



# Whitehorse Manor Infant School

## Newsletter July 2016



Dear parents and carers,

This year seems to have gone by in a flash! I can't believe that the summer holidays are here already. **Thursday 21st July** is the last day of school for children at the Whitehorse Manor Schools. Children will return on **Wednesday 7th September** at 8:45am. Staff will be on hand to show the children the way into their new classrooms and where parents should wait to collect their children at the end of the day.

We are sorry to be saying goodbye to Mrs Neale who is leaving us to go and teach in Dubai. Mrs Shields is leaving to set up a new business venture with her husband and Mrs Hilton is leaving so she can reduce her teaching commitments to spend more time with her family. We thank them all for their continued hard work and contributions to our school and wish them all well in the future.

Miss Montiero is getting married in the holidays and from September will be known as Mrs Toombs. We welcome two new year one teachers to our school in September, Miss Patel and Miss Rolfe and two new reception teachers, Miss Staniforth and Miss Iyacootee.

Congratulations to Sparta House who are the overall House Cup Winners for 2015-16. This year the Sports Cup was also awarded to Sparta House who were the overall winners on Sports' Day. Well done!

I would like to wish our year two children all the best for their move to the juniors. I look forward to hearing about their future successes.

Can I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support this year. I wish you a safe and happy holiday.

### **Book Amnesty**

Our book stocks in all classrooms are looking very depleted. Please, please, please can you all have a good look for any school books that you may have at home. These are easily identifiable because they have a school stamp on the inside cover. We would be grateful for any returns, no questions asked!

### **School uniform: reminders for September**

Children should wear sensible black shoes in school **not** trainers or boots. Please remember that only Pegasus branded baseball caps can be worn at school. These are available from 'Wovina' via the link on our website. We do have a few for sale in our school office. Please ensure for the start of next term that your child has a named book bag and a complete PE kit comprising a plain white t-shirt, black shorts and plimsolls. **Please ensure all items of clothing are named.** If clothing goes missing then if named it usually finds its way back to the owner.

### **Important dates**

**Thursday 21st July:** last day of term

**Wednesday 7th September:** first day of new term

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