

# **NEWSLETTER WE 3RD MAY**

Friday, 03/05/2024

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To Prime Parents of: •

To School Members: •





# Westmoor Primary School Truth Opportunity Celebration

#### **Diary Dates**

13/05/2024- SAT week for Y6
24/05/2024 - Break up for half term
03/05/2024Westmoor Week - curriculum linked to locality
12-14/06/2024London Y6
20/06/2024Reception Visit to

Rising Sun 21/06/2024- Y3/4 Visit to Wallington

**26-28/06/2024 -**Robinwood Y5

**02/07/2024-** KS1

Visit

**04/07/2024-**Summer Fair

# **School Meals**

#### Review

We hope that you have found the new system easy to use and are enjoying the opportunity to select meals for your child. As we have the same catering staff there has been no change to lunch service for your children and they see the same welcoming faces as usual. With our new provider there has been a change in menu and children seem to be getting used to the new offer. If you have any specific queries please refer back to the FAQ leaflet you were given initially, or contact Dolce directly at customercare@dolce.co.uk or on 01942 707709. We shall put a short survey together after half term to gather your views and will pass this on to Dolce for their information and possible action.

#### **First Aid**

17/07/2024 - Year 6 Leavers Show and Sambucas 19/07/2024 -School breaks up for summer

#### **OPAL Donations**

Thank you so much for your donations. The children love a non school uniform day.
You have been so generous and playtimes will be full of excitement!

#### **School Field**

We are delighted that we have been able to partially open the school field and children have had fun at playtimes in this drier weather.

# Nursery vehicle access

All parents should park outside of the school.
Access to the main school car park is for blue badge holders.
However, rare exceptions have been made for lunch time collection only, if parents have a nursery sibling asleep in the car and they will not

#### Assembly Focus

Mrs Trundley led an assembly based on Aesop's Fable "The boy who cried wolf!" We seem to have a large amount of children requesting first aid for very minor, or no injury. Our younger children may simply like getting a sticker or a slip to take home! We have reminded children of the need for resilience and to pick oneself up and to dust oneself off. If your child is a frequent visitor to our first aid station, please reinforce the resilience message. Thank you for your support.

# **Technology**

#### Safety Online

On Monday you will receive May's Online Safety Newsletter. We would particularly like parents to read and action the section titled "What apps and games are suitable for my child?" There is a useful pictorial aid to guide you as a parent to implement tight control over your child's access to inappropriate content. Mrs Trundley led an assembly with Year 5/6 after some parents raised concerns over inappropriate messaging and group calls outside of school hours. Very clear messages were given and children were acutely aware that the apps that caused the problems are all suitable for 13 years and above. This includes facebook, messenger, whats app and snapchat. Whilst our children want the independance a phone can give, they are perhaps not all emotionally ready or resilient for the wider uses of devices. Teachers and all school staff will continue to teach our children how to stay safe online. We hope that this helpful app guide will support parents in introducing firm control over their child's access.

be lifting them out.

Please do not request access unless there are such exceptional circumstances.



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