



Dear Walter Families,

So another week has whizzed by! This has been a lovely week in school and the children have participated well in all their learning; we had lots of practical mathematics in Year 2 learning about capacity, some incredible portraits of her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and writing all about the Lock Ness Monster in Year 1 and the most amazing inside PE games in Foundation stage 2.

It is of course very hot; we are keeping the children inside for PE as it is too hot to run around in the sun for long. We will limit the time the children are outside for play, although we do have lots of shade. Remember to follow these guidelines before sending your child into school each day. Thank you.





Walter Infant School and Nursery's <u>SCHOOL FAIR!</u> Saturday 9th July 2022

The PTA are working so hard to get organised for our Summer Fair; this is our biggest fundraising event and we are hoping to raise more money than ever this year. We need a new bike shelter and we would love to have some outside gym equipment for the children to use for exercise as well as fun. I am sure the PTA have lots of ideas too; they all ready do so much to support the school and our wonderful children. Our freezer is fit to burst at the moment with ice lollies ready for sports day! Please come to the fair to help us raise as much money as we can, and tell your family, friends and neighbours too.

The PTA have opened up the volunteer signing site; please help out if you can.

Volunteer opportunities for the Summer Fair on Saturday 9th July 2022 are now open.

Please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

volunteersignup.org/8FD8D



Summer Fair 2022

Volunteer signup sheet

volunteersignup.org

We will be having a non-uniform day in return for a donation towards the tombola stalls, on Friday 1st July 2022. We would like the Foundation 1 and 2 children to bring sweets and chocolates and the Key Stage 1 children to bring a bottle; this could be alcoholic or not, or could be a bottle of bubble bath! We will send out a reminder closer to the time although it is not long now.

We would love to have more members ~ it is a wonderful way to support your children's school and to develop friendships within the community. We will need a new chairperson in 2023 so now is the time to get involved and find out how everything slots together.







Year 2 Leaver's Disco

Our annual Year 2 Leaver's Disco will take place on Thursday 14th July at 4:30 pm; this is always organised by our PTA and the Year 2 children love it! Please could you let the PTA know if you are able to help. It is really good fun and will be a very happy memory for you to share with your child. walterinfantspa@gmail.com



Fund Raising for Ukraine

Our amazing School Counsellors have raised over £250 for Ukrainian Refugees and we are also so incredibly proud of them. Next week is National Refugee Week so all the children will be learning a lot more about what it means to be a refugee. We still have a lot of sunflower pictures to buy which we will keep displayed throughout Refugee Week. If you would like to buy one, please visit in the morning between 8:40 and 8:55 am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday or Friday. We really appreciate your support and the school council members feel SO pleased!



St. Paul's School Fair



Stars of the Week

As it is so hot we did not have an assembly today; I visited all our wonder stars in the classroom.



Superhero of the week!

Connor in Sycamore Class, who is a Playground Pal this week flew into action as he saw a large plastic dice hurtling towards Miss Dutton. He dived into the air to catch the dice before it hit Miss Dutton on the head. He then crashed to the floor and had lots of cuts and grazes. What a hero! Just goes to show not all superheroes wear capes, some wear hi-vis bibs! He was rewarded with an ice pop and a values badge! Well done Connor; you showed amazing kindness.



Sports Days 2022

Sports Day for Year 1 and Year 2 is on Friday 24th June on St Paul's Field, all parents and carers welcome from 9:00 until about 11:15. Please be mindful that this is subject to the weather conditions. Please ensure that you child has their water bottle, a sun hat and suncream applied.

UK long range weather forecast

Tuesday 21 Jun - Thursday 30 Jun

Throughout much of this period, most areas could experience dry conditions with occasional bright spells and some sunshine. There is a risk of showers, thundery at times, in the south, where it is more likely to be cloudier than elsewhere, however these areas are still expected to receive some sunny spells. The north also has a risk of longer spells of rain at times, which may spread to most areas through the middle of the period. Temperatures around normal, perhaps slightly warmer further south and cooler in the north with the chance of some stronger winds here. Towards the end of June the best of the sunshine is expected in the south and east, bringing slightly warmer temperatures with it,

Foundation Stage Sports Day has moved to Monday 11th July at 2:00 pm due to unforeseen circumstances. Families (including younger siblings) welcome.

while the north and west may see more unsettled spells.

Bodhi the Pirate Dog

We are very excited to announce that Bodhi the Pirate Dog, and its owner, children's author Alison H. Simpson will be at school on Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th July 2022. This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to meet a real-life author and her dog Bodhi (I think Walter will enjoy the visits).



Please follow this link to buy a copy in advance:

Please place your order by Wednesday 6th July at ~

www.bodhithepiratedog.com/shop giving your child's name, class and the school address as the delivery address. (Paypal and Card payments accepted) Books are £8.99. If the delivery charges are not automatically deducted, please use discount code SCHOOLVISIT

If you would like any books signed, you can add a note to your Paypal payment or email alisonhsimpson@hotmail.com to confirm the name(s) you would like the book(s) signed to. Cash/card payments can be accepted after school, but it's advisable to place your order beforehand.

We already have a copy for each class and it is lovely.

Excellent work in Class

These children have all excelled in their learning and shown us skills that they have developed THIS week!



- We have Maypole Dancing 22nd June all day
- KS1 Sports Day 24th June in the morning at St Paul's with parents
- FS Sports Day Monday 11th July in the afternoon.
- 9th July (Saturday) School Fair
- 12th and 13th July Year 2 Performance "The Bee Musical"
- 14th July Leavers Disco 4:30 6:00pm
- 19th July Leavers Assemblies (Y2) x 3
- 19th July End of Term~ finishing an hour early

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