

WEXHAM COURT PRIMARY SCHOOL



Monday 7th March – Friday 11th March 2016

Important Dates:

- * Monday 14th March – Year 6 Easter Visit to Slough Baptist Church
- * Monday 14th March – Sports Relief Golf for Year 4
- * Wednesday 16th March – Year 1 Trip to Saint Marys Church
- * Wednesday 16th March – Sports Relief Cricket for Year 5
- * Wednesday 16th March – Year 2 Tesco talk re Easter
- * Thursday 17th March – Sports Relief Yoga for Years 3-6 / Sports Relief events in Nursery & Reception
- * Thursday 17th March – Sports Relief Boxercise for Year 3
- * Friday 18th March – Sports Relief – walk a mile – children can wear red
- * Monday 21st March – World Book Day
- * Tuesday 22nd March – Easter Bonnet Parade for Nursery & Reception
- * Tuesday 22nd March – Space Dome Year 5
- * Thursday 24th March – Year 4 Viola Concert at Slough Arts & Music Festival (The Centre, Chalvey)

Wexham's Amazing Awards and Achievements Wall of Fame!

Spellodrome

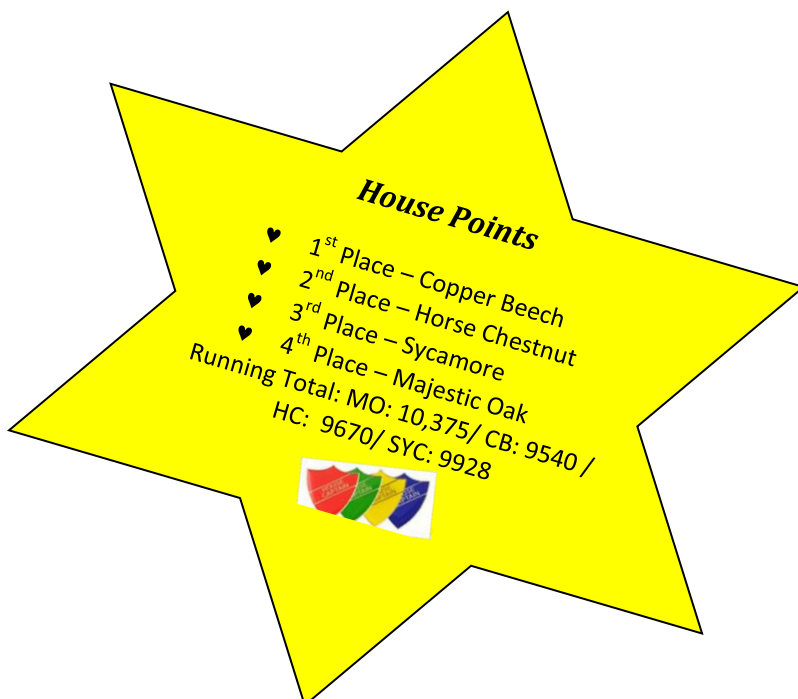
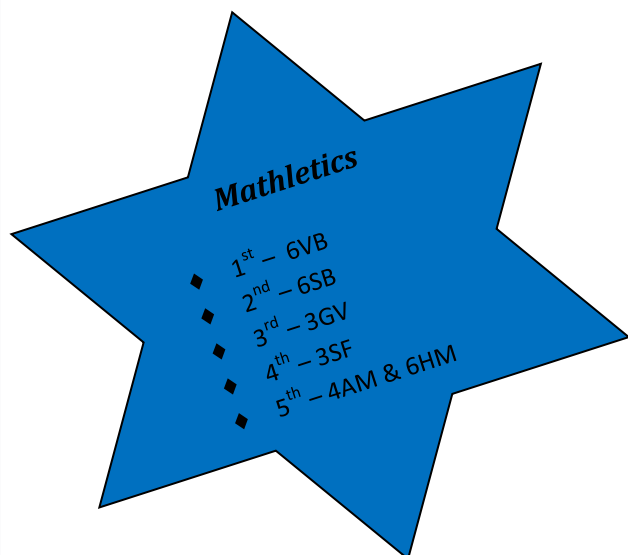
- Year 6 – Madiha, Sabiyah, Khuzaam
- Year 5 – Muzammil, Ysabella
- Year 4 – Shamila, Hammad, Cerys
- Year 3 – Amina, Karly, Amyrah
- Year 2 – Isra, Adam, Shyanne

Top Attendance

1st Hungary, China & Nepal – 100!!

2nd – Tonga – 99.3%

3rd – Ecuador – 98.7%



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 3GV

Sirraaj
Rehmat
Inaya
Safyan
Zoya
Taranjeet
Maria
Melissa
Aanya
Maggie
Rehan

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

Fassi
Tafheem
Zayn
Louisa
Hasan M.
Aaminah
Madison
Liaba
Jerimiah
Harry

Dear Parents/Carers,

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT YOUR CHILDREN CAN WEAR RED FOR SPORTS RELIEF ON FRIDAY 18TH MARCH 2016!

World Book Day & Readathon

We will be holding our annual “dress up” day on **Monday 21st March** and children can come to school dressed as a character from one of their favourite books. On this day, we will also be inviting visitors into school to read to the children. If you would like to volunteer for this, please speak to your child’s class teacher. There will be many other fun events and competitions during the week.

Starting on 21st March, we will also be starting to take part in a very exciting

Readathon; a sponsored read to raise money for charity. Readathon is the UK’s only

national sponsored reading event for schools. The money raised helps the charity Readathon to regularly give brand new books and storyteller visits to children’s hospitals across the UK. As well as encouraging pupils to read for fun, our school will get free books worth 20% of our sponsorship total – so there really is something in it for everyone.



Children can be sponsored to read between 21st March to 15th April and we will be handing out sponsorship cards and further information.

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.



Netball Tournament



The Wexham Court Primary School Netball team attended an interschool tournament on Tuesday 8th March 2016 at Langley Grammar School. The tournament consisted of 24 teams from 18 different schools. It was very cold and we even had a bit of snow but the children remained resilient, putting in a great effort throughout the day. The team consisted of 9 Year 6 children who eventually came out in 3rd place in their group. It was great to see them smiling throughout the day and I hope you will join me in congratulating the children for the immense effort and dedication which they have put in to make this day possible! Thanks, Mr Dhillon.

Year 3 Tesco Trip

Year 3's Tesco trip was a huge success! All of the children behaved wonderfully and had a chance to taste a variety of new, healthy, snacks. This was part of the school's focus on healthy eating. This is an important topic being looked at across the school as we want to encourage our children to have a healthy lifestyle. Please do ask them about it! Miss Tierney.



Sport's Relief 2016



Next week is SPORTS RELIEF!

Sports relief has finally arrived! Next week at Wexham our children will be very active indeed. Throughout the week your child will be participating in a range of sports; however, the main event will be on Thursday (Nursery and Reception) and Friday (Years 1-6) where the children will be running (or walking) 1 mile around the school premises! On the day of their event, **they can come to school dressed in as much red as possible.**

Please sponsor your child to complete their walk (sponsorship can be any amount, however small or large) and bring the money into the office during the week beginning 21st March.

We are very much looking forward to this exciting week. Please see a list of dates and events below. You will be able to read all about the exciting events in next week's newsletter!

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P.E Kits

Please could all parents remember that children's PE kits should be brought into school on Monday morning and left at school until Friday, when they should be taken home and washed. Please also ensure that the P.E. kit contains trainers or plimsolls. You will appreciate that this is particularly important in the coming week, with various Sports Relief events taking place throughout the school.

Revision to Key Dates

Please could parents note that our end of term dates for the rest of the school year are as follows:

Break for Easter Holidays on Thursday 24th March at 12pm

Break for Summer Holidays on Wednesday 20th July at 12pm.

George Green Football Club

We are a local football club based in George Green, we play at Harvey Memorial Recreation Ground, George Green Road, SL3 6BJ. We are looking to start a new team with current Year 1 pupils, boys and girls, with them playing matches from September when they become Year 2. The coaches are FA Qualified, (UEFA B License), DBS checked, First Aid Qualified and with the relevant Safeguarding Certificate.

As a club we would like to offer your pupils the chance to play football, and have lots of fun as well as making new friends. The training will be free of charge, this is to see if the children like and enjoy.

I am more than happy to come to your school to coach a session for your Year 1 pupils on a mutually agreed date, a taste to see if they would like to come down and be coached every Saturday.

We will be holding our first training session for Year 1 pupils on Saturday 2nd April starting at 11 for one hour.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to hearing from you.

Stephen Hale, George Green Juniors Football Club, FA Grassroots Youth Development Coach of the Year 2014

If you could email Mrs Mian at amian@wexhamprimary.com to express your interest, we can see if there is enough interest to arrange a coaching session for Year 1.

Parking

Once again, I have received complaints from the residents of Moat Drive who are finding their driveways blocked by our parents. The Slough Borough Council are now consulting on stricter parking restrictions in the area as this is causing such a problem. The situation is becoming quite volatile between the residents and parents and I would be grateful if you could please make the effort to park responsibly and with consideration for the local residents.

Litter

Despite repeated requests not to litter, at the end of the day there is still rubbish around the site such as crisp packets. It is really inappropriate and I really do not think that we want the children to be in a school that looks so dirty. Please could we make a concerted effort to make sure that litter is thrown away in the dustbins provided and not thrown on the floor.

Miscellaneous

A reminder to all parents that Parent Consultations are coming up in the week of 21st March 2016. Letters will be going out shortly with further details.

Thank you to all parents who attended the Phonics Workshops in Nursery. We do hope you find these workshops a useful tool in helping your children on the path to learning to read.

Just to make parents aware that our Assistant Head Mrs Chahal and our Specialist Maths Lead Mrs Woodman are both approaching maternity leave after Easter. I am sure you will join with me in wishing them all the best and we look forward to welcoming them back in the future.

Kind Regards,
Miss Mehat and the team

Next Week's Assembly Theme:
Collective Worship:

Sports Relief
Nanakshahi New Year (Sikh) / St Patrick's Day / Palm Sunday (Christian)