



Dear parents/carers,

It is hard to believe that there are less than two weeks until the end of the school year! In our penultimate week, the children will be virtually meeting their new class teacher on Wednesday and the children's school reports will be sent out. It has been a pleasure to read how well the children have progressed this year. If you are following the football – we wish England the best of luck on Sunday! I hope you have a lovely weekend.
Ross and Wanda.



Some highlights from our school this week:

Year 6 have been writing poems about their time at Wingfield. Next week, Year 6 will be going on a range of trips for their 'Enrichment Week' - the year group will be climbing the o2 for one of the days!

Year 5 have competed in a mini sports day demonstrating outstanding sportsmanship and effort.

Year 4 have been reading 'Iron Man' and discussing the effects of language choice.

Year 3 have completed their shoebox biomes. In maths, they have been completing bar charts.

Year 2 have been writing playscripts for their circus dioramas.

Year 1 have been completing online work on Showbie.

Reception have been reading the 'Pirates Are Coming' and doing characters/settings profile in relation to the story.

Nursery have been looking at seaside pictures of themselves and discussing beaches. In addition to that, they have been writing postcards.



New term dates

An email outlining the term dates for the 2021/22 academic year has been sent to parents/carers via email. Just to confirm, children are back at school on **Monday, 6th September**. If you have any issues, or you haven't received the email, please email the office for further information.

In addition to that, our 'Meet the Teacher' day is on **Wednesday, 14th July**. Due to the pandemic, this will be running virtually.

School uniform

As we are getting to the end of the school year, we would like to direct you to the website where you can purchase Wingfield's uniform, www.brigade.uk.com. Please place your order by 1st August for delivery for the start of term in September. Parents are reminded that Wingfield specific jumpers, cardigans and bags are only available on this website. All other parts of the uniform (polos, skirts, dresses etc.) can be purchased in other retailers, as long as they follow the school's colour code.

Holiday Fun Fridays

Holiday Fun Fridays will take place each Friday during the school summer holidays in General Gordon Square in Woolwich, which will be festooned with colour, lively free entertainment and activities for the kids (and grown-ups!), plus market stalls featuring gifts and treats from local businesses as well as fab food from across the world to tempt your tastebuds.

When: Friday 30 July, 6 August, 13 August, 20 August, 27 August
10am to 4pm

And be prepared for some unexpected live performances around the Square, as part of their Royal Greenwich Festivals summer season! Find out what else is on at our Holiday Fun Friday events at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/holidayfunfridays.

French Phrase of the Week

Ou habites tu?

Translation :

Where do you live ?

Word of the week: quintessential

Definition: the most typical example or most important part of something

Context: that was a quintessential trip around the countryside.

Contacting us –

If you need anything then send us an email.

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or leave a message at the school office **020 8856**

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Anti-Bullying Steering Group

School Lead – Miss Robyn Hudson. E-safety leaders – Mr Jack Delaney and Miss Helena Bolt
Members - Mrs Rosie Medhurst, Tazeen Mirza, Ms Vidushi Khosa, Miss Shelley, School council members and Digital

Dates for the diary

Last day of Summer 2 term

Wednesday, 21st July 2021

Recipe of the week

Turkey & coriander burgers with guacamole

Ingredients

- 70g of quinoa
- 75g avocado, halved and stoned
- 1 small garlic clove, finely grated
- ½ tsp mustard powder
- 1 lemon, juiced and half zested
- 198g can sweetcorn, drained
- 160g cherry tomatoes, halved
- 2 x 5cm chunks cucumber, diced
- 2 spring onions, finely sliced
- 2 tbsp pumpkin seeds



Method

STEP 1

Put the quinoa in a pan of boiling water and simmer for about 18 mins until the grains burst. Tip into a sieve and rinse under cold water.

STEP 2

Meanwhile, scoop the avocado into a bowl and add the garlic, mustard and 2 tbsp lemon juice, then blitz with a hand blender or in a food processor until smooth. Add 1-2 tbsp cold water if it's too thick.

STEP 3

Stir the lemon zest into the quinoa, along with the corn, salad vegetables, mint and pumpkin seeds, then flavour with a little more lemon juice. Tip onto plates or into containers. Top with the chicken, if using, and spoon over the avocado mayo.



Euro 2020- Is it coming home or is it going to Rome?

They have made it. For the first time in 55 years, England have made the final of a major tournament. The last time they made a tournament final, England beat West Germany 4-2 after extra time. Fast forward 55 years later, and the latest crop of English talent are ready to face the sturdy Italians. Led by their fashionable manager, Mancini, and their dogged captain, Chiellini, the Italians are vying for the sixth major trophy, having won the World Cup four times and the Euro's once in 1968. Having beaten the Spanish on penalties in the semi-final, the Azzurri will be looking to humble England in their backyard. You may hear Italian fans chanting, 'Forza Italia' as they cheer the Italians on. England's route to the final has been less troubling. Denmark's opening goal- a thunderous freekick by Damsgaard- has been the only goal England have conceded so far. Up top, England's attacking force has been ruthless with Kane scoring four goals and Sterling chipping in with three vital goals. England's captain Harry Kane was integral in the victory, assisting the first goal and scoring with a rebound to his missed penalty to send the England fans into pandemonium.

As we move closer to the final, the excitement is palpable and people across the country have been singing and chanting during and after every victorious game. Baddiel and Skinner's '**It's Coming Home**' has been a staple of every English game and Atomic Kitten reworked version of 'Whole Again' aptly named '**Southgate, You're The One**' has further added to the excitement and joy throughout this campaign. With the final two days away, Southgate will now turn his attention to the starting line-up. Will the adventurous Jack Grealish start? Or will he continue with Bukayo Saka's exuberance and directness? Is there a place in the team for Foden and his Gazza inspired haircut? These are all questions that pundits will be considering over the next few days, but it is Southgate's choice, and thus far, he has been absolutely spot on with his them. With 60,000 fans soaking up the atmosphere in the stadium, and plenty more expected at home, expect this to be a match to last long in our memories. Catch all the live action on both the BBC and ITV with coverage starting at 18.30pm.

"There's one more massive hurdle to try to conquer. Italy are a very good side. They've shown outstanding form and have defensive warriors at the back who have been through everything. It's something to look forward to." - Gareth Southgate



Question of the week...

This summer is the summer of sport. With the Euro's bringing everyone some much needed respite from the pandemic and Japan is readying itself for the Summer Olympics, this summer is really going to be a treat for us all. This week, we are asking our staff to share what their favourite sport is and why. Sport is extremely important for all of us as it teaches us important values whilst giving us the opportunity to be healthy. It can also provide many of us with some of the best memories of our lives. No one ever forgets the first time they succeeded in sport or the first trophy/medal they received. But, of course, it is not all about winning. Sport teaches us about discipline and resilience, whilst giving us the opportunity to meet people from all walks of life. So, here we go. Are our teachers' fans of team sports or individual sports? What made their chosen sport so important to them? Let's find out...



Madame Brussier: My favourite sport was gymnastics. It was a real passion! I did gymnastics for more than 10 years and I simply loved it. It teaches discipline and develops strength and flexibility. It is always exciting to be able to do new moves. Uneven bars and floor were my favourites! I found the competitions scary, but they were also very exciting.

Mrs Hardy: Well, growing up in a very competitive family, sport was always on our minds, especially football and cricket. As a youngster my, dad played for England under 21s and always encouraged us to watch and play sports, much to my mum's dismay! When my brother was invited to go to Singapore for the Olympic bid with some of the England football players, it spurred me on too! So, after doing well in my school cricket team, I went onto play at college and at university I joined The Kent Women's Cricket team! It was great fun! I haven't played for a few years now but still love to watch it with my family.

Mrs White: My favourite sports are those you can play at the park or on the beach with your friends. I love playing cricket and rounders, as they are team sports that get everyone involved.

Miss Triggs: I have always loved cycling and swimming (especially swimming in the sea). Although in secondary school, I loved taking part in hurdles. I am not known for having long legs, so I wasn't great at it, but I found the combination of running and jumping over stuff pretty exhilarating.

Mrs O.P.: My favourite sport is netball. I started playing when I was in year 4 - I played for my primary school, secondary school and in senior leagues; I even played for Kent! At the grand age of 50, I'm still playing every week. It is fun, great for fitness and has enabled me to make many good friends. It is brilliant that netball is televised, so we can watch our local team, London Pulse, play in the Vitality Superleague. Look out for summer camps they are running around our area, for all future and budding netballers. Next summer, England will defend their gold medal position- from 2018 Commonwealth Games- I can't wait!

Mr Mitakos: I love sport- I have tried my hand at anything and everything. My absolute number one is football. I have lived and breathed it since my grandad introduced it to me. I have played for my school and for different clubs since I was the age of 6, predominantly as a centre back- continental style, I like to say! I recently 'hung up my boots', but I will never close the door on a sport which means so much to me and more. I also love cricket- some people tend to say it is boring, but I think it is fascinating. Sport has been such an important part of my life and having an Arsenal season ticket for many years (again, my grandad took me) has helped shape who I am today! You have to be resilient to be an Arsenal fan!

Thank you to all the staff for their wide array of answers. Next week, we will be quizzing our staff members on their **favourite animals**.