



NEWSFLASH

Friday 12th June 2026

NEED TO KNOW

LOST PROPERTY

Please note that we will no longer be operating a lost property box in school.

To help ensure that misplaced items can be returned to their rightful owner, we kindly ask that all items of uniform, coats, bags, and other belongings are clearly named.



Any unnamed items that are not claimed will be passed on to the FoWS for their second-hand/pre-loved uniform stock.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.


GOOD TO KNOW


FRIENDS OF WORPLESDON SCHOOL NEWS & UPDATES


Thanks once again for supporting **Happy Bags** this morning; it's such an easy way to raise money for the FoWS - we look forward to sharing the amount raised next week!

Summer Fair volunteers - We need you please! The relevant sign-up links for your year group/s are in today's weekly messages. Please refer to the stall allocation poster below – as always, we can't put this event on without your support so thank you in advance for donating your precious time.

Upcoming dates:

 **Friday 19th June** - Mufti in return for **bottle donations** (see poster below) for the summer fair. Any sealed, in date bottles are welcome - from bubble bath to prosecco and anything in between! We just ask that you don't donate any fresh items that need refrigerating.

 **Friday 3rd July 3.20-5.30pm** - Our traditional **Summer Fair** is back with all the fun pocket money games the kids love (and prizes to win!), tuck shop, tombolas and ice creams! And most importantly **Soak the Teacher!!**

 **Friday 10th & 17th July** – One of the kids' favourites is back once again – **Frozen Friday!** Ice lollies will be available to purchase after school!

Tiger Tags – Order your new name tags and the FoWS will receive £1 from each order: www.tigertags.co.uk/school/3166

 **Easyfundraising**

Get the easyfundraising app and fundraise for FOWS without donating anything! It's completely free and when you use it to do your normal day-to-day shopping with 8,000+ online retailers, we'll receive a free cashback donation, at no extra cost to you. Even better, if you get the app and become our supporter this week, we get a **£3 bonus donation** just for inviting you. Click [here](#), install the app on your mobile device, then fill in the simple steps to become our supporter for free.

Many thanks,

Your Friends of Worplesdon Primary School 😊

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SUMMER FAIR 2026

Volunteers Needed

Reception  Prize Tables 3 volunteers per time slot	Year 1  Soak the Teacher 1 volunteer per time slot	Year 2  Bean Bag Throw Coconut Shy 1 volunteer per game per time slot
Year 3  Sweet Tombola 2-3 volunteers per time slot	Year 4  Spin to Win Pick a Lolly 1 volunteer per game per time slot	Year 5  Find the Bugs Code Breaker 1 volunteer per game per time slot
Year 6  Bottle Tombola 2-3 volunteers per time slot	Summer Family  Tuck Shop	Year 6 Students  Penalty shootout 2 volunteers per time slot

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SUMMER FAIR MUFTI DAY

FRIDAY 19TH JUNE

CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO WEAR MUFTI IN RETURN FOR TOMBOLA DONATIONS OF

BOTTLES

DONATE AT THE FRONT GATES FROM **8:30AM PLEASE**

EARLY BIRDS CAN DROP IN RECEPTION

*IF YOU HAVE MORE THAN ONE CHILD AT THE SCHOOL, PLEASE DO NOT FEEL PRESSURED TO DONATE A BOTTLE FOR EACH CHILD

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We would like to share an important opportunity for all of our pupils to have their voices heard through a national survey called *The Big Future*, launched by the Children's Commissioner for England, Dame Rachel de Souza.

Many of you may already be familiar with previous national surveys such as *The Big Ask* and *The Big Ambition*, which gathered the views of children and young people across the country. This new survey aims to give children aged 0-18 the chance to share their thoughts about their communities, their concerns, their hopes for the future, and what they believe a good childhood should look like today.

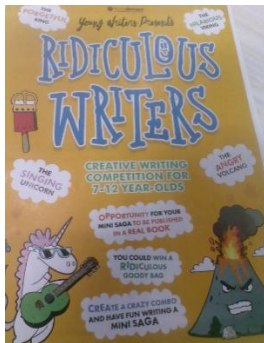
With more young people set to become eligible to vote in future elections, it is increasingly important that children and young people feel listened to and represented. The survey findings will be used to advocate for the issues that matter most to children at the highest levels nationally.

We would encourage all pupils, parents, and carers to take part in the survey before the deadline of Friday 23rd October. The survey can be completed here: <http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture>

Additional resources, including an introductory video, lesson materials, and FAQs, are also available on the Children's Commissioner website.

Thank you for your continued support in helping to ensure that the voices of our children and young people are heard.

NICE TO KNOW



EARLY BIRDS & NIGHT OWLS

We have been preparing for the beginning of the World Cup Celebrations this week. The children have a special World Cup table set up in hall where they can complete football players colouring sheets, word searches and play top trumps. We have also set up a competition to design a new England football top. The winner will be announced shortly.

We also looked at World Ocean Day on Tuesday and based a couple of our craft activities around this. The children had the opportunity to make a puffa fish painting out of bubble wrap and paints alongside making a jellyfish from paper plates and ribbon.



Last week we launched a writing competition where the children have the chance to write a silly short story. These will be sent off to the competition holders in a few weeks, and their stories will be published in a book which parents have the opportunity to buy. Each participant will receive a certificate, book mark and sticker.

Next week we will be continuing our World Cup theme, and we are looking forward to displaying all of our Guildford in Bloom creations in readiness for judging day!



Our Stars of the Week this week are:

- Early Birds: Max B for doing good tidying up and for listening to instructions.
- Night Owls: Imogen A for playing so nicely with her friends and always being polite.

LITERACY AMBASSADORS

Ethan S – Wrens

I interviewed Dexter S about the SATs that we recently had. His favourite paper was the reading paper because we got to read different stories. If he had to pick one that he could have been given extra time, it would have been maths. Before the SATs he felt a bit worried, but then he was relieved once they were finished! The spelling, punctuation and grammar papers were ok. If he could choose to add an additional SATs paper, he thinks we should be tested on Science – Biology, Chemistry and Physics.



Nyah – Wrens

Ada didn't worry about SATs, because she felt that she was well prepared. The mock SATs gave her the right preparation for the real thing. The teachers helped her improve.

The reading paper was easier than she thought because she recognised one of the texts from a book she had read. Since there hadn't been a poem for a couple of years, the teachers thought there would be one this year, so we all had some practice. Luckily for most of us, there wasn't one. Having a poem in SAT's is pretty hard to answer impression questions. Ada is glad they are over and done with and feels that she is ready for secondary school next year.

Lola – Kestrels

I interviewed Miss Forbes as I wanted to hear a teaching assistant's perspective. I asked her how she felt about being a TA. She loves helping people and having fun. She enjoys teaching maths, playing rounders and having a laugh. Her favourite topics are World War 2 in history, learning about the heart in Science and African prints in art.



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Guildford Spectrum
20th & 21st June

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COMMUNITY BABY SHOWER

Wednesday 17th June | 1:00pm - 3:30pm
 Guildford Family Centre, Hazel Avenue GU1 1NR

Are you expecting or have a little one under 6 months?

Join us for a special afternoon celebrating you and your growing family!

What to expect:

- Meet local support services including midwives, health visitors, libraries, Homestart, Dads Matters and more
- FREE refreshments
- Enter our FREE raffle (just for attending!)
- Decorate a baby vest to take home
- Connect with other parents in West Surrey



Whether you're a first-time parent or adding to your family, come along to discover the support available to you in our community.

Everyone welcome | No booking required | Completely FREE



Helping an ADHD Child with Homework



FREE one hour online session for parents
Thursday 25th June 7pm - 8pm

Join us online to get some advice on how to help your ADHD child start and complete their homework.

Book on the PARENTS - Live Talks page
facefamilyadvice.co.uk

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 WELCOME TO OUR
FREE COMMUNITY FUN DAY
 FUN • FOOD • GAMES
 + much more!
 SATURDAY 4TH JULY 2026
 Worpleston Memorial Sports Ground, GU3 3RF
 | 1PM - 4PM