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Woodhouse Community Primary School

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Summer Term

Weekly Newsletter – Friday 17th April 2015

Welcome Back! I hope you all had a happy Easter and enjoyed the lovely weather during the holidays. We are back to full swing, with a very busy term ahead and I am sure we will work hard, behave wonderfully and continue to make good progress this half term.

Water Bottles: as the weather is now starting to get warmer, please can children bring a **named** water bottle to school daily (plain water only), we do have water bottles for sale at the office for £1.50 each. Children must also have a cap and should have sun cream applied before coming to school.

Safety: There have been several concerns brought to me by parents this week about children almost being burned by cigarettes when leaving the school premises. Smoking is strictly prohibited on and around the immediate school premises: please do not smoke until you are well away from the school and surrounding area. There continues to be several cars who are parking on the yellow lines directly outside of school. Again, the markings are there for the safety of your children and to prevent congestion: please park away from the school and walk to collect your child so we alleviate congestion on Walker Drive. Finally, dogs are not allowed on the school premises and must not be brought under any circumstances. Thank you.

Pupil; of the Week:

Y1: Lucas S for excellent counting in maths

Y2: Marley S for settling into our school so beautifully!

Y3: Jak B for making fabulous improvements in his handwriting

Y4: Kaci A for super listening and excellent contributions to class discussions

Y5: Megan S for a tremendous improvement in maths and all round super behaviour and attitude!

Y6: Owen F for excellent work all round and having a positive attitude

Astronomical Attendance: this week the best attendance in school goes to Class 3. Well done everyone!

Reception: 93.3%

Y1: 90%

Y2: 93%

Y3: 95.3%

Y4: 88%

Y5: 95.0%

Y6: 86%

Remember! We are aiming to have at least 95% attendance for every class, every week: let's see if we can make this term the best attendance yet!

Lunchtime Supervisor's; Good manners; award this week goes to Briony Clough for always having impeccable manners and behaviour and setting an excellent example to others: well done!

Dates for your Diary: (please also check the school website diary pages for key dates throughout the year)

Tuesday 14 th April	Return to school
Monday 20 th April	EYFS Swimming pm.
Tuesday 21 st April	Y1 & Y4 Trip to Washington Wildfowl
Tuesday 28 th April	SUDs Planting Days for pupils and parents (invitation slips will be sent out next week)
Year 6 SATs	Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May: <i>under no circumstances; must children be absent from school during this week.</i>

Mrs Page
Headteacher

