

# Wargrave Church of England Primary School



## Newsletter



Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

### Rosh Hashanah

During Thursdays assembly, Miss Epstein talked to the whole school about the Jewish New Year 'Rosh Hashanah' which began at sundown on Wednesday evening. During this celebration, Jews traditionally eat symbolic foods such as apples/cakes dipped in honey which represents having a 'sweet new year'. Each class were given apples and honey for them to taste afterwards.



### Staff Car Park

Following on from last weeks newsletter, we would like to re-iterate that the school car park is for staff only. The time restraints we have in place as set out in our car park policy are as follows:

**Parents dropping off at breakfast club can enter the car park until 8.15am and the car park re-opens at 3.45pm. The only exceptions to this are parents with blue badges who have agreed permission following individual meetings held with them last term.**

We request that all parents from Nursery through to Y6 please adhere to these. There are increasing numbers of cars attempting to gain access on the carpark at the start and end of school which is a danger to children and staff trying to enter/leave school, particularly when there are delivery vehicles here also.

Please use the pedestrian gate and NOT walk through the vehicle gates when dropping off/collecting children. We would appreciate all co-operation with this as the safety of all children is a priority.

The following information has been passed on from the school nurses. This is a guide to the milestones in your child's development from birth to five years old. The ages given are averages and many children will gain one skill earlier than another.

<http://www.nhs.uk/Tools/Pages/birthtofive.aspx>

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## Attendance

The winners of the attendance Bears from last weeks attendance are as follows:

KS1: Reception Mrs Yeates & Y1 Miss Epstein -  
Both classes at 100%

KS2: Year 4a Mr Holcroft & Y6a Mrs Kamczyk -  
Both at 100%

Well done to these classes!



## Important Dates to Remember:

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct - Nursery Open Day 1pm - 3pm  
5<sup>th</sup> Oct - Y5 & Y6 Eucharist at Church 10am  
20<sup>th</sup> Oct - Half Term

## Y2 - Y6 Children

From Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Sept Y2 - Y6 children who attend Breakfast/After School club can be dropped off/collected via the main office until the footpath outside the new room has had the tarmac laid and is ready for foot traffic.



Hope Academy

Open Day for Y4, Y5 & Y6 - Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September  
from 9:00am until 12pm



Principal and Senior Staff  
Presentations: 9:15am and 10:15am

To book a personal tour with a member of the leadership team contact Mrs Lesley White  
01744 671947 • [lesley.white@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:lesley.white@sthelens.org.uk)



## Uniform Price Increase

Due to our uniform suppliers increasing the prices of certain items we have had to reflect that in the price we charge. As from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017 the following items will be charged at:

**PE Kits:** £11.50 for full kit sizes 24" - 32"  
£12.50 for sizes Small, Medium & Large

**Name Labels:** £2.20 for 15  
£3.50 for 30

All other uniform items will remain at the same price until further notice. Thank you

## Appointments

Please try to make Doctors/Dentists appointments outside of school hours where possible. Lots of learning hours are lost due to children leaving early/arriving late. Thank you.

## Tesco Appeal

Don't forget to get your tokens from Tesco at the checkout and pop them in our section of the appeal box located near the exit at Earlestown and Haydock Tesco. Our application is for funding to purchase a polytunnel and refurb the allotment/garden bedding boxes on the infant playground. Voting is open until 31<sup>st</sup> October and we will know 4 weeks after this if we are successful. We will eventually need help from parents and volunteers and we will let you know when we start to organise this.

**Please ask all your family and friends to vote for our school in the local Tesco in Earlestown and also in Haydock.**

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