Great [Wood] News Summer Term 3

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# **Diary Dates**

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Thursday 16th June	-	Summer Term Parents Evening
Monday 20th June	-	New Reception Visit 2, All Children - 9.00am - 11.00am
Wednesday 22nd June	<del>;</del> -	Academy Class Photograph's and Year 6 Leavers
	-	PTFA Meeting, 6pm - All Welcome
Thursday 23rd June	-	Sports Day, 1pm - All Welcome
Friday 24th June	-	Year 6 Rounder's Tournament, 1-3pm
Monday 27th June	-	New Reception Visit 3, All Children - 9.00am - Lunch
	-	Move Up Day
	-	New Reception Parents Meeting 11.30am
	-	TCA New Intake Evening, 7pm
Thursday 30th June	-	Reserve Sports Day
Saturday 2nd July	-	Cheadle Carnival
Wednesday 6th July	-	KS2 Show Performance, 6.30pm—Ticket information to follow
Thursday 7th July	-	JCB Women in Engineering Event
	-	KS2 Show Performance, 6.30pm—Ticket information to follow
Saturday 9th July	-	Ashby-de-la-Zouch Choir Family Day
Monday 11th July	-	Painsley Induction Day
Tuesday 12th July	-	Painsley Induction Day
Wednesday 13th July	-	Painsley Induction Day
	-	Year 6 Leavers Outing
Thursday 14th July	-	Leavers Service, 2pm - All Welcome
Friday 15th July	-	Camp Out
Saturday 16th July	-	Camp Out
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Welcome back to the second half of the Summer Term at Great Wood.

We are excitedly looking forward to our Key Stage Two Summer Production, Sports Day and hopefully the sun shining!

# Parents Evening

On Thursday 16th June we will be holding our Summer Term Parents Evening, where staff will be available in their classrooms from 3.30pm – 6pm. Bookings are available via Arbor, our online Parent Portal. Here you will be able to choose the most convenient available slot. Each appointment will be 5 minutes. Please consider their schedule and be aware they might ask you to arrange an extra meeting (at a later date), if you feel you need more time for discussions.



# Sports Day



Weather permitting, will be holding our Sports Day on Thursday 23rd June, starting at 1.00pm. Parents are most welcome to come along, watch our competitive races, relays, novelty & water races and support their children. If the weather is inclement, or the field is not safe, we will postpone Sports Day until Thursday 30th June. Fingers crossed for some sunshine!

## Platinum Jubilee Fair

On Friday 27th May our Great Wood family enjoyed a picnic on the field to celebrate our Queen's Platinum Jubilee. This was followed by our Jubilee fair, which included many stalls, such as mocktails, lucky jars, cake competition, lucky dip, hunt the royals, drop he coin, tombola, ice-creams, penalty shoot out, wine or water

and a sweet stall. We were delighted with the turn out for the event and the fantastic support that everyone gave. We raised an staggering  $\pounds 650.70$  which is amazing!! Thank you to everyone that supported, donated and attended, to make this event so special. Everyone had a fabulous time in the sunshine, to celebrate our fantastic monarch.



### Wine or Water?

Great Wood are taking part in the Cheadle Carnival this year. Our amazing PTFA will be having a stall, a hamper raffle, lucky cards, wine or water and glitter motifs.

We would be grateful if you

could donate a bottle of wine for our stall, to help raise funds for the little extras, for our fantastic children.

donations to any of

school office by

Friday 24th June.

our team, or in at the

Please give



#### <u>Reminder</u>

Please can all parents ensure their child's uniform is clearly labelled with

their name. We have had a number of items go missing recently and these are extremely difficult to find if they are not labelled!



#### Great Wood Camp Out

This years Camp Out is set to be the biggest yet! Taking place on Friday 15th and Saturday 16th July - Why not come and join us to celebrate another year at Great Wood! For full details please speak to a member of staff.

#### Choir Ashby-de-la-Zouch Fun Day

Please return any remaining reply slips as soon as possible for the Choir Fun Day in Ashby-de-la-Zouch on Saturday 9th July. It promises to be an exciting family day out, with a great concert at the end! If you would like any more information, please speak to Mr Adamson.



#### Water bottles

Please be aware that children are allowed to bring their own, labelled water bottles into school. They will be able to access their water at any time during the day. These are especially beneficial during hot weather.

#### PTFA Meeting

Our next PTFA meetings will be held on Wednesday 22nd June at 6.00pm for the final arrangements regarding Cheadle Carnival and our Summer Camp out. Please come along and join us.



# KS2 Summer Production - Rock Bottom

This year's Key stage two production of 'Rock Bottom' will take place on Wednesday 6th July at 6.30pm and Thursday 7th July at 6.30pm.

Please note that tickets will be needed for admission to the shows, these will be available from the school office nearer the time.

Children are already practising hard to wow you with their

production! I'm sure many of you will soon be able to hum along, as the children rehearse their singing.





Academy will once again be in school on Wednesday 22nd June, to take class groups and year 6 leavers photos. Please can parents be reminded that children need to be in correct school uniform and wearing their tie if in a shirt or summer dresses and not PE kits. Please do not hesitate to contact any member of our school team if you have any queries.

## <u>Car Park</u>

**Academy Photographs** 

As we have previously informed you, the car park is for staff and visitors only. We would like to inform you that bringing cars down onto the car park is prohibited, unless there is an authorised arrangement in place with Mr Adamson.

Please can we also remind parents/carers that vehicles are **NOT** permitted down the school drive to collect children from after school clubs. Currently the number of vehicles being brought down to the staff car park, after school, is causing a significant hazard to our children. As within the normal school day, any vehicles that are brought on to the school site, should be authorised, unless they belong, to staff or expected visitors.



As we are sure you will appreciate, we are asking for your help with this, as it is extremely important with regard to protecting the safety of our children. Thank you.