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Philippians 2.15

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Friday April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Year 6 SATS Information Meeting**

Thank you to those parents who attended the SATS information meeting yesterday. The presentation was emailed out to parents today. If you have any questions, please see your child's teacher.

**Author Visit**

We have Sam Copeland coming to share his books with the children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 on the 30<sup>th</sup> April. The letter with the links for ordering books is attached with this newsletter.

**Year 6 Swimming**

The Year 6 children in Group A start swimming at Chipping Norton Leisure Centre this week. They will need their swimming costumes, a hat and a towel in school on Tuesday morning.

**A message from the Governors**

You should have received an email including a survey for parents enabling you to share your thoughts about Wychwood School and the qualities that you would value in a new head. The survey is split into two sections, one for you to complete with your own views (page 1) and one to complete with your child to understand theirs (page 2). It is specifically brief and simplistic so we can build up a 'word picture' of your views but please remember that if you have any more in-depth feedback or concerns about the recruitment process, you can contact the governing body by email on [governors@wychwood-pri.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:governors@wychwood-pri.oxon.sch.uk)

If you haven't yet had a chance to respond to the survey the link is here:-

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/6PGJFJD>

Please respond by close of Friday 3rd May 2024.

**A message from the PTA**

The children in FSU had a fantastic disco this afternoon! Thank you so much to Nicole Lipscombe for running it for us! We are really excited for the Year 1 - 6 disco sessions



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later! If you haven't managed to get tickets yet, don't worry - as these can be purchased on the door tonight at £3.50 each (cash only).

If you have purchased tickets already, we have your child/ren noted down on our master list! If you've purchased tickets via Classlist, for speed you can show us the tickets on your app / download them to your phone and show us on the door, otherwise we will look up your child so don't worry if you don't have it!

Thank you so much for supporting this event and a huge thank you to our helpers this evening and to those who have baked for us too, we are so grateful! We hope the children have a fantastic time!

### **Eco Council Parent Support Group:**

The Eco Council Parent Support Group will be meeting next **Thursday 2nd May after drop off at 8.45am in the back room of Rise & Flour**. This newly started group is open to any parents that would like to support the children and school in working towards a more eco-friendly and sustainable future. Please feel free to join us!

### **Dates this term**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Who</b>
30 <sup>th</sup> April	Sam Copeland Author Visit	FSU & Yr 1 & 2
8 <sup>th</sup> May	Under 9s Tennis Tournament	Selected Yr 3/4
13 <sup>th</sup> May	Under 9s Quad Kids Tournament	Selected Yr 3/4
13 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> May	SATS	Year 6
15 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Bushcraft Residential – Badminton Woods	Year 4
20 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup> May	IMPS at Horton Hospital	Year 6
21 <sup>st</sup> May	Under 11s Quad Kids Tournament	Selected Yr 5/6
22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Burford School Head parent meeting	Parents of Year 4 and 5.
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	INSET Day	All
10 <sup>th</sup> June	Fire Safety Visit	Year 5/6
11 <sup>th</sup> June	Enrichment day at Burford School	Year 5
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Corinium Museum Visit	Year 3 & 4
14 <sup>th</sup> June	Under 11s Cricket	Selected Yr 5/6
21 <sup>st</sup> June	Whole School Picnic	All
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Music Festival at Burford School	Year 2
27 <sup>th</sup> / 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Burford Transition Days	Year 6
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Move Up morning	All
29 <sup>th</sup> June	Summer Fayre	All
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Cotswold Transition Day	Year 6
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Cricket at Burford School	Year 2
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Sleepover	Year 2

8 <sup>th</sup> July	Great Wychwood Bake off – Round 1	All
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day	All
12 <sup>th</sup> July	Cotswold Wildlife Park outing	Year 1 and 2
15 <sup>th</sup> July	Great Wychwood Bake off – Round 2	Round 1 winners
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5/6 Performance – Beaconsfield Hall 5.30pm	Year 5 & 6
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Great Wychwood Bake off Final	Round 2 winners
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Wychwood's Got Talent	All
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Moving On Service	Year 5 & 6
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	End of Term – Finish 1.30pm	All
24 <sup>th</sup> July	INSET Day	All

### **Birthday Book Donations**

Happy Birthday to Mia & Isabela (Hazel). Thank you for donating a book to your class. We hope you have a special day! If you would like to donate a book, please collect a donation sticker from the school office.



Thank you for your continuing support.

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