



NORTHWOOD *news*

Friday 26th April

MISS HUSSEY SAYS...



Please remember to send in your reply slips for our Open Morning. We hope you can join us next Friday May 3rd.

Stars



of the week!

Beech

Jade Brooks
Rossen Martin
Alex Staples

Elm

Caitlin Chessell
Billy Backshall
Joel Mew

Oak

Rowenn Churchill
Daniel Searle
Nakita Munn

Aspen

Jack Nutter
Esmé Tilling
Maddie Westley

Lime

Sam Porter,
Nakita Wareham
Mollie Butler
Reuben Sowerby
Tom Mahoney
Melissa Cataler

Fund Raising

Daniel Searle, Tilly Butler, Ben Tickner, Kieran Brodie, Poppy Methold and Missy Chisholm have been busy fund raising for the Hospice and the Kissy Puppy appeal. They have raised a total of £33.57. Well done! We are very proud of you.

Yoga

A reminder that Nathalie Le Pen, Genevieve and Tristan's mum, is holding a Yoga Class in school on Wednesday evenings from 7 - 8pm. Please contact Nathalie on 07570 799569 to sign up or visit www.nathalielepen.com

Thank you

A big thank you to Andy Butler, Mollie and Tilly's dad, for donating his time and materials to improve our school field.

Jumble Sale

The local Ladies Circle will be holding their annual jumble sale at Northwood Scout Hut on **Saturday 11th May**. If you have any donations of books, toys or clothes please see Mrs Mumford in Cherry.

Sunscreen

The recent warm and sunny weather has been very welcome. Hopefully there will be more to come. So please apply sun cream to your child before school and send them in with a named bottle so that they can re-apply during the day.

School Menu

The menu is online and next week we will be sending home a paper copy for the rest of the term.

GET TO KNOW YOUR GOVERNORS

Every week we will be publishing a little bit of information about our Governors.

This week we begin with Wendy Bluestone, our Chair of Governors.



My husband and I chose to send our three children to Northwood Primary because we wanted them to go to a school where they would have the very best start to their school life and be happy. Which they were and they did!

I have been a governor here for many years. I am in school every week so that I keep up to date on the day to day happenings whilst ensuring that I maintain my strategic view of the school. I like to get involved in the what is going on from Community Build Week to decorating in the holidays!

Other aspects of my life include ice skating badly but loving it; spending too much time doing my craft work; having a great husband who doesn't mind us running out of milk, bread and eggs all the time; being a trustee of a local charity and last but not least being a governor of our wonderful school.

Sarah Hussey and her leadership team, together with the governors are determined to ensure that your children continue to receive the best experience possible during their time at Northwood.

Dates for the Summer Term.

APRIL:

MAY:

- 2nd (Thursday) Big Sharing assembly: Key Stage 1
- 3rd Open Morning
- 6th Bank Holiday - no school
- 10th Big Sharing assembly: Key Stage 2
- 10th PTA Quiz night
- 13th (all week) Year 6 and year 2 SAT's
- 20th Year 6 residential or IW activities
- 24th Break up for half term

JUNE:

- 3rd (Monday) Back to school
- 6th Mini tennis: year 3/4 @ Gurnard
- Week commencing 10th: Community Build
- 19th Area athletics: year 5/6 @ Gurnard
- 20th and 21st Southern Road - year 4 penfriends visit
- 21st Hampshire Games
- 27th Handball: year 5/6 @ Queensgate

JULY:

- 2nd KS2 Sports Day
- 3rd KS1 Sports Day & Gardening Club Trip to the Royal Parks
- 4th – Apple Fun Day
- 4th and 5th – Year 6 transition to Secondary School

- 10th – Move Up Day
- 13th Primary Games
- 15th Apple Assembly
- 16th Cherry Assembly
- 17th Willow Assembly
- 18th Elm Assembly
- 19th Oak Assembly
- 22nd Beech Assembly & Year 6 Leaver's Outing
- 23rd 'Oliver' at Medina Theatre
- 24th Forest Walk and Last Day.

DATA COLLECTION

Next week we will begin sending out our data collection sheets. It is very important that you check and amend these as required - especially contact details and medical information. Thank you.

Open Morning Reminder

Next Friday 3rd May

- 9.00 am - Tour of the school
- 10.00 am - Refreshments in the Hall
- 10.30 am - Assembly

Please come and join us.



Quiz Night on 10th May at 7pm.

This will be £5 per person and will include a chilli, rice and nacho supper.

Please can we ask for a maximum of 6 per team. There will also be a raffle and silly games!

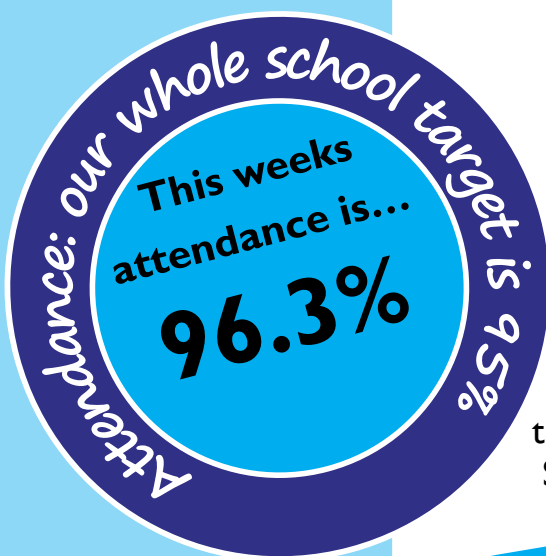
Tickets on sale now!

Summer Fayre

The date for the **Summer Fayre** is **Saturday May 18th**. 12.00 - 2.30pm.

You should have received a letter requesting donations this week.

Thank you for the donations already received.



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