



Family News

June 2015

A note from the Principal ...

As the end of the school year draws nearer, we must take time to celebrate all the positive things that have happened.

- **‘Good’ Ofsted**
- Bethany **winning** a Walsall Young writers competition
- Jack **winning** Royal British Legion poppy appeal T-shirt competition
- Children from **Y2 - Y6** have had their work **published** in 3 different Young Writers books
- **School Council** built an Insect Hotel
- **Impact Sessions** have been well attended
- **Girls Football Team won the Walsall Football League**
- **Cheerleaders** have taken part and done well in **lots of competitions and festivals**
- Children performed as part of the **Young Voices Choir**
- **Y6** got to the final of **bookbusters**
- We are **leading** introduction to **Latin across ATT** schools with the support of **Birmingham University**

Sports Day Rearranged Date - Tuesday 30th June



Children should come to School in Uniform and will get changed at school. They will need to bring sports clothing e.g. trainers, jogging bottoms/shorts and a t-shirt/top in their team colours which are as follows:

Tintern = Red
Persnore = Green

Tewkesbury = Blue
Glastonbury = Yellow

Dates for your Diary

More detailed information will be given closer to the dates below.

- Y5 £5 trip balance due - Wednesday 1st July
- Y4 £7.50 trip balance - 3rd July
- Y5 Think Tank - Monday 6th July
- Y1 and Y2 Seaside Trip - Wednesday 8th July
- Fun Run - Thursday 9th July
- Y4 Warwick Castle - 10th July
- Y5 £10 Kingswood - 10th July
- Reports out - Friday 10th July
- Reception Transition Meetings - 9.15am and 1.00pm Friday 10th
- £5 Gangsta Granny due Y2-Y5 - Monday 13th July
- End of Year Achievement Assembly - 9.00am 14th July
- Year 6 Prom - Wednesday 15th July
- Y6 Leavers Assembly - 2.00pm Thursday 16th July
- Break up - Friday 17th July

| Time | Activity | Children involved |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 10.30am - 12.00pm | Year 1, 2 and 3 Sports Day | Y1, Y2 and Y3 |
| 12.00pm-1.00pm | Family Sports Day Picnic | Jungle to Y6 – All Welcome! |
| 1.00pm -2.30pm | Year 4, 5 and 6 Sports Day | Y4, Y5 and Y6 |

Y6 Prom

We will again be holding a Prom for our Year 6 children. This year it will take place on **Wednesday 15th July**, and children will be picked up in a limousine before coming to school for a disco to dance the night away! We are looking for helpers to come and decorate and set up, so if you are able to spare a few hours on this day please let us know !



Family Fun Run

We are excited to announce we will be holding our **first Family Fun Run** on **Thursday 9th July!** This will take place at **Sneyd Community Association** and starts at **2.00pm**. All parents are welcome to come along to watch and also **take part with your child**. There will be ice cream and refreshments available, and we are sure it will be a great day - we hope to see you there! We will be collecting sponsors for **Walsall Hospice**. Please support this.



End of Year Achievements

Our big Achievement Assembly will be on **Tuesday 14th July at 9.00am** - this will include certificates for progress, attendance, behaviour and many more! As there are so many awards at the assembly we are not able to notify individual parents so please make sure to come along.

Year 6 Leavers Assembly

We would like to invite you all to the Leavers Assembly for Year 6 which will take place on **Thursday 16th July 2.00pm**. This is a very special assembly in which Year 6 share songs, performances and memories of their time at school, and is a lovely way for them to say good-bye. Myself and all the staff at Jubilee Academy would like to wish all of Year 6 the best of luck



School Reports

We will be sending out School Reports with children on **Friday 10th July**. For children in some year groups the reports will look slightly different than they have previously due to changes in the National Curriculum. Take a look at the letter included with your child's report for more information and a full explanation as to how the new system works.



Gangsta Granny - Last Chance!

If you have not yet paid your Gangsta Granny deposit this **MUST** be paid by **Friday 26th June** - after this we cannot guarantee that tickets will be available. This is for children currently in Years 2, 3, 4 and 5.

New Governors

We would like to welcome our new Governors!

Reverend Trisha - Community Governor

Patti Lane - Community Governor

Mr Rochelle - Parent Governor

Mrs Green - Parent Governor

Mrs Taylor - Staff Governor

More information about them will be in Septembers Family News.

End of Year

Friday 17th July - Leavers Church Service

This will take place at St. Thomas' Church at 11.00am. Parents who come to Church are welcome to take their children home afterwards.



Friday 17th July - Break up for Summer Holiday 1.30pm for children whose parents do not attend Church

We hope you all have a great Summer Holiday and we will see you in September when children return on **Monday 7th September**.

Dates for 2015-2016 - Keep safe!

September

3rd – Inset Day

4th – Inset Day

7th – Children Back

October

7th – Parents Evening

19th – 21st – Year 6 Kingswood

23rd – Fitness Friday

23rd - Break up for Half Term

November

2nd – Inset Day

3rd – Children return to school

20th – Christmas Fayre

December

2nd – Pantomime

3rd – ATT Pupil Award Day

9th – Gangsta Granny KS2

15th and 16th - Christmas Plays

17th – Christmas Parties

18th – Christmas service 1.30pm

18th – Break up for Christmas

January

4th – Children back to school

February

12th – Fitness Friday

12th – Break up for Half Term

22nd – Children back to school

March

9th – Parents Evening

18th – Inset Day

23rd – Easter Bonnet Parade and Egg Decorating Competition

24th – Easter Service 1.30pm

24th – Break up for Easter

April

11th – Children return to school

May

9th – 12th – Y6 SATS

27th – Fitness Friday

27th – Break up for Half Term

June

6th – Children back to school

27th – Y1-6 Sorts Day

28th – Foundation Sports Day

30th – Foundation Sports Day

July

1st – Summer Fete

8th – Inset Day

19th – Y6 Prom

21st – Leavers Assembly

22nd – Church AM

22nd – Break up for Summer 1.30pm