



Wilthorpe Infant School and Children's Centre

NEWSLETTER

July 16th 2010



Dear parents and carers,

After several months of being unable to upload documents onto the website because of an error on the part of our web hosting service, we now are able to put newsletters and other documents on the website (hurray!). If you go online you can also see the new prospectus for school, the nursery information pack and also the holiday dates for the year.

www.wilthorpeinfants.co.uk

Please read the following section about nursery and school opening times very carefully as there will be some changes to the nursery hours in September. The opening and closing times for nursery, infant school and junior school are all staggered in order to assist parents of children in more than one area to drop off and pick up their children. It would be very beneficial to all if you stick closely to the given times.

Mrs Brady

Nursery opening times

In September the nursery hours will change from 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 15 hours per week. The new hours will be;

Morning nursery - **8.45 - 11.45am**

Afternoon nursery - **12.15 - 3.15pm**

The doors will open at **8.45am** for morning nursery and **12.15pm** for afternoon nursery.

Because of the extended hours, we must insist on prompt pick up - **especially at 11.45am** when there is only 30 minutes to turn around the nursery for the afternoon session.

School opening times

These remain unchanged with the doors to school opening at **8.50a.m.** Could we please ask parents of reception class children to wait until **8.50am** before bringing their children into school. **A member of the reception staff will ring a bell at the main entrance at 8.50a.m.** Hopefully this will reduce congestion and ensure that your child's class teacher is ready to welcome your children. School does not officially start until 9a.m. and the extra ten minutes is to allow you time to change reading books and settle your child into a start of the day activity.

Summer Fair Raffle Prize

One unclaimed prize with no name on stub - No. 3939 - set of flower pots

Second-hand Book Sale

This will continue next week in the reception area. Books, picture books, videos etc. all priced at 10p each.



PE kit

Please accept my apologies for the confusion concerning PE kit in September. We would like each child to have a plain white T-shirt and navy or black shorts or leggings.

Lost coat

Jonathan House in year 1 has lost a lightweight blue coat - it does have his name in it so please check your child's PE kit and bag. It is a navy bomber jacket by Jasper Conran with red, white and blue bands and a grey lining.



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PLEASE LABEL ALL YOUR CHILD'S

CLOTHING AND BAGS READY FOR
SEPTEMBER

Film club news

We received this message from the film club this week -

"Caitlin has won Reviewer of the Week for her short but sweet review of E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial. This makes her now an official SPARK and a goodie bag will be making its way to her this week. Caitlin's review can be viewed on the page -

<https://www.filmclub.org/browse/star-reviews> and as we loved it so much it is also featured on the FILMCLUB

homepage" www.filmclub.org

Our film club will begin again in September - watch out for the letter in the first week of term.

CLUBS

Watch out in the first week of term for all the letters for our after school clubs.

BOOKS

Please return all reading books, library books and packets next week in preparation for summer audit.

Summer Holiday

Friday 23rd July - school closes at 3.20pm. School reopens to children following the summer holidays on

Tuesday 7th September.

End of KS1 assessments

These are one of the performance indicators by which our school is judged by OFSTED. This year the results are better than last year with more children achieving a Level 3 so well done to all the children in year 2.

Reading

86% Level 2 and above

34% Level 3

Writing

91% Level 2 and above

20% Level 3

Mathematics

90% Level 2 and above

34% Level 3

Children's Centre News;

Treasure basket Tots Parent/Baby Play Session - Summer Dates

During the school holidays there will be **NO** Treasure Basket Tots on the following dates:

- 15th July 2010
- 29th July 2010
- 5th August 2010
- 2nd September 2010

On these dates however, you are welcome to our Stay & Play session between 2pm and 3pm in our daycare department.

Thanks, Gillian Headen, Outreach Worker

Children's Centre Inset day

Please be aware that the Children's centre is also closed for training on **Monday 6th September.**

