

Ickniel Walk First School



NEWSLETTER - Summer 7 – 2017

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Coming up:

Thursday 25th	Last Swift swimming lesson Clarinet /Flute/Saxophone lessons Recorder clubs Football Feet
Friday 26th	9.15 - Swift class assembly - parents are invited to attend. Violin lessons Swift library session Eagle swimming 4pm - Funky Feet presentation Break up for half term.
Monday 5th	Back to school Brass & Piano lessons Learning logs to return to school Lark library session High 5s club
Tuesday 6th	Finch & Falcon library sessions Year 4 parents Road safety training Mad Science club
Wednesday 7th	Year 3 & 4 Tennis finals at Royston Tennis Club Guitar lessons Owl library session Gym club
Thursday 8th	Closed for Polling.
Friday 9th	Class Photographs Swift class library session Eagle class swimming Funky Feet club

Year 2 Plant Sale

Thank you to everyone who bought plants grown
by the Year 2 children.
You raised £36.50 for Project Hope.

Library Helper

We need a volunteer to help the children in the
library on a Monday afternoons. Anyone
interested should contact the school office.

Letters Home:

- Year 1 - Phonics letter

Class Photographs

On Friday 9th June all the children will be
having class photographs taken. They will
need to be in school uniform, wearing their
pale blue polo shirt. We will be removing all
jumpers and cardigans to ensure the children
all look the same.

Information will come home afterwards about
how to view the photos (password protected)
online and place orders.

High 5s Club

After the half term holiday, the club will start
again on Monday 5th June and the last session
will be on Monday 5th July. Monday 5th July,
will be a super soaker/water play fun session
(more details soon). The cost for all 5 sessions
will be £15. Payment is now due.

*Please make your cheque payable to "Susy
Hallewell" with your child/children's name on
the reverse. Place any cash/cheque payments
in a sealed, named envelope and leave at the
school office.*

Enjoy your half term.

From Mrs Hallewell and Mrs Parcell

School Lunch Payments

Please pay any outstanding amounts from this
half term as soon as possible.

Many thanks.

Up and coming dates for your diaries for the next half term:

Thursday 8th June - the school will be closed for Polling.

Friday 9th June - Class photographs.

Thursday 15th June - Dove class will start their swimming lessons.

Friday 16th June - New Nursery parents meeting at 2.15pm.

Tuesday 20th June - New Reception parents meeting at 2.15pm.

Tuesday 27th – Thursday 29th June - **Foundation Stage** (Reception classes and Nursery) - Speaking and listening events.

Wednesday 28th June - **KS1** (Years 1&2) and **KS2** (Years 3&4) will have their Sports Day. Friday 30th June will be the reserve date.

Wednesday 5th July - **Foundation Stage** (Reception classes and Nursery) have their Sports Day. Friday 7th July will be the reserve date.

Thursday 6th July - **School reports** will be sent home.

Monday 10th July - Discuss your child's report with their current teacher and meet your new child's class teacher after school.

Tuesday 11th July - **Year 3** - will go to Meridian School for a Performing Arts day. Parents of the Year 3 children are invited to attend a performance which will include the Year 3s at around 2pm (tbc).

Thursday 13th July - **Year 4** - Transition day.

Thursday 13th July - **Dove** - last swimming lesson.

Friday 14th July - **Year 4** - both Eagle and Falcon to go swimming.

Friday 14th July at 2.45pm, **Dove Class** assembly. Parents of Dove class are invited to attend.

Tuesday 18th July - **Year 4** - Leavers' party, 6-8pm (more details soon).

Wednesday 19th July - **Reception** - trip to the Gordon Craig Theatre.

Thursday 20th July - **Year 4** - Leavers' performance, 6pm.

Friday 21st July - Last day of term, Nursery closes at 11.30 am, School closes at 2pm.

PTA News

PYJAMA PARTY

Thank you to everyone who helped out and supported our pyjama party last Friday. £210 was raised and will go towards supporting the school in various projects.

OPPORTUNITY TO HELP!

An exciting opportunity will be available from September for a new treasurer for the PTA. The role includes counting and banking the money raised, organising floats for events, issuing cheques and giving updates as to the PTAs financial position. We cannot continue to run without a treasurer so please consider whether it's something you could take on.

Please get in touch, either via the school office or message us via our Facebook page if you can help. Thanks.

SUMMER RAFFLE.

We are looking for lovely prizes for our summer raffle if anyone has any contacts or runs their own business and might be prepared to offer something. Please let us know. Traditionally the summer raffle is vouchers for services/days out, but all donations would be gratefully received as always.

If anyone can help, please contact us via the school office or message us via our Facebook page.

Thanks for your continued support

Alison Burton (Nanna of a child in Reception) will be doing a sponsored walk in aid of Alzheimers Society. She will be walking 100km or 64 miles within 24 hours starting this Saturday (27th May).

If you would like to support her with her challenge and raise much needed awareness please donate to:

www.justgiving.com/Alison-Burton8

All the very best of luck to Alison from everyone at Icknield Walk, we all hope it goes well and you raise lots.





Queens Road Playgroup

'The place for young minds to grow and develop'



Open morning

We would like to invite you to our open morning on
Saturday 10th June 2017: 9.30am to 11.30am



Tots/Toddler room



Playgroup room



Sensory garden

Come and see our Playgroup and Tots sessions

High quality care and education for 2, 3 and 4 year olds, funded and fee paying places available.

September 2017 places available:

- ✦ Playgroup - 3-4 year olds
- ✦ Tots - 2 year olds
- ✦ Parent/Toddlers - 2 year olds

We look forward to seeing you

To find out more or to book your place contact Judy Porto (Manager)

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We wish you a very happy half term and look forward to seeing you again on Monday 5th June.

