May 2016

# Wilson Way



#### **Award**



Congratulations to the kitchen on receiving

their Silver Catering Award from the Soil Association

# **INSET DAYS**

Reminder: There are Inset Days on Friday 17th and Monday 20th June - No School or Nursery

### Year 2 Multi Skills

On Tuesday 26th April, Year 2 took part in a Multi Skills morning with Coley, Ranikhet, Oxford Road ad Battle Schools. The focus was on 6 gross motor skills; throwing, catching, batting, running, agility and coordination. The children all had a fabulous morning although it was absolutely freezing.

## **Year 3 and 4 Cricket Skills**

On Wednesday 27th April, some of the children in years 3 and 4 went to Reading Cricket Club to take part in a Cricket Skills Afternoon. It was another enjoyable experience for the children.

# **Reception visit the Planetarium**

On Tuesday 22nd March both Reception classes visited the Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium. The children really enjoyed exploring the different activities, a particular favourite involved launching a parachute over a wind tunnel. We



also watched a 30 minute show in the planetarium about the different planets. It really felt like we were flying through space in a rocket.



## **Beat The Street Update** We are currently 25 out of

80 groups and have 48750 Points. Children who have walked a long way have been given prizes.

Don't forget to keep beeping up until Friday evening.

## **Pantomimus**

For the last 5 weeks, Reception have taken part in Pantomimus. They have really enjoyed



learning new songs and dances and have been introduced to variety of instruments, whilst keeping a steady beat. The teacher, Margareta brought along some objects from her kitchen that she has made into instruments. It has been so much fun.

# **Dates for your Diary**

June: Value: Respect Back to School & 6th:

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8th: Year 1 to Natural

History Museum at

Oxford

**Bag2School Collection** 14th:

Y5 to St George's 14th: pm

Church

Y3 to Englefield Day 16th:

16th: 2.50 Father's Day Tea for Reception Dad's

17th & 20th **INSET DAYS** 

23rd: 2.50 Y2 Anthony Browne

Assembly

Summer Favre 25th 1pm 27th - 29th: Y6 to Newland Park

27th Y2 Seaside Workshop

30th: 2.50 Y2 Roald Dahl Parent

Assembly

# **Year 4 visit Ufton Court**

On Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th May some of the children in the Y4 classes enjoyed a short residential trip to Ufton Court. When they arrived on Tuesday, they explored the house and grounds. In the evening the children enjoyed a Tudor Banquet where they were all dressed in Tudor clothes and



the boys had to escort the girls. On Wednesday the children enjoyed lots of outdoor activities including shelter building, woodland games and they all pretended to be soldiers and raided the house looking for Harrison who was hiding in the priesthole. For more information please look at the blog Http://jkrowling2015.wilsonblog.net

July: Value: Tolerance 1st: Y6 to Dinton Pastures 5th: Nursery Sports Day School Sports Day 6th: Class Swaps 11th & 12th: 21st & 22nd: Bikeability - Y6 21st: 2.50 YR Lynley Dodd Parent Assembly Glee Showcase 21st: 6.00 YR & KS1 Disco 22nd: 5.45 7.00 KS2 Disco 26th: 10.00 Leaver's Assembly 26th: 3.15 Break Up for the Summer

Years 1 - 6 Return

Sept 6th:

This term we profile Dan James who works in Key Stage 2 for this term, including taking Y5 David Walliams class on a Friday	
Name	Dan James
Place of Birth	Hillingdon, Middlesex
Family	Parents, Brother, Fiancee and Pet Hamster (Chewy)
If you didn't work at Wilson, where would you like to work/second career choice?	In Science Technology or running my own business
Where was your last holiday?	Turkey (at Easter), Kephalonia (Greek Island) and Southern Ireland
What are your hobbies?	Trampolining, Skiing, Triathlons, Coding, Gardening
What is your ideal night out?	LOL I'm not telling you that
Who would your 4 dream dinner date guests be?	Ms Jackson, Mrs Daniel, Mrs Leyland and Miss Charnock
Favourites:	
Film	Home Alone or Captain Hook
TV Programme	(childhood favourites) 8 out of 10 Cats Does Countdown
Song	Anything by 1D (love them!)
Meal	Sunday Roast
Chocolate Bar	Toffee Crisp
Sport/Sports Player	Eddie (the Eagle) Edwards - incredible story of someone striving for success with only grit and determination to help him
Book	Helping your Kids with Spelling and Grammar by Carol Voderman (my current reading material)
Where would you like to time travel to?	To 2100 (the future!!)

## **Date Reminder**

We break up for Summer Holidays on Tuesday 26th July and Years 1 - 6 return on Tuesday 6th September. Reception and Nursery classes will be staggered intake.

## **PSA News and Upcoming Events**

**Easter Fayre - Tuesday 22nd March** - the winners of the raffle at the Easter Fayre were:

1st Prize: Idrees, 2nd Prize: Claudia 3rd Prize: Hannah, 4th Prize: Lilly-Ann

5th Prize: Amera

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported our Easter Fayre - our profit was

£227.88

The Family Disco on Friday 20th May was a huge success, a fabulous atmosphere, lots of dancing and we raised £600 for the school.

## **Summer Fayre: Saturday 25th June**

Everyone now has their Raffle Tickets - please try to sell as many as you can, all the proceeds go towards helping your children during the next year.

Reminder of our prizes:

32" Smart TV, Dr Beats Headphones, Kindle Table, Olympic Bag, Tickets to Chessington, Tickets to Marvellous Festivals.

Please come along on the day and enjoy some of our fabulous stalls, the Pimms and Beer Tent which will also have a cake stall and an Indian Stall kindly provided by ReadingTandoori. We will also have many groups performing in the arena including finalists from Wilson's Got Talent, the Streetdance groups, Karate and Glee Club.

Games will include Archery, Spin to Win, Lucky Dip, Play Your Cards Right, Hook a Duck, Tombola, Minions Tombola and the Bouncy Castle, to name just a few!!!

## Alice in Wonderland

Towards the end of last term, Years 3 and 4 put on a fantastic production of Alice in Wonderland - The Musical. Thank you to everyone who came along and supported the children and I think you will agree it was a fantastic show. The retiring collections from the 2 shows raised an incredible £105.50 which we have sent to our Charity of the Year. Red Balloon.



### **PCSO**

PCSO Karen Vaughan has continued to come in and work with the children. This term the children in Year 5 have been learning about Personal Safety, Years

3 and 4 have been taught about the dangers of Strangers and Year 6 have talked about Racism.

## **Health Day**

All the children from Reception to Year 6 took part in Health Day on Friday 20th May. Included in the activities were: Archery, Fencing, Tai Chi, Road To Rio Dance Carnival, Healthy Workshops, Jive Dancing and much more!!!