



# Hethersett Woodside Infant and Nursery School Newsletter

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## Summer Term

We are in the middle of a very busy Summer Term. Sports Day was a great success with lots of adults joining their children for a picnic lunch.

The children will visit their new classes and new teachers next week and following will be an open evening to celebrate your children's learning and visit new classes.

Thank you for your continued support!

Enjoy the end of term!

## Friends of Hethersett Woodside Updates

The Summer Fayre on 16<sup>th</sup> June was extremely well attended and proved to be a glorious day; the sun shone and lots of laughter was heard in the school grounds.

The children danced and sang; they were amazing as usual. Everyone who attended had lots of fun.

A special thanks to everyone who supported the fayre! A massive £3,500 was raised to fund extracurricular resources for the school.

Thank you to all parents who signed up to help FOWS on new parents evening. We are planning a social event to share ideas on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October starting at 7pm. If you would like to join us on this evening, please contact the office:

[office@hethersettwoodside.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:office@hethersettwoodside.norfolk.sch.uk)

## Climbing Frame

**Please keep children off the climbing frame before and after school.**

**The equipment is used during school time only and is supervised by members of staff!**



## Parking

**Please be respectful when you park!**

**Some members of Woodcote have spoken to us about not being able to get their wheelchairs round on the paths!**

We can park anywhere we choose, as long as we're quick!



## Year 1 Dance Show

30 children from Woodside performed at The Open in Norwich on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2018. The children were amazing, dancing in front of two full houses showing off their skills at guitar playing, dancing and generally performing to an incredibly high standard.

Many thanks go to all the children and adults in year 1 and especially to Jane Keeley for all their hard work. All had a wonderful time and a fantastic experience for all the children involved.

## Lost Property

We are still "collecting" lost property.

Please ensure all items of clothing are named in order that we can return all property to its rightful owner!

We will put out all lost property on open evening. Any remaining will be disposed of!

## Plans for the New School

There will be another chance for you to view the plans for our new school, on

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July 3-7pm at the Village Hall Back Lane

## Transition

Transition in school has already begun. New parents' evenings have taken place for new Nursery and Reception children. Meetings have taken place with the junior school for the year 2s and visits to new classes will take place next week.

Visits to different year groups are already taking place for children who need extra support with transition. If you have any concerns please contact your current class teacher for advice.

We look forward to seeing you at open evening on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 5-7pm



## Safety in the Sun!

As the weather becomes warmer, please ensure that your child has a sunhat (with name in it please!) and a water bottle in school.

Please also make sure sun-screen is applied before school if necessary.



### **New staff at Woodside**

We are pleased to welcome two new members of staff at Woodside. Mr Justin Bradfield has now joined us full time as caretaker and MSA. He has been working in a similar field at the Junior School and has brought a wealth of experience with him!

Miss Laura Watkinson will join us from September as class teacher in year 2. She will lead Silver Birch Class!

I know you will join with me in welcoming both members of staff to Woodside and I hope they will both be very happy joining our strong team!

### **HETHERSETT "RUN THE SQUARE"**

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2018.

Start from Hethersett Junior School,  
Queens Road, Hethersett.

Registration is between 9am & 10:30am,  
warm up routines from 10:30am, run starts  
at 11am.

Entry forms can be obtained from  
Hethersett Library or downloaded from  
[www.hethersett.org.uk/funrun2018.pdf](http://www.hethersett.org.uk/funrun2018.pdf)

Some roads through Hethersett will be  
closed between 10.45 – 11.45am.

After the run pop along to Rowan House &  
Hethersett Social Club for more activities



### **School Lunches**

From Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July we are trialling  
no sugar deserts for school lunches.

This is being led by Norse and is a trial  
in a few schools in Norfolk. The  
children will receive yoghurt and fruit  
instead of the current puddings.

We have had a brilliant response to  
this!

### **COMPOST CORNER**

**Many thanks to everyone who donated  
a bag2school this collection raised  
£72.00**

We also recycle:

- Pens – box in hall
- Ink cartridges
- Used postal stamps for the Air Ambulance



## Norse Menu Dates September and October 2018

Dear Parent/Guardian

The Spring/Summer Menu we are currently running will now be continued until October half term with the Autumn/Winter Menu running until Easter 2019.

Please see the dates below:

### WEEK ONE

3 Sept • 24 Sept • 15th Oct

### WEEK TWO

10 Sept • 1 Oct

### WEEK THREE

17 Sept • 8th Oct

The new Autumn/Winter Menus will be issued before  
October half term.



## Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July -

### Transition morning for Nursery children

Morning Nursery children arrive at your normal time.

Afternoon Nursery children arrive at nursery at 9am.

We will support your children during their transition visit to Reception and ask that you collect them from Nursery at 11.30am.

Full time children - provision as usual for lunch and the afternoon.

Afternoon children will need to go home for lunch but you can return for your afternoon session if you wish.

## Woodside Hare!

The Hare trail will open in Norwich on  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July!

There are already some larger hares on display. The Woodside Hare is part of the Leaping Leveret Trail and will be displayed in Stevensons School wear shop on Ber Street.

## Dates for your diary

Please also see front page of the Website for all dates

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Year 2 visit to Junior School 9.30am - 12noon

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July - Year 2 visit to Junior School all day

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July - Transition Day in school, Move up day

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July - Open Evening 5-7pm

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July - Nursery Green Fingers Celebration (am 10.15am, pm 2pm)

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July - Plans for new school exhibition at Village Hall 3-7pm

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers' Assembly 2pm

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July - Leavers' Disco 3.30pm

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July - Nursery Celebration (am 10.15am, pm 1.45pm)

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July - School closes at 3.05pm for Summer Holidays