

March 9th 2022

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Well done to our WOW Workers - see the powerpoint on the website			
Class	Week Ending 04.03.22:	Class	Week Ending 04.03.22:
<u>Ash</u>	Ralphie	<u>Maple</u>	Frankie
<u>Oak</u>	Brody	<u>Spruce</u>	Lucy G
<u>Pine</u>	Liylie	Willow	Phoebe
<u>Elm</u>	Charley	<u>Chestnut</u>	Jake
<u>Birch</u>	Daisy	<u>Aspen</u>	Lilly Ck
		<u>Redwood</u>	Amelia

# **Dangerous Parking**

Please think of the children and park safely. There have been a number of near miss incidents since returning due to inappropriate driving and parking along Canning Road. In previous newsletters we have asked for help in safer street parking due to complaints of residents. This is still the case with several residents complaining as well as the incidents mentioned.

#### DO NOT PARK ON THE YELLOW LINES

# World Book Day–March 3rd

Thursday was a great day with all of the children dressing up in pyjamas and bringing in books to read.

The children had a wonderful day linked to reading and illustrations from books. The artwork that the children produced was outstanding. Well done children and thank you to all the families who supported the day. Happy Reading.



#### Spring 2 Term

This half term has started really well with a much improved attendance across the school and engagement in many school activities. We have had hook days, forest days, Commando Joe activities and much, much more. To find out what your children will be learning this half term look at the school website and follow the curriculum links. Later this term we will celebrate Comic Relief day and our Spring Whole School Forest Day.

We also have 12 clubs running including multi sports, well being Rounder's', Disney. Sign language and much more.

#### Attendance Attendance across the school is improving each half term and was 98% last week :). Please ensure that all children are in school by their allocated time Years 5 and 6 8:40am

Years 3 and 4 8:45am Years 1 and 2 8:50am Early Years 8:55am

Children need to be in school on time to access all of their learning

#### COMIC RELIEF

**RED NOSES** 

Are on sale in school at break times until Tuesday

£1.50



#### Office request

Please make sure that **PARENT PAY** is up to date and that all monies are in for school dinners and trips. The catering company is separate from the school and have a no debt policy-any bills above £10 are followed up.

If you have changed ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER or EMAIL Please contact the office so that the schools emergency contact details are correct.

# IMPORTANT DATE UPDATE

May 5th -Thursday VOTING DAY- Early Years NOT in school- All other year groups are still in school

May 27th—Friday INSET day- School Closed to pupils

June 6th–Monday INSET day- School Closed to pupils

June 24th-Friday INSET day- School Closed to pupils [Development Day Directed day by CAT]

July 21st- Thursday - School Closed to pupils - [Date selected for Jubilee Holiday] [Staffordshire]

# **Updated Website**

We have recently updated the school website and arranged information in a slightly different way to help make it easier to find. www.woodlands.staffs.sch.uk

#### **Reminders of expectations:**

For safety reasons; No hoodies or jewellery for PE

When collecting children, please line up by the hedge to ensure that the paths are free for people to walk on

Please call the office to report child absence. There is a designated answer machine for absence messages-please inform the school if a covid test has been taken

Children should be reading at least 3 times per week. This helps them attain the rewards they deserve.

Children's attendance should be above 95% - please avoid missing any days from school unless ill.

#### SCHOOL CLOSURES

#### INSET

INSET 27.05.22

INSET 06.06.22

INSET 24.06.22 CAT- wide development day

#### Holidays

Half term: School closes: Fri 18 February Opens Mon 28 February.

Easter: School Closes : Fri 8 April Opens Mon 25 April.

Half term: School closes Fri 27 May Opens Mon 6th June.

Summer: School closes: Wed 20 July Opens Tue 6th September.

THURSDAY 21st July = Jubilee Holiday