



The Wickford C of E School



Newsletter

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ATTENDANCE

TARGET: 100%

WHOLE SCHOOL

ATTENDANCE FOR THIS

WEEK: 99.1%

CLASS ATTENDANCE:

Kiboko: 98.9%

Tumbili: 100%

Tembo: 99.6%

Mamba: 98.2%

Simba: 97.7%

Twiga: 100%

PADDINGTONS:

Kiboko:

Tumbili:

Tembo:

Mamba:

Simba:

Twiga:

GOLDEN TABLE:

Kiboko: Isabella

Tumbili: Oliver T

Tembo: Amelia

Mamba: Rose

Simba: Sophie C

Twiga: Georgie

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Well, the school year is drawing to a close.

READING CHALLENGE - SUMMER TERM RESULTS

Well done to everybody who took part in the Reading challenge this term. Awards were given out last week and 89 children were thrilled to receive their **Bronze**, **Silver** and **Gold** awards, slightly lower than earlier terms.

Here are the results:

46% Gold (59 children)

19% Silver (24 children)

13% Bronze (16 children)

21% White (27 children)

TECH TOP TIP

Did you know snapchat shares your location and other users can see where you are? Check here for how to turn this setting off!

<https://support.snapchat.com/a/snap-map-about>

MOMENT OF LOVELINESS

Celebration evening was a wonderful evening, the school looked amazing. Thank you to the families who came back and supported the art exhibition, met new teachers and looked at books.

We also wish Miss Mansfield luck for the future; we thank her for her hard work as she moves to a larger nursery setting.

We thank Miss Glover for her hard work and constant commitment to the school as she moves into a fulltime role with HEARTS Academy Trust. She will still work closely with the leadership team and will be in schools each day.

We must feel very proud, even if we are initially sad, of the staff that are moving on for succession in their career. Those who have 'flown' go on to have impact on a far wider circle of children and this is amazing but also the result of outstanding training and support from the leadership of our school and Trust.

As much as we will miss these key people in our school, we wish them and the children they will go to serve luck and happiness. They will do extremely well.

MILK If you would like your child to have milk in September, please return the slip to the office before Tuesday so we can order correctly when we return. For the first half term it will be £8.96, this can be paid in September.

CLASS ORGANISATION:

<u>Foundation Stage</u>		<u>Year 1</u>		<u>Year 2</u>	
Miss Spalding Parrot Class	Miss Mesher Flamingo Class	Miss Bristow Miss Hourihan Puffin Class	Miss Harris Robin Class	Mrs Springall Wren Class	Miss Scammell Penguin Class
Miss Solomon Across the year group			Mrs Stuart	Mrs Waite	Mrs Adams

Mrs Hall - Art

Mrs Tarplett - EYFS Phase Leader

Little Teds staffing structure:

Mrs Boyce will join us as the nursery leader, she has more than 20 years experience of working with young children and alongside Mrs Doe and Mrs Tarplett, this provision will continue to move forward.

Nursery Nurses will include:

Miss Sharpe and Mrs Tassen (in training).

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Collins to join the team.

CHURCH SERVICE A reminder that this starts at 1:30pm on Monday.

LEAVERS ASSEMBLY This starts at 1:30pm on Tuesday.

Lastly, a big thank you to all parents for their support and positivity this year. We are fortunate to work alongside you to nurture your child to grow to their full potential.

HIRE THE HALL

Need to organise a children's party? Need some space to run an event? If so, please note that the school hall is available for hire. Prices start at £85 for a three hour slot, but we can arrange bookings for shorter or longer periods to suit your needs. Just call into the office and let them know what you are planning. We will try our very best to help.

This will be the last newsletter of the year. We wish our year 2 children luck and happiness as they move on to Junior schools. Some parents worry about this transition but we have faith and knowledge that our children settle in quickly and go forward to demonstrate themselves as the confident, happy and well equipped learners that they have become, their learning behaviour and ethos shining through.

I have been talking to the children about a special 'sculpture of light' that will be in place by the time our children return, this very special feature of the school will also hold all of our happiness pebbles!! Fingers crossed the artist working with us will be finished in time.

School resumes on September 5th, have a wonderful summer.

Mrs Johnson