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Newsletter no. 25 Spring Term – Friday 18th March 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much to our wonderful Witley families who have given so generously this week to some very important causes. On Wednesday we dressed in blue and yellow for Ukraine and Year 1 made peace doves. We raised £263 which we will send to DEC (Disaster Emergencies Committee).

Miss Mainwaring and Mrs Graham led our whole school assembly reflecting on how we all need help at some point in our lives and that God sees and hears the conflict in Ukraine.



We prayed that the war will come to an end soon and that people could find forgiveness and the World could be a better place for everyone.







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John 3:16 (NIV)

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Our children will be performing a special Easter Assembly for parents and siblings on **Monday, 28**th **March at 2.30 pm** in the Playground. If it rains we will retreat to the Jubilee Hall. Unfortunately we cannot extend this invitation to extended family.

We know how much our Year 2 have missed out on whole school experiences so they will be taking centre stage!



Thank you to everyone who brought in clothing for the Rag Bag Recycling. We raised £104. We will organise another collection in the summer term, so please put your clothing to one side. Unfortunately we now have so much second hand uniform that we cannot accept any more at the moment.

You may have heard from the children that we had a drone overhead yesterday. I can confirm that this was approved by the Civil Aviation Authority and the focus was All Saints Church and their boundary. The remote pilot is registered with public liability insurance. It caused a lot of excitement!

In preparation for parent consultations at the end of the month the office are trialling our new Arbor system. You will have received a welcome email and details inviting you to join, along with your login details. As with most systems we do envisage a few teething problems, but please do not panic if a parent has received an email and you haven't. If you do encounter any issues, please let us know and we will endeavour to resolve them as quickly as possible. Thank you for your patience.

Finally, don't forget to check out the School dates page at the bottom of our newsletter.

Have a safe weekend, Mrs Szczepanski

Job Vacancy - Cook - Witley School, Godalming

Based at Witley School, Godalming, the starting salary for this role is £9,441 per annum for 22.5 hours per week, 38.4 weeks per year. Please follow the link below as this job is being advertised through Surrey County Council. Applications close 21.03.22

https://www.reed.co.uk/jobs/cook-witley-school-godalming/45994205?source=details.similarjobs





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Haslemere Educational Museum Easter Holidays 2022



FAMILY EVENTS

SUITABLE FOR ALL AGES | PARENTS MUST REMAIN WITH THEIR CHILDREN
Members £2 | Non Members £4 | Book in advance
SHIPS AND HORSES

Thursday 7 April | 10.30am-1pm

During the Trojan War, both ships and horses proved vital. Join us for a fun morning where we will make models of both.

EASTER EGG-CITEMENT

Tuesday 12 April | 10.30am-1pm

Join us as we get creative with lots of arts and crafts activities themed around Easter. There will also be a special garden trail for children, who will be rewarded with a chocolate treat, when they find the characters hidden throughout the garden.

THE WHALE PLASTIC OCEAN

Wednesday 13 April | Performances at 12, 12.30, 2, 2.30, 4 & 4.30 | Members £2 | Nom Members £4

Squeeze into the belly of an enormous inflatable Sperm Whale for this immersive theatrical experience. With the use of exquisite puppets, comedy and music, Circo Rum Ba Ba explore the tale of sea creatures and their battle to survive in an ocean full of rubbish.



EARLY BIRDS

Monday 11 April | 11am-1pm Donations Welcome | Book in advance Special opening of the Museum, for families with children who have an Autism Spectrum Condition, to come along and enjoy the Museum, free from the hustle and bustle of the general public.

MUSEUM EXPLORERS

For 5-11 years | Sessions run 10.30am—12pm Members £5 | Non Members £7 | Book in Advance Join us once a month on a Saturday and selected dates throughout the school holidays.

Books, Books, Books

Saturday 2 April - 10.30 am - 12.00 noon As part of International Children's Book Day we will be looking at how books are made, how they have changed over the years and make our own Museum book.

Shield Designs

Tuesday 5 April - 10.30 am - 12.00 noon Join ceramicist Jan Hite for a fun creative session taking inspiration from the Greek black and red pottery techniques to make miniature clay shields.

Nature Spirits

Thursday 14 April - 10.30 am - 12.00 noon Join artist Diana Burch to make some magical Spirit creatures using natural materials.

Book all events via www.haslemeremuseum.co.uk

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Cake raffle winner!

This week's winner is Florence in Penguins.

Thank you to the Harding family for this week's beautiful lemon & elderflower cake.



Well done to the following children who are in our Gold Book this week.

Dolphins: Bella and Lark
Penguins: Khaqan and Nell
Puffins: Alice and Albie



Dates to Remember

SPRING TERM 2022

Monday 28th March – Easter Assembly in the school grounds at 2.30 pm – Parents invited

Tuesday 29th March – Spring Parent Consultations 1.15 pm – 5.30 pm Live in the Jubilee Hall

Friday 1st April – End of Term for Easter Break **EARLY FINISH 1:30 pm**

Tuesday 19th April – INSET DAY

Wednesday 20th April – Return to School

Monday 2nd May – BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY

Thursday 26th May – School finishes for half term

Friday 27th May – INSET DAY before half term (Monday 30th – Friday 3rd June)

SUMMER TERM 2022

Monday 6th June – Return to school

Tuesday 28th June – Dolphins Class to visit Tuesley Farm

Friday 22nd July – End of term for the summer EARLY FINISH 1.30 pm





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'Pitch Pals Easter Football Camps @ Milford School'

Daily Camps will be available on Monday 11th, Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th April. All days will run 9am-3.30pm (late pick-up of 4pm and half-days are also available to book). Your child can expect a camp full of fun games, activities, and tournaments, with expert coaching from FA-qualified Coaches in a safe, fun, and inclusive environment. Early booking is recommended to guarantee your child's space. You can book at www.pitchpals.co.uk -£35 per day, or £95 for all three days

Pitch Pals also offer early years sessions for ages 2-5, school and nursery clubs, as well as events and parties. Please see their website or email Paul Wicks on info@pitchpals.co.uk







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Follow the link below to access this month's Families Surrey West Magazine.

https://bit.ly/FamiliesMarchApril2022





EASTER TENNIS CAMP 2022

Head Coach Jorge Martin is running a Tennis Camp at ELSTEAD VTC over the Easter holiday.

The camps dates are as follows:

Week 1 - From the 4th to the 8th of April from 9.00 to 3.00pm.

Week 2 - From the 11th to the 14th of April from 9.00-3.00pm.

For further information about the Easter Tennis Camp, please see the attached application form.