



Wellow School Book Fair – Wednesday 7th, Thursday 8th & Friday 9th March

In celebration of World Book Day we will be holding our Book Fair on the 7th, 8th and 9th March. After collecting your child/ren at 3.15pm on Wednesday 7th we welcome parents to come and view the books available for purchase in the school hall. The Book Fair will continue on Thursday 8th and Friday 9th at 3.15pm in the school library, providing plenty of opportunity for you to purchase some wonderful books for your home library; and remember every book you buy earns us vouchers which we can use to buy books for our school library – we look forward to seeing you there! **We will only be accepting cash payments at the book fair. Thank you.**



World Book Day – Thursday 1st March

To celebrate World Book Day on Thursday 1st March we are inviting all children to dress up as their favourite book character!

On this day there will be also be a special themed Pippi Longstocking's lunch – the menu will be:

- **Villa Villakulla's Meatballs**
Beef meatballs in gravy for the meat option
Vegetarian meat free balls in a tomato sauce for the vegetarian option
- **The Strongest Girl in the World's**
Medley of green vegetables
- **Pippi's Pepparkakor**
Swedish heart shaped cookies
- **The Little Red-Gold Pear Tree**
Pear Sponge



Children can decide on the day if they would like to take part in the themed lunch and place their order in their classrooms in the usual way. The price for KS2 children is £2.15. Thank you.



Year 6 Maya Workshop

The Year 6 class had a fascinating morning with Dr Diana Davies, an archaeologist who specialises in the study of the remains of the Ancient Maya people. The children learnt all about life as an archaeologist in the rainforest, exploring maya artefacts, discussing and learning more about the achievements of the Maya and making their own calendar.



Football Fever!



During January and February, our Year 5 and 6 football league competitions, as well as School. During the league matches they This meant that they were placed into the A term. The Wellow team played 5 games in total, winning 3 and losing 2. Everyone played brilliantly as a team, with goalkeeper, defence and midfield battling for the ball to give attacking opportunities. Louie scored a hatrick in one of the games and in another, Ben scored a goal from the halfway line! Overall the team achieved 3rd place and were very pleased with their bronze medals. A superb team effort – congratulations to all of you!

5 and 6 Football team competed in the the football festival, at Mountbatten achieved several wins and some draws. league at the football festival just before half

Test Valley Indoor Athletics Winners

During the week before half term, our Year 5 and 6 indoor athletics team took part in the Test Valley Indoor Athletics Competition at Mountbatten School. They qualified for this as a result of winning the Romsey competition in December. They children took part in field events, running and relays during the afternoon. Everyone gave their very best effort and there were some fantastic individual and team performances. The Wellow team who both the girls and boys competitions, as



well as being overall team winners. This means that they will progress onto the Hampshire Youth Games Competition in March. A brilliant result for our amazing athletes – well done!



Netball Club

There will be no Netball Club this Friday 23rd February. However it will run on the following 4 sessions at 3.15pm-4.15pm for all Netball children:-

Friday 2nd March, Friday 9th March, Friday 16th March & Friday 23rd March

All children need to wear their PE kits, including trainers to sessions and all jewellery must be removed (or earrings can be covered by tape, please supply tape if necessary). If the club is cancelled the school will contact you by lunchtime on the day of the club. **There will be no Netball club during the Summer term.** Thank you.



Letters Home

What	Who	When
Absence Letter	All	Tuesday
KS1 Multi-skills Festival	KS1	Friday

INSET DAYS – Friday 25th May & Monday 23rd July 2018

Calendar Dates		
February		
23 rd		ROCK CHALLENGE at Southampton Guildhall
26 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Netball League at Mountbatten School (selected Year 5&6)



		children)
March		
1 st	All day	World Book Day – Dress Up as your Favourite Book Character
1 st	Lunchtime	Pippi Longstocking's Theme Day Lunch
1 st	1.00pm-3.00pm	Drama Workshop Years R, 1 & 2
2 nd	5.45pm-6.45pm 7.00pm-8.00pm	KS1 WSA Spring Disco KS2
5 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Netball League at Mountbatten School (selected Year 5&6 children)
5 th	All day	Year 1 Winchester Science Centre Trip
6 th	11am	Hampshire Schools Cross Country Championships in Basingstoke (Selected Children)
9 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Multi-skills Festival at Mountbatten School (selected Year 1&2 children)
12 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Netball League at Mountbatten School (selected Year 5&6 children)
16 th	2.45pm	Rock Steady Concert for Parents
15 th	9.15am	Year 1 Class Assembly
17 th		WSA Race Night (further details to follow)
19 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Netball League at Mountbatten School (selected Year 5&6 children)
21 st		The Mayflower in house Writer in to work with Year 5
22 nd	9.15am	Year 2 Class Assembly
23 rd	1.00pm-4.00pm	Netball Festival at Mountbatten School (selected Year 5&6 children)
26 th	11.45am-5.00pm	Hampshire Schools Indoor Athletics Competition (Selected Year 5&6 Children)
26 th	4.00pm-5.00pm	Cross Country Competition 4 at Mountbatten School Years 1-6
27 th	3.30pm	Parents Evening
28 th	3.30pm	Parents Evening
29 th		Last day of term
30 th -15 th April		Easter Holidays
April		
16 th	8.35am	First day of Summer term
19 th	2.00pm	Year 5&6 to the Mayflower to see 'Titanic'
20 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Quicksticks Year 5&6 at Mountbatten School (selected children)
23 rd	4.00pm-5.00pm	Cross Country Competition at Mountbatten School
26 th	9.00am	WSA Bag2School Collection
May		
3 rd	Morning	Fraser Portraits Class Photos



4 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Football Festival Years 3&4 at Mountbatten School (selected children)
16 th -18 th		Year 5 Fairthorne Residential
18 th	1.00pm-4.00pm	Year 3&4 Tennis at Mountbatten (tbc)
21 st -24 th		Walk to School Week
24 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Change 4 Life Festival Years 1&2 (selected children)
25 th	1.30pm-4.00pm	Tri-Golf Festival Years 3-6 at Mountbatten School (selected children)
25th		INSET DAY
28 th -1 st		Half Term
June		
4 th	8.35am	First day of term

WSA NEWS

Just a reminder that you can keep up-to-date with all the WSA news by visiting their page on the school website under the 'School Information' tab.

- **Spring Disco Friday 2nd March** KS1 5.45pm-6.45pm KS2 7.00pm-8.00pm – **Tickets on Sale now from the School Office.**
- WSA Race night on **Saturday 17th March 7.30pm** - **Tickets on sale now from the School Office.**
- Bag2School has been booked for **Thursday 26th April at 9.00am**



Wellow School Association Presents:

SPRING DISCO



FRIDAY 2nd MARCH 2018

KS1 5.45pm-6.45pm
KS2 7.00pm-8.00pm

Sweets and drinks on sale for both KS1 and KS2

£4 for one child, £7 for 2 and £10 for 3 children from the same family
Tickets available from the school office

Please ensure your child is collected promptly at the end of their disco



The Wellow School Association

RACE NIGHT

Saturday 17th March

At Wellow School
Doors open at 7pm, Races start at 7.30pm
Cash Bar



£7.00 per ticket. Includes entry and hot food.
Available to buy from the School Office until the 9th March.
Tables of 8 or individual tickets available.

