



NEWSFLASH

Friday 17th May 2024

FRIENDS OF WORPLESDON SCHOOL - NEWS AND UPDATES

The Summer Fair, Friday 5th July, 3.20-6.30pm

A quick reminder to make sure this is in your diary. As always, we have assigned each year group an element of the fair to organise and run. Your FoWS reps will be in touch next week to ask who can help in advance and on the day!

Marvellous Men Day, Friday 14th June

Lots going on at the moment but just to give you a quick heads up that we've teamed up with Doughies for a fun family night in! Order your pizza and cookie making kits and you'll receive everything you need to make artisan margherita pizzas (regular or vegan), and warm gooey cookies in your home oven. The pizza kits include a fresh dough ball, fresh cubed mozzarella, grated parmesan cheese and tomato pizza sauce.

The school will receive £2 per pizza kit and £1 per cookie kit sold.

Orders can be placed now via the Doughies link below! Please order by **Saturday 8th June** and these can then be collected at school pick up on Friday 14th June. Please ensure you fill in the 'child's name and class' box when ordering.
<https://doughies.co.uk/products/worpleston-gu3>

Wishing you all a wonderful sunny weekend,

FoWS x

<https://facebook.com/worplestonprimarypta>



RECEPTION OUTDOOR LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Please can we ask that children do **NOT** play in the Reception playground area after school hours. Some children are there unattended which is a concern, and playing with resources which staff have spent time tidying up. Thank you for your support.

COLOR RUN – FRIDAY 24TH MAY 2024

We have been overwhelmed by the generosity of the following companies who have sponsored the paint for our Colour Run.

DDP Air Conditioning

Sponsoring a class!

Local business offering air conditioning installation, servicing and maintenance. They are experienced in both residential and commercial projects.

Please contact DPP Air Conditioning for further information.

Phone: 07895 580122

Email: ddpfry@hotmail.co.uk

Website: www.ddpairconditioning.co.uk



Seymours

Sponsoring 1.5 year groups!

Guildford's leading partner owned and run estate agency. Our unique partner-run approach resonates with local residents, making us the independent estate agency of choice for Guildford and the surrounding villages.

Phone: 01483 576833

Email: sales@seymours-guildford.co.uk

Website: www.seymours-estates.co.uk



Gallagher Brickwork and Building Services Ltd

Sponsoring 3 year groups!

We are local builders, based in Guildford and also covering Godalming, Woking and all surrounding Surrey areas. Since our establishment in 2007, we have developed our services as family-run builders and building contractors around our central beliefs of outstanding workmanship and clear, honest communication. This dedication to our domestic, commercial and industrial clients has played a vital role in our status as one of the most trusted and most recommended local builders in Surrey.

We have various areas of expertise including: extensions, loft conversions, new builds, renovations, roofing, kitchens and bathrooms, patio installation, painting and decorating and all brickwork services.

Phone: 01483 566009 / 07865 480891 / 07877 707686

Email: info@gbbs.direct

Website: www.gallagherbuildingservices.co.uk



Pristine Gardens

Sponsoring green and purple colours!

Pristine Gardens are domestic and commercial landscape and grounds maintenance contractors providing the complete garden and grounds service.

We are based in Guildford and carry out work throughout Surrey and North Hampshire.

With full public liability insurance, a waste carriers license from the environment agency and local government approval, you can rest assured whatever the job, large or small, Pristine Gardens can fulfil the contract to the highest standards efficiently, professionally and most importantly safely.

Phone: 01483 820337 / 07415 712221

Email: pristine-gardens@live.co.uk

Website: www.pristine-gardens.co.uk



Gymnastics Factory

Sponsoring a year group!

Gymnastics Factory is an exciting purpose-built centre just outside Guildford. We offer recreational gymnastics and classes for all ages, babies to adults. We provide a friendly, safe and encouraging environment in which to explore the wonderful world of gymnastics. We love what we do - come & join us!

Phone: 01483 455 060

Email: info@gymnasticsfactory.co.uk

Website: www.gymnasticsfactory.co.uk



Dandelion and Dogwood

Sponsoring the colour pink!

Dandelion and Dogwood is a indie yarn company owned by two sisters & based in Guildford, Surrey. Our yarn is dyed in a garden cabin using recycled rain water, all of our fibres are sourced sustainably & our packaging biodegradable.

Email: dandelionanddogwood@gmail.com

Website: www.dandelionanddogwood.co.uk



DMS Services

Sponsoring a class!

We are commercial heating and gas specialists.

Email: info.dmsservices@aol.com



Wash Bathrooms

Sponsoring a year group!

We are bathroom specialists based in Portsmouth who can bring your bathroom vision to life. At Wash Bathrooms we are dedicated to providing the highest level of service to our retail and trade customers. We deliver creative, inspirational, tailored bathroom solutions crafted to individual customers' requirements.

We're here to handle everything as you need it - from initial planning & design consultation through to delivering and installing your new bathroom.

Phone: 02392 877000

Email: info@wash-bathrooms.com

Website: www.wash-bathrooms.com



Charlie W – Year 4

Sponsoring Woodpeckers class!

'Thank you'

Gallaghers - Sponsoring 3 year groups
Seymours - Sponsoring 1.5 year groups
Gymnastics Factory - Sponsoring a year group
Wash Bathrooms - Sponsoring a year group
Pristine - Green and purple colours
DPP - Sponsoring a class
DMS Services - Sponsoring a class
Dandelion and Dogwood - Pink
Charlie W - Sponsoring Woodpeckers class

We would like to inform you that the cost of the paint is now fully covered by sponsorship, a massive thank you to all those above 😊.

Any companies who would like to sponsor the event still can, using the goodhub fundraising portal <https://app.goodhub.com/colourrun24>. Currently we have raised 17% of our target already.

EARLY BIRDS & NIGHT OWLS

This week at Night Owls we have looked at endangered species as it is Endangered Species Day today. We have also talked about looking after our mental health in relation to Mental Health Awareness Week this week.

The children have been making a variety of different endangered animal crafts including a turtle, a sloth and a panda. They also had the chance to make a floating octopus sensory bottle. We have kindly been donated some Duplo which the children have had great fun making different models out of, which you can see from our photos. One of our models was made by Harriet M and Lily C and the other was made by Willow and Ada. We also had the playdough out this week and the children loved getting messy and having the chance to use their imagination to make anything they liked.



BERTIE BOOS' NEWSFLASH

A huge high five to all of Year 6.

🎉 Congratulations on your SATs, you've worked so hard, and now it's done. Your focus and your diligence, have shone as bright as the morning sun.

Each question faced, each challenge met, with pencil poised, you set your pace. Now take a breath, and rest your mind, you've earned your smile, you've run the race! ✨

We hope you and your big human beings make some precious time to relax, unwind and switch off this weekend. Bertie and I would also like to do a big shout out to all the staff involved who have supported and guided you through this. They are super proud of each and every single one of you!

Bertie & Bertie



FREE EVENTS AT G LIVE

Yehudi Menuhin
Fri 17 May
1.30pm - 2.10 pm

To mark the launch of our Guildford International Concert Season 24/25, students from the esteemed Yehudi Menuhin School will perform a free foyer concert at G Live on Friday 17 May 2024 at 1.30pm.

Sing For Your Soul
Thu 23 May
12.15pm - 12.45pm

To celebrate Creativity and Wellbeing Week, a national initiative supported by Arts Council England, join us for a relaxed, short choir singing session run by our very own Creative Learning team and Daniel Looseley, our fabulous Local Musical Director. Free for anyone in the local community!

Craft Cafe
Once a month

Come and join us for our monthly Craft Café at The Café at G Live. Completely free and suitable for all ages and abilities, get creative and learn some new skills along the way, whilst having the option of some tasty treats at The Café at G Live.

All materials provided.

Stopgap Dance Company Teachers Workshop
Wed 22 May
4pm

During this CPD we will explore how to practically deliver the themes and choreographic ideas from Artificial Things through a sample workshop as well as a creative task. We will give explanations of how the activities in the workshop link to the work and a section where we will focus on how to describe movement as well as the story arc of the piece.

Family Fun Day

Sat 6 July
10am - 1pm

Launch your summer with our Family Fun Day... A whole morning dedicated to creative workshops, mini performances, and activities for everyone to come and take part in.

No need to book in advance, just turn up on the day!

OTHER EVENTS

Baby Friendly Cinema Club
Once a month
10am

Informal screenings in a relaxed environment for parents/carers with babies 0-12 months.

Memory Cinema
Once a month
1pm

Relaxed screenings of classic films to inspire memories of days gone by.

GLive.co.uk **G LIVE** GUILDFORD 0343 310 0055

Children and Young People's Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health Service

Mindworks Surrey

If you need support now, here's what to do

- If you're in immediate danger: call 999
- If you have an urgent need, call our chat helpline on 0800 515 4464. It's open 24 hours a day - 7 days a week.

If you're not in a crisis, but still need support...

If you do not need urgent support, you can talk to your mental health lead in school. They are there to listen and support you with your mental health and wellbeing. If you do not know who this is, talk to a member of school staff you trust and they will be able to help you.

We offer webinars, e-learning, and resources. We offer a wide range of information which can help your mental health and wellbeing. We have resources such as My Safety Plan and self-help diary to help guide you through your wellbeing during challenging times. You'll find links to useful websites, recommended reading, plus coping strategies to help you through difficult times.

We are partnered with Kooth, who are a digital mental health platform providing confidential support for all young people. Here you can access forums, activity centres, messaging and live counselling. You can get support when you need it, with no waiting lists or need to be referred by an adult. Visit www.kooth.com for more information.

Sometimes it might feel easier to message, text about how you are feeling and there are many places you can do this. @kooth is a free, confidential, 24/7 text support service for anyone in the UK who is struggling to cope. To start a conversation, text the word "KOOOTH" to 83226.

Chat Health is a safe and easy way for you to speak to a qualified health professional. They provide information about services near you that can provide support. Contact them through their website www.chathealth.co.uk

The City Children & Young People's Helpline is a safe space for any child or young person aged 10-19 to go where they can talk about worries and mental health in a confidential, friendly and supportive place. Scan the QR code for more information.

We also work closely with young people groups such as Amplify, their contact email amplify@mindworks.surrey.gov.uk and Surrey Youth Voice, where your voice can help us help other young people's mental health and wellbeing services across Surrey and North East Hampshire. Contact them on 07863 319 466 or www.surrey.gov.uk

Mindworks Surrey provides a dedicated out-of-hours helpline for parents and carers of children with suspected or diagnosed neurodevelopmental needs such as ADHD and/or ASD. It's open 9am-7pm, seven days a week. Call 0300 322 3376.

Our partners offer a range of groups and youth clubs for both children and young people. These are all open to self-referral and you can find out more information on our website by scanning the QR code.

The Mindworks Access and Advice Team can also provide support in signposting you to more help. Call them on 0300 322 3376.

Find out more at mindworks-surrey.org

Garden Explorers

A nature based holiday club

Holiday club

(6 - 11 year olds)

29th May
31st May

- Explore and discover some of nature's wonders
- Create and grow using the garden's gifts
- Play and take part in fun outdoor activities with new friends

Fun nature based activities for your children to enjoy including:

- Den-building
- Making 'flapping' and 'butterfly'
- Make a seed bottle to grow at home
- Scavenger and bug hunting
- And much more...

Details:

- Taken place in the safe and secure setting of The Therapy Garden, Normandy, near Guildford
- Run by a qualified, DBS checked, dedicated team
- www.thetherapygarden.org for more information
- 9.00am to 3.15pm
- £40 per child, per day (sibling discounts available)

Book your place now

Scan QR code
Online: www.thetherapygarden.org
Call: The Therapy Garden: 01483 813846
Email: admin@thetherapygarden.org

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11.5-12.45
1-2.30

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