

# WEXHAM COURT PRIMARY SCHOOL



Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2016

## Important Dates:

- \* Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May – SATs week
- \* Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May – SATs meeting for Year 2 Parents (3:30-4pm)
- \* Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Phonics meeting for Reception Parents (2:30-3pm)
- \* Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Reception children (sight & hearing tests 9-1pm)
- \* Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> May – Reception children (sight & hearing tests 9-1pm)

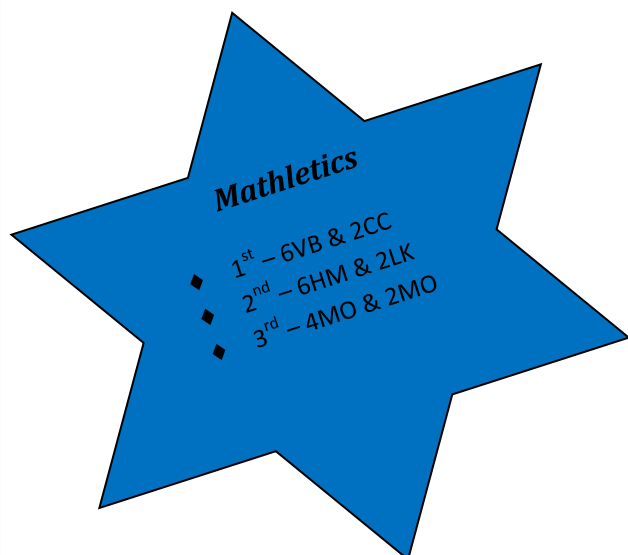
## *Wexham's Amazing Awards and Achievements Wall of Fame!*

### **Spellodrome**

- ♣ Year 6 – Adib
- ♣ Year 5 – Bazil, Alyssa
- ♣ Year 4 – Dhilan, Caliste
- ♣ Year 3 – Zara, Karly, Huma
- ♣ Year 2 – Abbi, Zakaria, Freddie

### **Top Attendance**

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Peru – 100%!!
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Chile – 99.7%
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Mozambique & China – 99.3%



### ***Stars of the Week***

Hedgehog RSB  
Badger RVS  
Squirrels RKW  
Fiji 1RV  
Tonga 1FLB  
Australia 1MS  
Mexico 2CC  
Jamaica 2LK  
Canada 2MO  
Chile 3SF  
Peru 3MT

Mohamed O.  
Lenon  
Theyas  
Manveer  
Evadne  
Caycee  
Kavan  
Aarez  
Naqi  
Adam  
Sanam

Ecuador 3TG  
Morocco 4AM  
Tanzania 4KG  
Mozambique 4MO  
Italy 5BC  
France 5CK  
Hungary 5LH  
Nepal 6SB  
Thailand 6VB  
China 6HM

Ayaan L.  
Maheen  
Simone  
Suha  
Alan  
Aksah  
Manav  
Zain A.  
Sahannah  
Khuzaam

Dear Parents/Carers,

[Please see below important information regarding SATs week.](#)

### **SATs Week - For Our Amazing Year 6**



I wrote to you last week about the National Year 6 Tests, which will take place for the whole of next week. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our current Year 6 for their continued hard work. They are a super year group who have worked hard to achieve great successes already. Whenever I go into their classrooms I am always impressed by how hard they are working and how determined they are to succeed. I hope they achieve all they deserve as I know they are really ambitious and want to do well. We have spoken to them about getting a good night's sleep, eating well and ensuring that they arrive to school on time – please help them to ensure this. Also, I would like to remind parents that we will be offering Year 6 pupils a free breakfast next week from Monday to Thursday and that pupils should arrive from 08:30 onwards. This is a great opportunity for them to relax before the test and ask any questions. The pupils will not be able to re-sit any missed or late tests so please ensure the pupils are in all week on time.

Please visit this link for further information from the government on SATs:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/2016-national-curriculum-tests-for-key-stages-1-and-2-information-for-parents>

Please do not book any dentist or doctor appointments for Year 2 or Year 6 children next week as children arriving late may will disturb their peers who will be completing tests. I appreciate that there are difficulties in securing health appointments as it is, however, I urge you to consider the needs of the children who have been working hard to achieve well in their tests.

### Key Stage 1 SATS

Please note that between Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May and half term, the children will be taking their SATS tests for reading, writing, maths, spelling and grammar. It is **vital** that your child attends school **every day** during these weeks. If your child is absent, they will miss out on some essential revision and practise for the tests, as well the tests themselves, which they will have to sit at a later date.

Also please note that we will be having a meeting for parents on **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 3:30pm** regarding the Year 2 SATs, please come along for further key information about the tests.

Thank you, Mrs Fotheringham, Miss Cook and Miss Killen.

### Stranger Danger

You may have heard in the local press about an attempted abduction of a pupil at Lynch Hill School in Britwell. The man was very well described as *“white, young looking maybe in his mid-twenties, with green eyes, a tattoo on his left arm, wearing glasses, with brown hair flicked or gelled back and of thin build”*. Please ensure that you talk to your children about making sure that they do not leave the school with anyone else apart from you, even if it is a family friend. I am always shocked at how easily children walk off with others, despite our constant efforts to promote stranger danger. Often children are confused by the danger coming from a family friend or a well-dressed person. There is always an adult on the gate at Wexham as a precaution, however many of our children walk home alone.

### Orienteering Competition

On Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April, 12 children from Year 5 took part in an orienteering competition at Langley Grammar. Our school came 5<sup>th</sup> – congratulations to all the children who took part – orienteering is a tricky sporting event and all the children did so well to learn these skills and apply them against many other schools.

### Year 4 Tennis Session



As part of their course, some students from Wexham Secondary School invited some of the younger children at Wexham Court Primary School to take part in a fun Tennis session. Year 4 children were chosen to participate in this and the day as a whole went very well. The children learnt some rules and played a mini

competition which was led by the Wexham Secondary students. All children left with a certificate and the top 3 pairs of children were awarded with Bronze, Silver and Gold medals!



### Lost Property

Please could you check if your child has accidentally taken home some grey Nike Airmax trainers. A child from 4MO has lost a pair which were new and is obviously very upset. Please could you check your child's PE bags as they may have accidentally picked them up?

### Library Opening Times

The Library is open on Friday afternoons from 3.15 -3.45pm for families to come and choose books for the weekend together.



***Parents please talk to your pupils about the following topics so that your children have a more in-depth and varied knowledge.***

***Next Week's Assembly Theme:***

***Spending and Saving***

***Collective Worship:***

***Yom Ha'atzma'ut (Jewish) / Pentecost (Christian)***

***British Value Focus:***

***Individual Liberty***

Kind Regards,  
Miss Mehat and the team