

Dear parents/ carers

As you will know, the school was inspected by Ofsted on Wednesday 26th and Thursday 27th June.

Preliminary feedback is looking positive and shows the leaps forward Woodfield Academy has made in recent years, during an intensive period of continually improving teaching, learning and outcomes, developing strong systems, and strengthening leadership and management.

I would like to thank staff, who were commended for their cooperation and openness, and pupils who were particularly recognised for their politeness, courtesy and helpfulness.

The full Ofsted report will be published and available by mid-July at the latest and a copy made available to all parents.

Jason Beardmore
Headteacher

African Music Event



Pupils from three of the Redditch schools joined forces to create an original piece of music.

As part of the African Musical Adventure drumming workshop, gifted and talented pupils from St. George's and Oak Hill First Schools travelled to Woodfield Academy to practise and develop their skills on a variety of different drums.

After performing their own work to their peers, pupils took part in a workshop to develop their own music which was then performed to parents.



Sports Day

Our sports day will be held on **Tuesday 2nd July**.

⇒ KS2 - 9.20am until 11.20am

⇒ KS3 - 1.00pm until 2.30pm

Each key stage will have an assembly following on from their sporting events.

Parents/carers are welcome to come to watch and are asked to sign in at reception.

Many thanks

PE Department



Upton Warren

24 Year 7 and Year 8 pupils will be camping at Upton Warren this weekend as part of the PE outdoor education curriculum. It will hopefully be a mixture of both land and water based activities.



Reminder...

Any outstanding money for Upton Warren weekly sessions needs to be paid for as soon as possible please.

New Parents' Evening

The new parents' intake evening will be held on **Thursday 4th July at 6.30pm.**

Our transfer days are on Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th July.

Year 4 pupils should arrive at Woodfield in their current school uniform for a 9.00am start.

Our Year 8 pupils should make their own way to their new high school and wear their Woodfield uniform.



Attendance

Attendance is very important to ensure pupils reach their full potential and is something that Woodfield monitor very closely.

Attendance for the week beginning 17th June

Year 5 - 95.5% Year 6 - 91.0%

Year 7 - 94.1% Year 8 - 93.9%

Whole School - 93.6%

Whole School Target - 94%



Congratulations to 5DD who achieved 100%, the highest attendance this week.

Tea Club

This is a dedicated area where children can stay until 4.30pm and where drinks and snacks will be available. This club has access to video games, board games, arts and crafts, television as well as just be a social recreation area to relax after school.



Attendance has a nominal daily charge of £2.00 to cover additional staffing, resources, refreshments etc.

If you are interested in further information or would like your child to attend please contact Mrs Bourke.

Football Fantasy Premier League

Well done to all those who participated in the Football Fantasy Premier League this year. It was another exciting finish with many positions only being decided on the last day of the season. A fuller write up of the season will appear in the school magazine shortly and all medals and certificates will be handed out in an assembly before we break up for the summer holidays. In the meantime here are all of the key placings:

Overall winner:	Mr P. Athey	1568 points	M&B United
Second place:	Mr C. Chetwyn	1493 points	THE POTTERS
Third place:	Matthew Athey	1458 points	Matty's Goal Stars
Top in Year 6:	Ali Hussain	1304 points	Ali's Alligators
Top in Year 7:	Jorge Vanes-Lawley	1456 points	The Unbeatables !!!!
Top in Year 8:	Adam Carpenter	1342 points	Gangnam Style FC
Top teacher:	Mr C. Newton	1371 points	Newton's Wanderers



Many congratulations to you all!

Mr Turner (Chairman of the Fantasy League)

Barclays Bank

Staff from Barclays Bank will be in school between 8.30am and 10.00am on the following date:

- Friday 12th July

Pupils who wish to open a school bank account or deposit money into an existing school bank account may take this opportunity to do so.



Trinity High School Year 9 Intake



Notice to Year 8 parents who have children starting Trinity High School in September 2013.

Invites are being sent out to parents to attend the **Year 9 intake evening on Wednesday 3rd July 2013.**

Important Dates

10th July	Transfer Day
11th July	Transfer Day
24th July	End of Summer Term
3rd September	TED Day
4th September	Return to School



Used Postage Stamps

Used postage stamps are still being collected for Leukaemia Research.

They are sent to Great Ormond Street Hospital where many children with leukaemia go for treatment.

Your help is appreciated.