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Guiding World Thinking Day

It was Guiding World Thinking Day on Sunday 22nd February and in honour of the occasion and to promote Guiding within the school community, we are inviting Rainbow, Beaver, Brownie, Guide, Cub Scout and Girls' and Boys' Brigade members to wear their uniforms to school on **Monday 2nd March**. Today's assembly focused on World Thinking Day and we would like to thank Mrs Emerton and Ms Mills for leading this. If you would like more information about The Guides, please visit www.girlguiding.org.uk

Netball & Football

As usual the netball team played extremely well but once again, were up against a team of older, bigger and stronger players. Woodlands went home with a 4-1 win. Here follows a report from one of the players.

"On Wednesday afternoon we played Woodlands Primary School. We lost but it was a fantastic game. Miss McNeill was very proud of us. Every Monday after school we practise netball but we need some Year 6s on our team. It's only seven people on the team and we are Year 5s. It would be nice to have more people so we have a variety of people. Our training is from Mrs Humbles and Miss McNeill. They are so good. Miss McNeill played for a team and trains us well. We can pass high and shoot. We love it. It is so fun and we enjoy the matches.

Even if we lose we still love it. As the footballers have a uniform we would like a netball uniform please. We're not sure of the score because Maddy, Summar and Amy think it's 3-1 but I think it's 4-1." By Amy, Florrie, Maddy & Summar

And here are A and B team football reports from Mattie, Jamie, Jory and Reece.

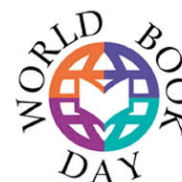
"The game started with an own goal by the Woodlands centre back. After some good passing in midfield, Matt (our Captain) found the run that he was looking for. Jamie took a shot but the ref didn't award it even though there was a suspicion that it went past the line. Some good passing from Woodlands made it possible for the opposition to penetrate our defence and score a goal. Woodlands followed this with two more to make it 3-1. We managed to bring the score to 3-2 with a goal from Dean. Unfortunately Woodlands followed this with another two."

"The B Team football match against Woodlands went well until Woodlands scored against our keeper, Reece. Reece made some great acrobatic saves but at half time we were 3-0 down until Woodlands scored an own goal. Woodlands scored another goal straight after the half time kick off and scored again, so the end score was 5-1."

Next Week's Matches and Practise Sessions: Next Wednesday's football and netball matches are cancelled. Training is still on.

Parking – A Polite Reminder
Please park courteously when coming to the school. In particular, please do not park across driveways. Thank you.

World Book Day
Next Thursday, 5th March, is World Book Day. Adrian Townsend, author of the "Gran's Gang" books, will be with us for assembly on Thursday and again from 8.30 to 9.00 a.m. on Friday morning, when copies of his books will be available for sale. This year we won't be dressing up. However, children will be given a voucher to claim a free book. Also the English Team are planning an English Week in the summer term.



Fencing & Basketball

Just a reminder that Fencing is still on Tuesday mornings from 8.05 a.m. until 8.45 a.m. and Basketball is after school on Tuesday, 3.30 p.m. until 4.30 p.m. If you have been previously you are welcome to come along again. Newcomers are welcome too. Payment to be made to Premier Sport. If you would like further information please call into the School Office for a leaflet.

Tennis Taster Sessions

Tonbridge Tennis club is offering free taster sessions at Hugh Christie on Wednesday 11th March for Year 3 and 4 from 4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. and Years 5 and 6 from 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. Please call Linda Chapman at chapmanl@sky.com or call either 01732 359040 or 07887 763040 to book at place.

2016 Term Dates

Please accept our apologies for the error in the last bulletin. The end of term date for Easter 2016 is Thursday 24th March. Friday 25th is Good Friday.



CAGE GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

24 February 2015

Dear Parents and Carers,

World Autism Awareness Week :



As part of World Autism week, Cage Green School and the Phoenix Centre for Autism will be participating in a number of events to raise awareness of Autism in our school and community.

- On Friday the **27th March** PACT will be holding a cake sale after school for World Autism Awareness week and raising money for PACT and the National Autistic Society. The theme of the cake sale will be 'Pink and Purple' and any donations of cakes and delectable goodies towards this event would be gratefully received.
- On Wednesday the **1st April** 2015 pupils will be able to wear Pink and/or Purple to "Stand out for Autism" to school (National Autistic societies colours) for a suggested donation of £1 towards the National Autistic Society.
- On Thursday **2nd April** parents and pupils are encouraged to join the Ridge View parents and pupils in a "Flash Mob Dance" in the precinct outside Marks and Spencer's in Tunbridge Wells (Royal Victoria Place) at 11:30am to mark and celebrate Autism Awareness Day. Ridge View pupils, staff and parents will be doing a short dance routine and handing out leaflets to raise awareness of Autism. Everyone is encouraged to wear blue and come along and join in.

More information and reminders about these events will follow closer to the time but we do encourage everyone to participate and help raise the profile of Autism in our school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Judi Beggs

Phoenix Centre Leader