



# Wimbledon Chase Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy week with many parents and carers from the Friends in school organising for tomorrow’s Family Day! Thank you for all the donations for tomorrow, it is going to be a great event. An example of your generosity is pictured here – Lina’s family in Year 6 have filled 100 jam jars with sweets [a record!] ready to sell!



## FAMILY DAY - SATURDAY 30 JUNE

11am to 3pm

The Pizza Party Raffle Tickets competition is still being keenly contested with 2B in the lead! There are many classes who are close!

Tickets can still be brought at the fair. The winning class will be announced next week. Keep selling!

## HUMAN POWER !

We will need as much human power that is available to help us set up tomorrow morning. Any help to set up the stalls from 8.30am will really help the day go well. Please report to one of the Friends organisers in the morning and you will be quickly put to good use. Many thanks in advance.

## YEAR 6 FAMILY DAY STALLS

On Monday 25 June, the corridors of Wimbledon Chase were buzzing with confident and accomplished young business people. Having learnt about business innovation, marketing, branding and profit calculation, the Year 6 pupils pitched their enterprise projects for their Family Day stalls to a panel of five judges including teachers, The Friends and representatives of business. Every child worked hard collaboratively and they secured sponsorship from The Odeon Cinema, The Entertainer, Galaxy Café and Waffle Jacks which impressed the judges enormously. They were amazed by the professionalism, confidence and knowledge that the children clearly demonstrated in their presentations. “Slick, innovative and brilliantly branded,” were some of the terms used by the panel to describe the work they had seen. It would be great if as many people as possible could come along to Family Day tomorrow and support all the children’s hard work. As a school we are incredibly grateful for finnCap Investment’s sponsorship allowing WCPS to participate in this national event.

## STAR WRITERS OF THE WEEK

This week’s Star Writers are Conor Year 2, Ada Year 3, Josiah Year 4, Beatrice Year 5 and Rohan Year 6 [see this week’s Success Stories].

Sahana from Owls is also a Star Writer for her writing about the Creepy Crawly Concert. Well done all!

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

## BREAKFAST CLUB

Please note that the fees for Breakfast Club from September will be £5.00 per session.



## MUSICAL EVENING

Thank you to Mrs Godden, Mrs Smith and all the children for providing such an excellent Musical Evening on Wednesday. Thank you for donating £256.15 towards some new music room resources [Bamboo Tamboos!]

## SUCCESS STORIES

### The Young Writers' Competition

The Young Writers' Competition received over 330 entries this year from over 40 local schools. We are delighted that some Wimbledon Chase children were recognised for their writing.

#### Highly Commended:

Conor, Ada, Josiah, Beatrice and Rohan. Highly Commended entries will be published in the Young Writers' Competition 2018 anthology.

#### Commended:

Kithush and Sonia Year 2, William A Year 4 and Isabella Year 6.

Commended entries will receive a certificate.

### Musical Theatre

Congratulations to Milly of Year 4 who achieved a distinction (92%) in her grade 2 musical theatre exam last week. She performed two songs, 'I've Got No Strings' from Pinocchio and 'A Spoonful of Sugar' from Mary Poppins. Well done.

### Choi Kwang Do

Congratulations to Lina in Year 6 who managed to achieve her Black Belt in Choi Kwang Do a few weeks ago. It is quite an achievement, the grading itself lasted nearly 3 hours and it has involved a huge commitment in terms of extra training in the last 6 months (on top of years of working her way up to that point). Well done Lina!

## CAR PARK

You may not know that staff use the car park on Merton Hall Road and often arrive between 8:30 - 8:45 to park. It has been noticed that some parents are pulling into the car park to drop off children and that there have been incidents of some children cutting across the car park which have made staff very anxious. Please help us keep the site safe by not using the car park to drop children off.

Thank you.

## BOOK FAIR

Just a reminder that Mrs Giddings will be running a Book Fair after school in the dining hall on the 9, 10 and 11 of July.

## CYCLE TRAINING

Merton is offering free cycle training during the summer holidays. Please follow this link to our website for more information.

<http://www.wimbledonchaseschool.co.uk/2018/06/free-bikeability-cycle-courses-summer-2018/>

## MR SIGNAL

It is with sadness for the school that I have to inform you that Mr Signal will be leaving us at the end of the year. Mr Signal has been appointed as the English post holder for a school in Kingston. I am happy for Mr Signal for his promotion and I am sure that you will join me in wishing him every success in his new school.

## FINALLY

Parents may be interested in the Woodlands Education Consultancy run by a Chase parent. To find out more visit:

[www.woodlandseducationconsultancy.com](http://www.woodlandseducationconsultancy.com)

## THANK YOU TEA PARTY

Any parent volunteer and class reps are cordially invited to a *Thank You Tea Party* in the dining hall on Wednesday 4th July at 9am. We are incredibly grateful for all you do for the school and would like to share some tea and cake with you!

Don't forget that it is **INSET** on Friday.

We look forward to seeing you all tomorrow at Family Day!

Yours sincerely,



## K. ELLIS

Acting Headteacher