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Dear Parents and Carers,

Only one more week until Easter; it has been a busy and exciting term. School ends for the term at 1.30pm next Thursday 29th March.

EASTER EGG HUNT

The Easter Egg Hunt was a great success and many children and families [and Easter bunnies] braved the snow to come and have a fun day last Saturday. Many thanks must go to all the parent helpers who volunteered and their time and efforts on the various stalls.

The winner of the Easter Egg Hunt Poster competition is Aria in Sparrows and the winner of the Guess the Bunny's Birthday competition is Akshay in 2C. Well done!

A magnificent £1,000 was raised from the event. Thank you to Jai, Penny and Emilie, Mums to Rohan, Aimee and Charlotte in 1C for organising the event.

EARTH DAY

We spoke to the children in assembly today about Saturday's Earth Day. Some people will be marking the hour this Saturday, by switching off their lights and gadgets for an hour. Some children at school have been making their 'Promise to the Planet' by thinking about what environmentally friendly thing they could do this weekend.

There is more information on our website.

<http://www.wimbledonchaseschool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Earth-Hour-letter-home.pdf>

DECORATE AN EGG

We have received some eggcellent entries in the Egg Decorating Competition this year. Judging has begun and winners will be announced in next week's final assembly. Thank you to all the children and families who took part in this, it has been great fun.



TRIATHLON!

Please remember to apply for the Triathlon which is on Saturday 28th April. To secure your entry, please log on to your child/ren's **ParentPay** account to pay a £3 per child (non refundable) registration fee and give consent for them to take part. Registration should be completed by no later than **Thursday 29 March** and you will then be issued a sponsor card so you can start gathering sponsors. If you have not taken part in the Triathlon before, it is a brilliant event and a day which the children love taking part in.

SPORT RELIEF

Thank you to all who supported Sport Relief today. The children and some parents and staff enjoyed starting the day off with a mile run. We raised nearly £500 for the charity.



STAR WRITERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to Hannah, Heather and Nancy in 6B for their writing in the style of Thomas Hardy. Well done also to Freya in Sparrows. They are all this week's Star Writers.

<http://www.wimbledonchaseschool.co.uk/category/star-writer-of-the-week/>

SUCCESS STORIES

Merton Borough Swimming Champions!

Last Friday evening, the school swim team took part in the Merton Gala Finals at Morden Park Pool. The team won four gold and three silver medals to take the overall first place in the competition. Well done to all the team!

<http://www.mertonssp.org.uk/news/final-schools-gala-morden-park-pool>

The Wimbledon Chase golf team also performed very well in their heats at the MSSP Tri Golf tournament. All members of the team received bronze medals for a respectable third place finish in their competition at Wimbledon Park last Friday. Thank you to Mr Lowe for his time and effort with organising these events.

We are all proud of Noah in Year 5 who is raising money for the Anthony Nolan Trust and is up to a staggering £2,000 in donations. He is certainly an inspiration to us all.

Congratulations to Megan in Year 6 who successfully auditioned for the British Theatre Academy's Greatest Showman choir.

Well done also to Lily in Year 6 who was awarded her Grade 9 certificate for trampolining.

GOODBYE

It is with regret that I have to inform you that Mr Robinson, one of our Assistant Heads, will be leaving Wimbledon Chase at the end of this term.

Mr Robinson has been successful in securing a new position as Deputy Head at a school in Richmond; this is a wonderful opportunity for him.

We wish Mr Robinson the very best of luck for his exciting new role and thank him for his contributions to Wimbledon Chase.

I am very pleased to be able to tell you that Mrs Adamson will be the new Assistant Head for Phase 3. This new post for Mrs Adamson will not affect her teaching commitments next term.

Yours sincerely,



K. ELLIS

Acting Headteacher

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 28th	Maths Curriculum Evening - 6.15pm
	Year 5 Learning Dome [Science]
Thursday 29th	End of Spring 2 term – 1.30pm
Monday 16th April	Summer Term 1 starts
Wednesday 18th	KS1 SATs evening - 7.00pm
Saturday 28th	WCPS Triathlon