



Dear Parents/Guardians,

SPORTS RELIEF WEEK

Ms Dallimore-Gray wrote to you last week explaining what, as a school, we would be doing this week as part of our involvement in Sports Relief Week. (See below a list of activities that will take place during the school day).

On Friday we have asked the children to come to school dress in the 'kit' they have to wear when doing sporting activities outside of school. (If your child does not do additional activities outside of school then they can come to school in any 'sports' gear).

FRIDAY WILL BE A FREE EVENT (NO DONATION REQUIRED) AND YOU ARE NOT EXPECTED TO BUY AN OUTFIT ESPECIALLY FOR THIS DAY.

SPORTS RELIEF OVERVIEW:

Day	Activity
Mon	Hula Hooping
Tues	Skipping
Wed	Welly 'Wanging'
Thurs	Boogie/Dance
Fri	Penalty Shoot out
Fri	Come to school in your sports/activity kit

CLASS ATTENDANCE (W/C 12-03-2018)

National Average school attendance is 96.00-97.00%

Class	%	Class	%
Apple	83.78%	Chestnut	97.41%
Ash	93.00%	Willow	93.21%
Maple	94.83%	Acer	94.67%
Oak	96.00%	Beech	97.86%
Cedar	95.36%	Pine	84.40%
Whole School		92.63%	

Well done to **Class Beech** who achieved 97.86% attendance.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

Any Holidays taken during term time will be unauthorised unless they are for exceptional circumstances.

If your child is unwell due to sickness (vomiting) or diarrhoea it is vital that you inform the school office.

Any person who is absent from school due to sickness (vomiting) or diarrhoea should not return to school until they have had 48 hours free from any level of vomiting or diarrhoea.

PERMISSION SLIPS

PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU RETURN PERMISSION SLIPS TO SCHOOL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. Returning the slip on the day of the trip makes it very difficult to finalise arrangements.

If permission slips are not returned before the day of the activity, then there is a very high chance that your child will not be able to participate in some activities.

EASTER LUNCH – WEDNESDAY 28TH MARCH

Please note there is a change to the published school lunch menu. On Wednesday 28th March, Mrs Rice and her team will be cooking a delicious Easter Lunch as shown below. The cost of a school lunch is £2.20.



END OF TERM

School will shut for the Easter Break at 3:15pm on Thursday 29th March 2018. School will reopen again on Monday 16th April 2018.

★ CLASS STARS OF THE WEEK! ★

Well done to the following Class Stars of the Week:

FSU: Hannah & Theo

Year 1-2: Leah, Lila & Paige.

Year 3-4: Anastasia, Erin & Kyum.

Year 5-6: Harry, Taylor & Tom.

🏆 SILVER BOOK CERTIFICATE 🏆

Congratulations to following Silver Book entries:

Kylie, Erick, Leah, Grace, Ariella, Abigail, Jacob, Charlie, Finn, Aidan, Mya, Belle, Evan, Owen, Louis, Charlie, Max, Poppy, Olivia, Yassin, Phoebe, Archie, Lexi, Maria, Morgan, Harry, Karim, Byron, Tomas, Leo & Alfie.

🏆 SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 🏆

Congratulations to the following Sporting Achievers:

George, Mia & Stanley.

OXFORD MAIL OX5 RUN – Sunday 25th March 2018

This Sunday I will be running the OX5 5 mile run around Blenheim Palace with my daughter Matilda. Her 6 year old best friend has been battling bone cancer for the last year and we are hoping to help raise lots of money for the amazing Children's Hospital that has cared for her so well and saved her life. Thank you so much to everyone who has sponsored us so far, we are extremely grateful and would be thankful if any more of you would consider sponsoring us. Donations can be handed in to the school office or made through our Just Giving page :

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/zoeclaxton>
from Miss Claxton

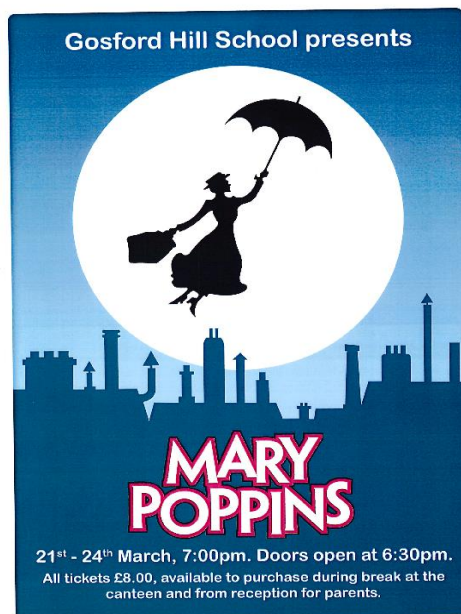
CYCLING TO SCHOOL

If your child cycles to school then they **MUST** ask for a cycle permit from the School Office; **MUST** have a road worthy bicycle and **MUST WEAR A CYCLE HELMET**. Thank you.

GOSFORD HILL SCHOOL DRAMA PRODUCTION

MARY POPPINS

This year Gosford Hill School will be performing "Mary Poppins" on 21st – 24th March at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend, tickets are available from Gosford Hill School Reception for £8.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

There will be no After School Clubs on Monday 19th, Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st March which are run by North Kidlington School teaching staff, as they will be holding Parent Consultation Meetings.

The only clubs which will be running are Homework Club on Tuesday (run by Teaching Assistants) and Multi-Sports Club on Wednesday (run by Ignite Sports).

On Thursday 22nd and Friday 23rd all clubs will be running as normal. Thank you

JOB VACANCIES

NKS CLEANER (MATERNITY COVER)

We currently have a cleaning job vacancy, with an immediate start, to cover maternity leave. Please contact the School Office for more information.

BURSAR-CHARLTON-ON-OTMOOR CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Charlton-On-Otmoor currently have a vacancy for a part time bursar (Grade 8/ 10 depending on experience) for one to two days a week. If you would like to find out more then please contact:

Ms A. Morgan, Head teacher, Charlton-on-Otmoor C E Primary School, Fencott Road, Kidlington, OX5 2UT.
01865 331239

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 19th-21st March 2018-Parent Consultations

Tuesday 20th March 2018-Class Apples School Eye Tests

W/C Monday 19th March 2018-Sports/Comic Relief (Including Red Nose Day (Details already sent home)

Wednesday 21st-22nd March 2018-LKS2 Tudor Workshops

Thursday 22nd March 2018-EFYS and Y6 NCMP Height and Weight measuring (See previously sent home letter for more information).

Tuesday 27th March 2018-Class Apples Stay 'n' Play (8:45am-9:15am)

Wednesday 28th March 2018-FoNKS Easter Cake Sale

Thursday 29th March 2018-End of Spring 2nd Half-Term-3:15pm Finish

Friday 30th March 2018-Good Friday-School Closed

Monday 2nd-Friday 13th April 2018-Easter Holiday-School Closed.

Monday 16th April 2018-Start of Summer 1st Half Term-School open to all pupils

Gary Kemp
Head Teacher

Monday 19th March 2018