A word from Mr Lloyd

Friday 5th July 2024

Dear parents/carers,



It's been an exciting week at Woodside as the children took part in Transition Day. It was lovely to welcome all the new Year 3 families into the Woodside community and we were really impressed with how they settled into their new classes. The current Y3, Y4 & Y5 pupils also had great days with their new teachers and spent some time getting used to the new expectations and getting to know their new teachers. I was really proud of everyone's resilience and the school was full of smiles throughout the day.

Our Year 6 children have also spent time at their new schools this week. I really enjoyed hearing some of the things they liked about their new schools when they returned on Wednesday. It sounds like everybody had a great day and represented Woodside really well in their new settings.

I've also loved seeing Y6 out and about on their bikes completing their Bikeability training. This is a really crucial life skill and I trust that the children will remember what they have been taught in these sessions and apply it when cycling on the roads in the future.

We have a very busy last few weeks of the term, with all of the Year 6 leavers' activities and lots of learning left to fit in! Please support us in this by ensuring that your child attends school every day, as this really helps during our end of year activities and learning.

Best wishes,

Mr Lloyd

Year 6 Enterprise Fair I



The Year 6 Enterprise Fair is the **Tuesday 9th of July 3.15-4pm.** Parents to collect as normal and then go round with children to the activities/stalls. Either the parent will need **CASH ONLY** when you collect or children can bring money to school (at their own risk). More info about the stalls to come. **Year 6 will need to stay until 4.15pm to clear** up please!

House Point Totals				
Last Week	473	398	369	330
	Maple	Willow	Elm	Cedar

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
09.07.24	Year 6 Enterprise Fair- 3.15-4pm (cash only event)
16.07.24	Rocksteady Summer Concert
17.07.24	Year 6 dress rehearsal
18.07.24	Year 6 production 1.30pm and 6pm
19.07.24	Woodside's Got Talent
19.07.24	Nude Food Competition
22.07.24	Year 6 leavers assembly
23.07.24	End of year achievement assembly— choir to sing
23.07.24	Last Day of half term. School finish @ 1.30pm
	No HOZ after school bookings, but breakfast Club is available.
03.09.24	Inset Day
04.09.24	Inset Day
05.09.24	***Back to School*** New School Year starts

Click here for the calendar of 23/24 Term Dates

Please see our brand new Easyfundraising QR code for anyone who is able to make a donation towards school activities and events which are additional to the regular curriculum. If you are able to, please scan the below code and donate what you can- thank you on behalf of all at Woodside!





Fun at the Cricket Club



On Thursday, all the girls in year 5 and 6 were given the opportunity to have a fun cricket afternoon at Chenies and Latimer Cricket Club. They practised their bowling, batting and fielding skills before participating in some fun matches. Thank you to Nick and the other coaches for organising this and their encouragement. One of the coaches, Amelia, is an ex-Woodside pupil who is currently captain for Bucks Womens first XI. Well done to all the girls who took part.

Huge well done this week to Suki in Year 3 for receiving a trophy for her martial arts and to Apshara in Year 4 for her Indian dance certificate.





NUDE FOOD COMPETITION Thursday 19th July



This will be our last Nude Food Competition of the year. Please can you do your best to not use single use plastics on this day, but rather Tupperwear and food wrap that can be recycled such as tin foil.

Please see below for some useful and interesting links to webpages shared with the school office for your information...

- For details on Secondary School Transition support, please click here.
- Please click <u>here</u> if you would like to see details on a Wildlife Explorer Day taking place this Sunday in Coleshill.
- Amersham band are offering lessons for children in Years 2-6, please click <u>here</u> for more information.
- Please click here for further details on the Mental Health Support Team: Male Carers Group