



# NEWSFLASH

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024

## PARKING – A MESSAGE FROM MRS O'BRIEN

It saddens me to have to mention parking yet again, due to parents parking inconsiderately 😞.

1. This week I witnessed a child nearly get hit by a car. As you can imagine this was very distressing for all concerned. This would not have happened if parents who park inconsiderately, took our plea for safer parking more seriously.
2. Also, last week one of our neighbour's driveway was blocked during one of our Sports Day events, which meant that he was unable to get out of his drive to get to work on time.



I know that you do not need me to tell you that this behaviour is completely unacceptable and is going to cause injury or worse. Please can I ask us all to pull together to do the right thing and show our children how we respect others, by parking safely.

## REMINDER

- Please do not drive unsafely
- Do not stop/park on the zig zags or roundabout at drop-off/pick-up/school event
- Please park considerately
- No verbal abuse (from parents to residents and between parents)

Thank you.  
Karen O'Brien

## INFANT FUN SPORTS – FRIDAY 05.07.2024

There will be **NO** Infant Fun Sports on **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July**, as this is the day of our FoWS Summer Fair. We hope to see you all there 😊.



**Sports Day  
Refreshments**



## FRIENDS OF WORPLESDON SCHOOL - NEWS AND UPDATES

### Junior Sports Day, 4th July - morning & afternoon sessions

FoWS will once again be serving Refreshments on the field with a selection of cold soft drinks priced 50p & £1 - cash only.

**CANS £1**

**WATER £1**

**JUICE CARTONS 50P**

Thank you for supporting  
the Friends of Worpleston  
School

### The Summer Fair, Friday 5th July, 3:20-6:30pm - 7 DAYS TO GO!!!

Thank you so much for all the very generous donations of sweets & bottles - it means our tombolas are going to be a huge success once again! With only 7 days to go we are still super busy putting all the final preparations in place. We still require a few more volunteers for any time throughout the afternoon - set up from midday then working on stalls from 3.20pm. And we are still on the look out for 1 or 2 more Gazebos - thanks so much to those of you who have come forward to lend us theirs already!

Look out for more info next week on stalls, food, drink - ALL the need to knows! Volunteers will also be sent an overview of the stalls they are working on so they can familiarise themselves in advance.

## Happy Bags, Friday 12th July, morning drop off

A reminder we are doing our ever-successful charity collection on the 12th - donations can be given in any carrier bag / charity bag. We will send a reminder closer to the time.

### Frozen Fridays, Friday 12th & Friday 19th July, after school

Yes, the super popular Frozen Fridays will return once again! If you can volunteer to help, please let us know - we would be so grateful - and if we have enough volunteers it means we can sell at after school clubs too, which always goes down so well with the children!

### Facebook Relaunch

Don't forget to follow our new page! Please click on the link below to keep up to date with all the latest news, events & initiatives:

<https://facebook.com/worplesdonprimarypta>

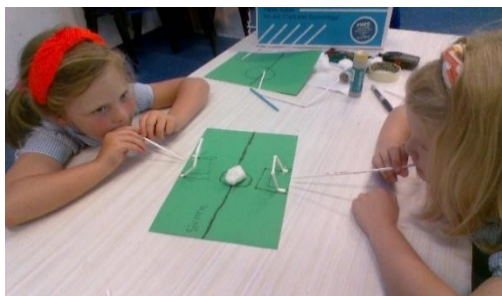
Wishing you all a wonderful weekend,  
FoWS x



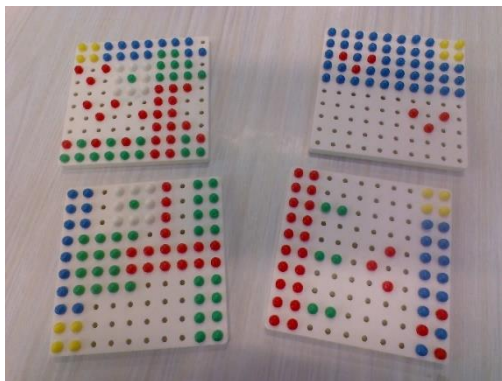
### EARLY BIRDS & NIGHT OWLS

This week at Night Owls we have continued our football theme around celebrating the Euros. The children have been able to make their own miniature football games using a cotton wool ball for the football and using straws to blow the ball into each other's goal. They loved this activity and as you can see from the picture it was great fun! We have a group of boys who love coming in every morning to update our score chart on the wall, keeping track of all the goals and teams advancing through to the next level.

The children have also been able to make their own top trumps choosing any topic they wished for their cards. We had the painting table out again this week and the children loved being creative, it is a delight



to see what they chose to paint. We made our own frisbees out of paper plates and decorated them. With the lovely, but hot, weather we had they had fun out on the playground throwing their frisbees to each other. We also had a group of girls who were creative while using our peg boards and as you can see from our photo their designs were amazing!



Please can we ask parents to label any toys that your children bring into school. We allow soft toys in the extended day session if a child requires it for comfort but we ask that all other toys are kept in their bags, if they chose to bring them in from home.

Next week it is Junior sports day and the summer fair. If you are collecting your child from Sports Day or if they will not be coming for any reason, such as the fair, please could you let Mrs Whitfield in the office know or Mrs Fyfe beforehand, this would be greatly appreciated.

We hope you have a lovely weekend.

### FUNDRAISER

On Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September, Miss Piercy will be running the Surrey Half Marathon in aid of Shooting stars children's hospice. Shooting Stars children's hospice cares for babies, children and young people with life-limiting conditions, and their families, across west London and Surrey. Their specialist care and support is free of charge and available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, however it would not be possible without charitable donations such as this! It costs £10 million a year to run the hospices so they rely solely on the generosity of the public to keep them going! Please donate whatever you can, no matter how small, to support this wonderful charity. Please visit Miss Piercy's just giving page to donate: <https://justgiving.com/page/katie-piercy>.

