

# Weekly Newsletter

*Dream big, fly high*

## Welcome Back

We hope everyone had a lovely break from school and had an opportunity to enjoy the sunshine whilst it was here! It is hard to believe this is the final half term of the academic year and we have another fun-filled half term, with us welcoming our new cohort into school for their induction and seeing the children spending a day with their new class teachers as we start our transition program into next year.

The PTA is in full swing as they prepare for our Summer Fair, which is set to be an amazing event. Please do support where you can and keep an eye on the newsletter for what is needed.

## Parent/Carer Survey 2026

We would like to say a heartfelt thank you to all parents and carers who took the time to complete our 2026 annual survey. The survey is based on key questions used by Ofsted and plays an important role in helping us work collaboratively with our school community.

We are incredibly proud to share that:

- **100% of respondents said the school has high expectations for their child**
- **100% said the school keeps them informed about how their child is doing**
- **100% said there is a good range of subjects available at our school**

We truly appreciate the time and thought that went into your responses, and we were delighted to read so many positive and supportive comments. Your feedback is invaluable in helping us continue to grow and improve, therefore some of the areas we will be focusing on next year will be:

- continuing to establish an inclusive culture that supports all pupils;
- developing our oracy and personal development curriculum; and
- embedding our reading for pleasure culture as our oldest children move through Key Stage 2.

Areas of strength and potential areas to develop were shared with staff during our INSET Day on Monday. It was a lovely opportunity to celebrate their hard work and dedication, and your kind words created a real sense of appreciation as we move into the final half term of the academic year. We will be in touch again with an update on our focus areas above during the course of the next academic year. Thank you once again for your continued support.

## Kids Club Places for September 2026



Thank you to everyone who has completed the Kids Club booking form for 2026-2027. This has now closed and allocations will be ready to view via your MCAS App by **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026.**

## PTA Summer Raffle

The PTA Summer Raffle is now live with over 40 prizes to be won, kindly donated by our wonderful local businesses. Please click on the link [Woodford Primary PTA](#) to purchase your tickets. The raffle will be drawn on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

## Sports Day

Sports Day will take place on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July** (weather permitting) and will last approx. 1.5 hours. Family members are welcome to come along and support the children who will be competing in their House teams. More information will follow soon. Like last year, we will be holding a themed parents' relay race in House teams. It's all about having fun and getting involved – we can't wait to cheer you on!

## Paralympian Visit

We are delighted to share that on **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June**, the children will be taking part in a very special and inspiring day. We will be welcoming Ayaz Bhuta MBE, a two-times gold-winning Paralympian and professional GB wheelchair rugby player, to our school. During his visit, Ayaz will talk to the children about his journey as an athlete, his experiences competing at the highest level, and the determination that helped him achieve his goals. Please see letter sent out for further details.

## Sun Safety

With the recent warm weather, and the possibility of more sunshine ahead, we kindly ask for your support in ensuring that your child is well-prepared for the summer weather. On sunnier days, please ensure that your child brings the following items to school: a sun hat to provide protection from direct sunlight during outdoor activities; and a refillable Woodford Primary water bottle to stay hydrated throughout the day. If you wish to send sunscreen with your child, please ensure it is clearly labelled with their name and they can apply this themselves.

## Important Dates

16 <sup>th</sup> June	08.45 SEND Champions Coffee Morning
17 <sup>th</sup> June	Artist Workshop (Reception to Year 3)
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Paralympian visit
19 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Father's Day event
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 1 Christ Church visit
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 LEGOLAND Discovery Centre visit
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Sports Day – weather permitting (whole school)



For a full summary of 2025/26 calendar dates, our Annual Planner can be viewed [here](#).



Bravery



Citizenship



Curiosity



Gratitude



Integrity



Kindness