

Weekly Newsletter



Tweeddale Primary School
Tuesday 21st June 2011



Dear Parents & Carers

You will remember that we have not yet given you the date for the final INSET day this year. You will also have heard about the proposed teachers' strike on 30th June. In order to minimise disruption to the children's education, we have decided to have the final INSET day on 30th June, so that unless there is further industrial action, this will be the only closure between now and the summer holidays. I am sorry for the short notice, but this was beyond my control. Play Centre will operate its normal term-time hours and Kangaroo Room will run as normal.

Transfer to High School

If your child is currently in Year 5, you should be thinking about which high school you want him/her to go to. In next week's newsletter, I will be giving you the date of our transfer meeting. The attached letter (for year 5 only) from school admissions, gives you some advance information and the dates of some high school open evenings.

Sports Day - Monday 27th June

Sports Day will take place on Monday 27th June at Sutton Arena.

9:15am Reception classes
10:00am Middle Phase
12:30pm Upper Phase



Further details for Reception & Middle Phase will be sent home soon. Details for Upper Phase and Nursery have already been sent home.

Last Friday's Mufti Day

The PTFA would like to say a **big thank you** for the generous donations of bottles, tins and packets for the Summer Fete Tombola.



Cakes for the Summer Fete - Saturday 2nd July

Next week the PTFA would like to ask you to bring in cakes to sell at the Summer Fete. Cakes can be home-made or shop bought.

Please just make sure that they **do not contain nuts**. Cakes can be given to class teachers.

Please don't bring them in to school until next week so that they stay nice and fresh for the Summer Fete.

Thank you in advance for your support.



Milk

If your child would like milk when we return to school in September, please make sure you pay on ParentPay and return the form (already sent home) to the school office by **Tuesday 19th July** at the latest.

Tesco vouchers

Just a reminder that tomorrow is the last day to bring in these vouchers.



Parents drop-in sessions with the school nurse

Parents drop-in sessions for this half term will take place on Thursday 23rd June, Thursday 7th July and Thursday 21st July.

The school nurse will be available in the Round Room from 2pm.

If there is anything you would like to discuss with her, please go to the Round Room at 2pm.

There is no need to book.



Dates for your diary

- Thursday 23rd June Fairfield Halls Music Festival
- Monday 27th June..... Sports Day AM - Foundation & Middle Phase
PM - Upper Phase
- Wednesday 29th June..... Year 6 Citizenship visit to Sutton Life Centre
Fire Safety Workshop for Years 2 & 5
- Saturday 2nd July..... 11am-2pm Summer Fete
- Monday 4th July End of year parent/teacher meetings—school closes at 2pm
- Wednesday 6th July 6:30pm Meeting for new Reception parents
- Wednesday 13th July Year 6 trip to Chessington World of Adventures
- Tuesday 19th July Deadline for ordering & paying for milk for September
- Friday 22nd July..... Break up for summer holidays at 2pm
- Monday 5th September INSET Day—School, Children's Centre & Play Centre closed
- Tuesday 6th September Children return to school at 8:45am

Children's Centre Information

A full timetable of our activities can be found in the file downloads area on the Tweeddale website www.tweeddaleprimary.sutton.sch.uk. You can also follow us on www.twitter.com/TweeddaleCC



Baby Stay and Play at The Circle Library

This is a fun stay and play group for children under 18 months old, where you can play with your child and meet other families.

**Every Friday at The Circle Library
1:30pm-2:30pm**

Family Support Group at The Circle Library

This group is an informal drop in session for parents/carers along with their children (under 5's only). There are interesting and fun activities for children and our friendly team are here to help you with any questions you may have with regards to family life, such as how to budget, how to cook healthy food, how to access the Citizen's Advice Bureau and can signpost you to many more support networks across the borough.

Every Wednesday 9:30am-11am at The Circle Library