

Parent Governors: Jason Brown

Michael Wainhouse

Dear Parents/Guardians

1. Dance Events

Students have participated in a variety of events including a SSSSA Dance Day in Leatherhead and a dance event at the Rhoda McGraw theatre where we had 25 students performing. We were so impressed with the way in which the students presented themselves when representing the school.

2. Y7 Sleepover

Y7 had a fantastic time at the sleepover in school earlier this month. They went out bowling and for pizza and then came back to school for games and chill out time together. Some students went home at 9pm whilst the rest stayed in school for the sleepover. It was great to see how well they behaved and how much they enjoyed the opportunity to spend time together.

3. Tag Rugby

This year's SSSSA Tag Rugby tournament was hosted again by The Park at Cobham RFC on 19th October. We were able to organize a coaching session with the Sports Leaders from Esher College. This was a great experience for our students, which made a positive impact on their skill application in the games. The different format this year meant every team played all day with very little break time and we were impressed that their standard of play didn't slip by the afternoon session. They had the stamina to keep going!

Our team played really well all day and we were very proud to achieve 3rd place in the Plate competition. Well done to all the players

4. Staff Changes

We are sorry to see Sarah Botwright leave. She is moving to a new school in Wiltshire, Sarah was at The Park for 8 years as a very valued member of staff. We all thank her for hard work and dedication.

We welcome Andrew Watson who has been appointed as our new School Business Manager.

5. December events

Thank you to all staff who have supported, and in many cases given up their free time, trips and residentials so far this term. It has been a busy term and students have worked really hard so far. We are almost in December and ready to enjoy the Christmas activities. Attached is the list of Christmas event for your fridge.

Karen Eastwood.

Karen Eastwood (Co-Headteacher)

Paul Walsh (Co-Headteacher)





December Events



Date	Event
Friday 1st December	Christmas Crafternoon – students decorating classrooms and doing craft activities in the hall with Friends of The Park volunteers
Tuesday 5 th December	Christmas Fair – please come along and bring your friends from 1.15-3.15pm. All students in school uniform (no Y7 PE). Students are asked to bring some money to spend.
Thursday 14th December	Pantomine - All students in uniform (No PE kit for Y8/9) Whole school to the pantomime at Woking Theatre, followed by buffet lunch and activities. This event has been generously donated by the Children With Special Needs Foundation
Friday 15th December	Fun Talent Show - All students in uniform. Parents welcome from 1.30pm. Students performing can bring in a change of clothes.
Monday 18th December	Christmas Dinner, Entertainment and Bingo. All students in uniform or they may wear a Christmas jumper with their black trousers/skirt and everyone is asked to bring a Christmas hat.
Tuesday 19th December	Carol Service All students in uniform (no Y7 PE). Start at 1.30pm Church service at United Reformed Church, Woking. Families and friends welcome to meet us at the church or walk down with us leaving school by 1pm. The church volunteers will serve refreshments after the service.
	Prize giving Assembly
Wednesday 20th December	All students in uniform (No PE kit) 11am -12 noon Prize giving. Parents welcome at 11am in the hall.
	School closes at 12 noon



Dates for your Diary

Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 5th December Thursday 7th December Thursday 14th December Monday 18th December Tuesday 19th December Wednesday 20th December

Thursday 21st December

Spring Term 2018

Thursday 4th January
Monday 12th February –
Friday 16th February
Wednesday 28th March

Thursday 29th March

Summer Term 2018

Monday 16th April Monday 7th May Monday 28th May – Friday 1st June

Friday 20th July

Monday 21st July

Christmas Fair 1.15-3.15pm

Y7 Tutor Parents' Evening 6-7.30pm

Whole school trip to Woking theatre for the Pantomime

Students' Christmas lunch School Carol Service Prize giving 11am

Break up at 12 noon (no lunch)

INSET for staff training - School Closed

Students return to school at 9am

HALF TERM Prize giving 11am

Break up at 12 noon (no lunch)

INSET for staff training - School Closed

Students return to school at 9am Bank Holiday – School Closed

HALF TERM

Prize giving at 11am

Break up at 12 noon (no lunch)

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