carers and staff who came along to support the children. It was a wonderful evening.



Spelling Challenge

The Spelling Challenge will take place on Friday 21st July. Please keep practicing the words with your children. If you have any concerns about the spellings please speak to your child's class teacher.



Greenwoods Nursery

Greenwoods Nursery are running the Mighty Oaks after school, breakfast club and holiday camp from 26th July—1st September.

Sessions start from 8 a.m. till 5 p.m. each day and is open to ages 5-14 years.

Sessions include breakfast, hot meal lunch and snacks.

For prices and further information please contact Greenwoods Nursery on 01594 836766 , gwnursery@hotmail.com or visit their facebook page.

Parent View

Just a reminder to log into the Parent View website and register your views. You log in via the schools website or directly at <u>www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk</u>

Dinner Debts

Could any outstanding dinner debts please be cleared as soon as possible. Your child's dinner account should be in credit before ordering school meals.

In future, meals will not be given, if your child's dinner account is in arrears and you will be contacted to bring in a packed lunch.

Thank you for your continued support.

Lakers School

In September 2017 Lakers School will become an academy and join the Greenshaw Learning Trust, under a new name 'Five Acres High School' and with a new Headteacher. A new local governing body for the school is being established from September 2017, so they are looking for new governors.

If you are interested in becoming a governor please contact Susanne Wicks for an informal chat on 020 87151078 or email <u>swicks@greenshawlearningtrust.co.uk</u>

<u>Sun Safe</u>

It has been a lovely sunny start to the Summer term and we are hoping for lots more sunshine. Please remember to send your child/children in with sunhats and apply sunscreen before they come to school. Children may bring sunscreen to school, but this may only be applied by themselves.

Thank you.



Diary Dates 2017

June 2017

-	Book Fair (Thurs 29th - Wed 5th July)
-	Sports Day - 12.45 p.m. start
-	Sports Day (Reserve Date)
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Thurs 13th July-Brass Mini Concert (Y4)Fri 14th July-Wizard of Oz Production - Lakers

- 4th July Wizard of Oz Production Lakers School 6p.m.
- Fri 21st July Whole School Spelling Challenge
- Fri 21st July End of Term BBQ (6 8 p.m.)
- Mon 24th July Showcase afternoon (from 1.30) more details to follow
- Tues 25th July End of Term 2 p.m. finish