



Friday Flyer!

Dear Walter Families,

This has been an amazing week for Walter Infant School and Nursery; every member of the school team is bursting with pride due to the success, behaviour and achievements of our wonderful children and dedicated team of adults in all roles.

Phonics Screening in Year 1 and Year 2

We have completed 101 phonics screening checks so far this week, with 2 left to complete next week for children who were absent. The children were so proud to share the knowledge and understanding of phonics and we are delighted to say that every one of them was 'The best they could be!' Well done Year 1 and Year 2.

Moderation in Year 2

We were visited on Monday afternoon by two moderators from the Department of Education to look at the Year 2 children's work and to moderate our teacher assessment judgements. The moderators were so impressed that they have asked if we can share our expertise with other schools next year. I would like to congratulate the whole of the Year 2 team, who have expertly built on the children's previous successes and of course the children, who never let us down and always try their best.

Foundation Stage Assemblies

Woodpecker, Dove and Magpie classes had their first ever assemblies in the hall for three huge audiences! The children were amazing; they sang beautifully, read clearly and presented their work confidently! It was a pleasure to see how much progress they have made academically and socially and every adult was bursting with pride!



Woodpecker Count Down!



Dove getting ready to sing!



Magpie reading their amazing writing!

The Summer Fair

PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

Tomorrow is our Summer Fair; the PTA hope to raise £7000 so we will need lots of helpers and lots of donations! It is not too late to volunteer, please log on to register as a volunteer using this link: <https://www.volunteersignup.org/CQBDX>

The Raffle and Silent Auction Prizes are amazing; well worth buying tickets for or making a bid following this link:

<https://www.biddingowl.com/Auction/index.cfm?auctionID=12072> Bidding continues until 1.15pm on the day of the fair.

The whole school is full of cakes!



Thank you to so many members of our PTA who are working so hard getting everything ready for tomorrow.



Please cross your fingers for good weather.

This year we will have a draw for a lucky programme; the prize is a bottle of champagne. The draw will take place at the very end of the fair as the finale! We have some exciting events to entertain you throughout the day:


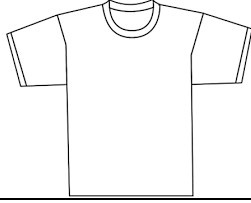
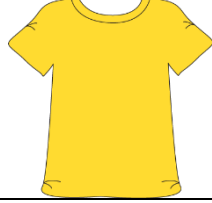
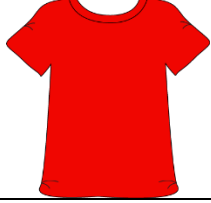
- The Fair starts at 11:00 am
- 12:00 Reading Sax Quartet
- 1:00 Walter Infant School Singers
- 1:15 THE RAFFLE!!!!
- 1:45 Walter Infant School Dancers with Miss Joanna

Thank you so much to all the businesses who have sponsored our event; we are all so excited in school for the best Summer Fair EVER!

Key Stage 1 Sports Day

We are so sorry that we had to postpone our Key Stage 1 Sports Day!

Key Stage 1 Sports day for Year 1 and Year 2 is taking place from 9:00 am on Friday 21st June 2019 on St Paul's Junior School field. All families are welcome to come and watch. It is a fun filled event where all the children work in teams together. The teams this year are Australia, China, England and the USA. Your children have received a letter explaining which team they are in and which colour t-shirt to wear.

			
England	USA	Australia	China

Each child will need to wear shorts and suitable footwear and have a sun hat. Please apply sun cream if you think your child will need it before coming to school. We cannot apply cream to your child. Please ensure they bring their water bottles. The PTA will provide ice lollies at the end. If we have to cancel again due to wet weather, we will inform you by text at 8:00 am.



A quick practice session!

Safety by the Emmbrook!

Please can I remind you of how dangerous the brook near school can be; this week a member of staff saw a little boy dipping his shoes into the fast flowing water on Tuesday during the particularly bad weather! He had to be pulled back to safety. Please make sure you take very special care.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 15th June 2019 Summer Fair

Friday 21st June Key Stage 1 Sports Day

Wednesday 10th July Violin Concert at 9:00

Friday 12th July Foundation Stage Stay and Play

Friday 12th July I-Rock Concert

Tuesday 16th July 2:00 pm Pine Leaver's Performance for parents

Wednesday 17th July 2:00 pm Sycamore Leaver's Performance for parents

Thursday 18th July 2:00 pm Willow Leaver's Performance for parents

Friday 19th July last day of term finishing 1 hour early at 2:15/2:20 pm.

And finally.....

If you are unable to attend the Summer Fair but would like to make a donation towards our fundraising, please speak to Mrs Janes in the office. We have booked the climbing frame and river and grass surface as well as the trim trail to be installed in the summer holidays and we don't yet have enough money!!!! Thank you as always for your continued support.

Judy Wheeler; Headteacher 14th June 2019