



News cycle

The HEADLINE

Welcome to Sam who has joined us in Y1 - I hope he enjoys his time with us at Woodbridge Primary. As usual the Summer Term is very busy with lots of great events. The FOWPS Summer Fair was a great success, in spite of the inclement weather! A huge thank you to everyone who came along and supported us. As well as our usual planned Summer term events, like our Sports days and the Y6 Summer production we have had some other extraordinary events. Our 'street style' picnic in the (car) park, in celebration of Queen Elizabeth's 90th birthday, was a great success and the children gave a rousing rendition of the national anthem before being presented with a badge to commemorate the occasion.

The children have enjoyed taking part in the democratic process by casting their vote in the EU referendum, as well as seeing an Anglo Saxon ship and learning what it takes to program robots. Y3 are taking part in musical workshops and next week Y4 are experiencing what life was like in Tudor England. We have had our usual, annual invasion of Early Years pirates, and I am pleased to report that, once again, they were the the politest pirates you could wish to meet!



M. Kinnear

Soon to be...

Upcoming events for Woodbridge Primary

27th June

F2 go to Dunwich Heath

Y4 go to Kentwell Hall

Y6 Derbyshire Presentation

28 June

Y4 Marvellous Maths at FHS

New Parents info evening

29th June - 1st July

Y5 are on an African adventure!

1st July

Y3 Stay 'n' Learn (Stone Age Tools)

4th July

Class Transfer Morning (1)

7th July

Y1 & Y2 Stay 'n' Learn (Olympics)

11th July

Y6 dress rehearsal

12th July

Y6 'Mystery at Magpie Manor' (7pm in the school hall)

13th July

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14th July

Y6 visited by 'Just 42'

15th July

Class Transfer Morning (2)

F2 induction morning

Student Reports sent home

18th July

KS1 Sports Morning

Parent/Teacher Consultations

(by appointment)

19th July

KS2 Sports Morning

21st July

Leavers Assembly we say

farewell to Y6

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There's a Mystery Afoot...

On **12th & 13th July** we may need your help.

There's been a robbery at Magpie Manor... Agatha Christie is on the case, but it's really baffling! Tickets for the Y6 Summer production will be on sale soon. Make sure you come along, and bring your friends and relatives, Agatha is going to need all the help she can get!



The NEWS

Practising Democracy

On Thursday 23rd June the EU referendum elections came to Woodbridge Primary School. Students in KS2 registered to vote, went into the polling booth, cast their vote and put their ballot paper in the ballot box. After she had voted, **Kitty** in **Y5** was asked how she felt about voting and she said, 'I think it's really exciting...I like having my own choice.'



A student collects his ballot paper

The Anglo Saxon Ship

Sae Wyffling, a half sized replica in length, of the ship found at Sutton Hoo and in the care of Woodbridge Riverside Trust, came to the school on 13th June. Y4 and a Y3 class from Melton Primary School enjoyed a morning of Anglo Saxon activities with the Ealdfaeder enactment group.

Learning about Robotics

With the help of BT Y2 for a very successful afternoon learning about algorithms and how to program robots. Many thanks to BT and all the volunteers.

Celebrating with you Ma'am!

On Friday 10th June the whole school celebrated Queen Elizabeth's 90th with a picnic in the (car)park. The children dressed in union flag colours and sang the national anthem. We were delighted that Councillors Caroline Page and Clare Perkins came to the school to present the children with a specially designed commemoration badge. A fantastic time was had by all!

Ahoy there!

On 14th June the school was invaded by pirates! Early years hosted a Stay 'n' Play, and children and adults dressed up as pirates and played pirate games.



A pirate takes a prisoner!

Netball

WPS v. Kyson: 8-8

On June 21st the netball team showed great confidence throughout their match against Kyson. As the sun shone both teams played exceptionally well and WPS were please to be in the lead at half time. Kyson pulled back during the 3rd quarter and were leading 6-8 with only a few minutes remaining. With some fantastic communication between players and real commitment; Woodbridge were able to end the game with a well earned draw. Well done to **Leo, Tom, Chloe H, Chloe K, Alex, Beth, Libbie, Iyla** and **Harry**.

Swimming

Tom, Chloe K, Millie, Joshua and **Harry** all took part in the Great East Swim at Alton Water on 18th June, where they had to swim 250m in open water. There were 60 swimmers in all and **Harry** finished in 2nd place. Congratulations to all for their commitment.

Willow Garden

Please be aware that Willow Garden Wrap Around clubs book up quickly. If you wish to book an ad hoc place at one of the Willow Garden Wrap Around clubs you will need to speak

the school office as ad hoc places not always available.

Nutmeg & Ginger

At Woodbridge Primary we are very proud of our eco credentials, and it would appear that there are a couple of guinea pigs that appreciate what we do. Nutmeg and Ginger are very happy that we take recycling seriously, as they benefit from all our shredded paper!



Sports Day

Our sports days will be on 18th (KS1) & 19th (KS2) of July, from 9am to midday. Parents are invited to come along to enjoy our sporting activities and to bring a picnic lunch, if they would like to, to share with their children after the event.

48hr Exclusion for Sickness

Please remember that there is a 48hr exclusion for children who have vomiting or diarrhea. If you are unsure about when your child may return to school please speak to the office staff for guidance.

Y4 Kentwell Hall

Y4, remember to change the time on your alarm clock for **Monday** morning! **Y4 students** need to be at school, dressed in their Tudor costumes, at **7:45am** to catch the bus to their Tudor adventure.

WPS EU Referendum results:



67 (61%) Remain; 43 (39%) Leave.