



West Byfleet Junior School

Week ending: Friday 1 December 2023

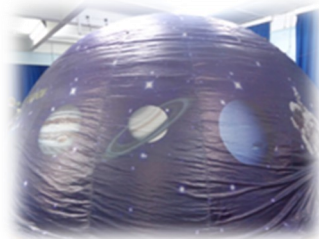


HT Recruitment

Many thanks to all staff and the pupil leaders for their support and contribution in recruiting a new Headteacher, it has been much appreciated.

Astronomy Roadshow

This week, Year 5 enjoyed a fascinating lesson about space that took place in a mobile planetarium. Peter Bassett presented his unique show full of fascinating facts and was able to answer a shower of questions afterwards. If your young explorer would like to find out more, please visit the following website: <https://www.astronomyroadshow.com/astronomy-roadshow.html>



Winter Weather

With the sudden drop in temperatures it is very important that children attend school with appropriate warm clothing as we are still seeing children inappropriately dressed for the weather conditions.

Peer Productions

Over the past four weeks, Year 6 have been buzzing with creativity and learning as they engaged in a series of captivating PSHE (Personal, Social, Health, and Economic) drama workshops. Led by Peer Productions these workshops aimed to foster essential life skills and empower our pupils to navigate various challenges they may encounter.

Maternity Leave

Last Friday Mrs Watts went on Maternity leave. On behalf of everyone at WBJS, good luck! We welcome back Miss Creighton from her Maternity Leave who will be teaching Curie Class.

PTA Christmas Cards

I was absolutely thrilled to see so many children take part in the PTA Christmas card and art projects. The gifts which included cards, coasters bags and even cushions looked amazing and so personal to all the children. Thank you to all the PTA members who made this happen, a truly great opportunity for the children.

PTA Christmas Fayre

Tomorrow sees our annual Christmas Fayre event and is hot off the heels of our Fireworks event a few weeks ago. Our incredibly busy and hard working PTA invite you all to join in the fun at this festive time of the year. I look forward to seeing lots of you there, wrap up warm!

Parent Assemblies

A big thank you to Ms Chergia for delivering last week a very interesting and inspiring assembly to Year 3, all about her role in sub aqua engineering. It was hugely inspirational and great to see the children so engaged with such thought provoking questions.

Wishing you a relaxing weekend.

Diary Reminders & Updates
Newsletter week ending Friday 1 December 2023
Please check weekly, as dates are occasionally subject to change

DATE	YR GP/CLASS	EVENT	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Sat 2 Dec		PTA & PFA Christmas Fair	12:00-15:00
Mon 4 Dec	Tate	Forest Schools - session 3	Children to arrive in Forest School kit and bring uniform in bag
Mon 4-Fri 8 Dec	Y6	Level 1 Bikeability (those who have registered on course with SCC)	
Mon 4 Dec	Whole School	Hobgoblin Theatre Production "The Great Christmas Robbery"	
Tue 5 Dec		Second Hand Christmas Jumper Sale	15:20, Field Gate
Wed 6 Dec		Parenting Puzzle Workshop (last session this term, resumes on Wed 6 Jan)	9.30-11.30
Thur 7 Dec	Y3	Prehistoric Workshop - Chertsey Museum	
Thur 7 Dec		Young Carers Club	12:15-13:05
Fri 8 Dec		Christmas Jumper Day	Wear a Christmas Jumper with your school uniform
Fri 8 Dec		PTA "Elfridges" Shop, Second Hand Uniform Sale & Year 3 Bake Off	Uniform Sale and Bake Off Sale at 3.15pm, Field Gate
Mon 11 Dec	Eden	Forest Schools -session 1	Children to arrive in Forest School kit and bring uniform in bag
Mon 11 Dec		Parent Rep Meeting with Mrs Frommholz	09:30 (via zoom)
Mon 11 Dec	Y5	"Shakespeare Rocks" Production	1:45-15:00
Tue 12 Dec	Y5	"Shakespeare Rocks" Production	09:15-10:30
Tue 12 Dec	Y5	"Shakespeare Rocks" Production	18:30-19:45
Wed 13 Dec		Years 5 & 6 Christmas Lunch	
Thur 14 Dec	Y3 & Y4	Years 3 & 4 Carol Service	09:15-10:15
Thur 14 Dec	Y5 & Y6	Years 5 & 6 Carol Service	11:00-12:00
Thur 14 Dec		Years 3 and 4 Christmas Lunch	
Fri 15 Dec		Enrichment Morning	
Fri 15 Dec		School Finishes for Holidays	13:30

Hobgoblin Theatre Visit

Thanks to our wonderful PTA, on Monday 4 December we are all looking forward to a Hobgoblin performance of 'A Great Christmas Robbery' to get us excited for the festive season!

It promises to be a funny and festive show to get us feeling Christmassy.

Thank you to the PTA!

Problem of the Week and TTR Rock Stars Leader board

PowerPoints can be found on the pupil zone section of the website.

Stars of the Week

PowerPoints can be found on the pupil zone section of the website.

Unauthorised Absence from School

Just to remind parents/carers that if you take your child/ren out of school without authority for five or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), you will be liable to receive a penalty notice.

Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices. Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Headteacher.

WEST BYFLEET JUNIOR SCHOOL PTA

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE



JUMPERS | CARDIGANS | SHIRTS | POLO TOPS
TROUSERS | SKIRTS | SHORTS
RUCKSACKS | TIES

FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER

3.15PM - FIELD GATE

CASH & CARD ACCEPTED

Elf Fridges

FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER

LITTLE ELVES ARE COMING TO WEST BYFLEET JUNIOR SCHOOL! FOR £2.50 YOUR CHILD CAN CHOOSE A GIFT TO TREAT SOMEONE SPECIAL THIS CHRISTMAS. PAYMENT VIA SCHOOL MONEY.

WEST BYFLEET JUNIOR SCHOOL PTA

THE BIG RAFFLE

£50 CHOBHAM ADVENTURE FARM VOUCHER | 3 X AIRHOP PASSES | 6 X INFLAZONE PASSES FOR WOKING LEISURE CENTRE | 2 X TICKETS FOR BOCKETTS FARM | FAMILY TICKET FOR CAPTAIN MULLIGANS GOLF | FAMILY TICKET FOR GUILDFORD SPECTRUM | DONKEY WALK EXPERIENCE WITH DASHING DONKEYS | 2 X CHILDRENS TICKETS FOR FISHERS FARM PARK | HOBLEDOWN TICKETS | 1 WEEK VOUCHER FOR BARRACUDAS CAMPS | £25 SWEET PASSION CAKES VOUCHER | £25 JOJO MAMAN BEBE VOUCHER | CICCIO'S DELI HAMPER | 2 X PASSES FOR SPORTS4KIDS | 2 X BOOKS FROM HANSA | PIZZA EXPRESS VOUCHER | 2 X CARPET CLEANING VOUCHERS FROM PLUSH PILES | 2 X PT SESSIONS | CLOUD NINE VOUCHER | BELL'AMICO VOUCHER | PROSECCO and more prizes to be won!!



£2 A TICKET

RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN AT 2.30PM ON 2ND DEC

BUY YOUR TICKETS AT:

WWW.PTA-EVENTS.CO.UK/WBIS-PARENTSANDFRIENDS
WWW.PTA-EVENTS.CO.UK/WESTBYFLEETJUNIORSCHOOLPTA



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BAKE OFF

WE WILL BE HOSTING CAKE SALES ACROSS THE YEAR. THE YEAR GROUP WHO RAISES THE MOST FUNDS, WINS A PRIZE FOR THEIR CLASSES!

YEAR 3 FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER

FIELD GATE FROM 3.15PM
ALL CAKES WELCOME!
PLEASE NO NUTS!
ASK A MEMBER OF THE PTA OR YOUR CLASS REP FOR MORE DETAILS
ON YOUR MARKS...GET SET....BAKE!!



West Byfleet Infant & Junior School



CHRISTMAS FAYRE

SATURDAY 2nd DECEMBER
12 - 3 PM

Join us for festive favourites Including

SANTAS GROTTO * DONKEY RIDES
BBQ * CHRISTMAS CRAFTS * BAR
* MAGIC SHOWS * GAMES *
AND OTHER DELICIOUS TREATS!

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West Byfleet Infant & Junior School
Christmas Fayre

ON STAGE

12.30 - 1 PM

Reception First

Years 1 & 2 INFANT SCH following

1.30 - 2 PM

JUNIOR SCHOOL CHOIR

2- 2.30 PM

WEST BYLFEEET COMMUNITY CHOIR

2.30 - 3 PM

RAFFLE ANNOUNCEMENTS



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