



Waverley School and Nursery *'Communication'*

Week ending 20th January 2012

I would like to thank all of the staff this week for their hard work and enthusiasm in setting up and running our new clubs. The children seem to be enjoying them immensely and it is great to be able to offer such a variety of activities in a small school like ours. The KS2 cookery also started this week and seemed to be very popular. This club has a much broader base than just cooking and the children are also being introduced to kitchen safety, nutrition and also widening their tastes with some new flavours and cuisines.

In our assembly, we continued to look at Jesus' teachings during the Sermon on the Mount this week and thought about how "meekness" is something to aim for. We had a time of quiet reflection on how to make our hot thoughts, cooler and not give way to anger, and red fiery thoughts.

A frosty start to the week caused a few red cheeks, but many of our pupils were sporting our Waverley woolly hats. These are **plain** grey knit and can be purchased from Jacksons along with matching gloves and scarves, could I please kindly ask that you do not send your child to school with non-uniform winter wear? Our uniform is very important to us.

Our congratulations to Sophie this week as she passed her level 7 horse riding award. Our Reception pupils were quite amazed to hear that Sophie is able to jump over a fence as tall as they are! Super work Sophie. Lastly, belated congratulations to Chloe for obtaining her swimming certificate. Very well done.



Year 4 Assembly
'The 1990's'

Reminders for Week Beginning 9th January

Monday 23rd

- Swimming Lessons # 3

Thursday 26th

- WFA Disco Party 3:30 to 5:30pm

Friday 27th

- Reception Class Assembly - 9am

Saturday 28th

- Open Day 10am – 1 pm

After School Clubs

Collections

Confirmation for KS2 Cookery Club collection arrangements

Tuesday

Activity	KS2 Cookery
Collect From	Main Hall (External Door)

Thursday 26th January and Thursday 8th March

Due to the WFA Disco next Thursday and Parents Evening on Thursday 8th March from 3:45 to 6pm Tennis, Performing Arts and Exam Preparation will take place on alternative dates as follows:

Exam Preparation - Mrs Murphy will make up the Exam Preparation at lunchtimes for both dates.

Tennis and Performing Arts scheduled for Thursday 26th will move to Thursday 29th March, but both will continue as usual on Thursday 8th March.

Netball Match

Waverley v White House. on Wednesday 18th

U10/11 High 5 unfortunately lost 2-1. A closely contested game with Maya captaining the team and Josie being chosen as player of the match.

U11's won their game convincingly 13-1 with superb shooting from both Dionne and Sophie who were very tightly marked in their area and excellent defending and attacking play from all the other players. Captain was Sophie and player of the match went to Jemima.

A special mention to Ashleen and Josie who played in both matches. Well done to all players – I am very proud of you.

(Alison Serjeant)

Waverley Early Years

Nursery

Bouncing Bears have started to do a new Birthday Board, and have been sticking with triangle shapes. They have used their imaginations by playing in the role play area with the food and dressing up.

Cuddly Cubs have been colouring in shapes to stick on their creative board and decorating paper plates. They also went for a walk to the woods and the park. Today they all joined together for a woodland walk in their wellies.

Pre-Prep 1

This week Cheeky Chimps have changed their Birthday Board. They painted their own Birthday cakes in lovely colours to put up on the display.

The children finished their 'Ourselves' topic display by drawing the features on the people and labelling them.



Pre-Prep 2

This week we have been continuing our theme of "Ourselves" with the focus on families.

We have used a nursery rhyme "There Was an Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe" as a starting point for discussion.

The children have made the Old Woman's house from an old boot, some children from dolly pegs and furniture and garden equipment from a variety of materials.



The children have looked at different clothes and used mathematical language to sort them into sets of clothes to fit different members of the family. We also talked about pairs, and sorted socks into matching pairs and drew pairs of gloves with matching patterns.

Waverley Friends Association

Disco Party

Thursday 26th January at 3:30pm. Please ensure you complete and return them as soon as possible with your payment.

WFA Meeting

Thank you to all the parents that attended this morning's meeting.

Kind regards

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Spotlight on.....German

This term we have started learning German. After two short weeks we can already say "Hello and Goodbye" in lots of different ways and can ask simple questions. We have learnt lots of fun songs which we sing to on the interactive whiteboard. We play lots of different games to help us remember words and phrases and we even get to play with a football in the classroom!

This week we have been learning numbers in German. We have been doing addition and subtraction games online, against the clock. We finished the lesson with a game of bingo, with different children calling out the numbers! I wonder what will be in store for us next week...

