

# WEST ACTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023



Welcome back to Summer term at West Acton Primary School! The weather is not completely sure that it is Summer yet though!

There are still spaces in some of the clubs run by outside providers – please see further down and book directly with them.

Thank you for the kind and supportive comments about our recent OFSTED report - it has been sent by email for you to read. Have wonderful week end! Miss Kondo

<b>School Closed for Bank Holiday Mondays</b>	<b>School Closed due to industrial action</b>
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	<b>Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April</b>
<b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May</b>

<b>Year 6 SATs meeting for parents/carers</b>	<b>Year2 SATs meeting for parents/carers</b>
<b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April 6.00pm</b>	<b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2.45pm</b>
<b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April 8.20am</b>	<b>Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 9.00am</b>

<b>Year 4 assemblies this half term</b>	<b>Class</b>
<b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Sycamore</b>
<b>Friday 4<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Pine</b>

OLD school uniform donations required – ages 7 to 9 years  
would be welcome for our Second Hand Uniform shop.



*For the last two weeks of term, the Nursery children were excited to welcome some very special eggs into their class. After a couple of days they watched them hatch in to fluffy baby chicks. They learnt all about the lifecycle of a chicken and drew observational drawings of the chicks. They took very good care of them until the last day of term when we had to say goodbye to them.*



# West Acton Primary School

## Wednesday Morning Yoga Club



kids  
yoga  
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8:00-8:45 £45 for 10 sessions Rec-Y6  
26th April - 5th July

Run by fully qualified primary school  
teacher trained in children's yoga

Contact Emma Hoddy  
[kidsyogaflo@gmail.com](mailto:kidsyogaflo@gmail.com) for info  
<https://www.kidsyogaflo.com>  
password - WestActon

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We wish all of our  
friends and families  
celebrating today and  
this week end a very  
Happy Eid.



## BOO THEATRE AND ENTERTAINMENT

West Acton Primary –  
\*NEW Drama Clubs\*  
Tuesdays – Yrs. 4-6  
Wednesdays – Yrs. 1-3



Boo Theatre & Entertainment are delighted to be launching 2 NEW Drama Clubs at West Acton Primary School for the SUMMER 2023 term.

Boo Theatre is run by Jake & Becky - both professional actors with over ten years' experience & a true passion for teaching & introducing others to the arts. They have both appeared in an array of shows, including most recently performing in the Olivier Nominated show 'Oi Frog & Friends' (West End & UK tour). Both Becky & Jake have an array of professional credits between them (The Gruffalo West End, UK and International Tour, Cartoon Network, BBC Doctors, Rapunzel UK tour, CBBC UK Tour, to name a few) and both have performed professionally all over the world. Boo Theatre and Entertainment work alongside a fantastic team of industry professionals & aim to bring our professional experience & knowledge to create fun & creative clubs building on key life skills such as self-confidence, the importance of teamwork, public speaking and reading as well as developing skills in Acting, Song & Dance.

The club will run on **Tuesdays for Years 4-6 & Wednesdays for Years 1-3** from W/C 24<sup>th</sup> April – W/C 3<sup>rd</sup> July = x 10 Weeks total

Sessions are £6 per child per week = £60 total for the term

**\*\*\*Please Note \*\*\*** - We require **ADVANCE BOOKINGS** to ensure we have an accurate count of numbers and can ensure we can launch / run as planned – therefore please be sure to contact us to book your place asap. We really appreciate it if all parents can **book & pay prior to the club start date**, as opposed to on the day or after the club has started – As this can result in clubs being cancelled unnecessarily if we do not have an accurate record of numbers.

All bookings are taken online via our booking site.

<https://www.boothatreandentertainment.co.uk/bookings/>

Years 4-6 need to click on 25<sup>th</sup> April date, Years 1-3 on the 26<sup>th</sup> April.



## Digi-Skipping Rope Challenge

Winners w/e:21/04/23:

Year 1 Katsura – Victoria (108 skips)

Year 3 Ivy – Antonia (97 skips)

Year 4 Mulberry – Maho (198 skips)



Well done!!

Good luck to Year 4's next week, taking on the ultimate digi-skipping challenge!

Please remember to hold the rope in your **right hand** and press the **black reset button**. The reading should never usually be higher than around 200.

Write the new date of that week in your notebooks clearly e.g. next week should begin 24.04.23.



# **SUPA<sup>TM</sup>**

## **WEST ACTON**

### **BASKETBALL & MULTISPORT**

**BOOK ONLINE: [WWW.STAYSUPA.COM/BOOK-ONLINE](http://WWW.STAYSUPA.COM/BOOK-ONLINE)**

**MULTISPORT 7:45-8:45AM**

**WEDNESDAY- YR 5/6**

**THURSDAY- YR 1/2**

**FRIDAY- YR 3/4**

**BASKETBALL 7:45-8:45AM**

**\*\*\*TUESDAY YR 3-6**

**WEDNESDAY- YR 1/2**

**THURSDAY- YR 3/4**

**FRIDAY- YR 5/6**

**STARTS APRIL 2023**

**\*\*NEW DAY ADDED**



*West Acton Primary School will be celebrating the Coronation of King Charles III on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May – full details to come next week.*







# West Acton Primary School



## Second – Hand Uniform Shop Now OPEN!



Contact the **school office** to complete a **request form** for a second hand uniform for your child.

*All items are subject to availability.*

**Sizes:** range from age 3 to age 11

**Price:** All items £1



*MESSAGE from Mrs Ahmad, School Therapist*

Eid Mubarak to you and your families!

*I look forward to welcoming you all to the next Parent/carer coffee morning on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May.*

### Bad Dreams and Nightmares....

We all have nightmares and we know how distressing they can feel. When a child has a bad dream, they are expressing a fear of something they are trying to cope with in life. Your best response is reassurance and letting your child know that they are safe. However, reoccurring nightmares are an indication that he/she may be stuck trying to resolve something difficult.

### How can parents/carers help?

Listen to your child's dream and reassure them with empathy. You can also encourage your child to act out or draw their dream with the outcome they would have liked: this way they get to re-write the script. This will re-empower your child and help them to feel triumphant. To avoid bad dreams, limit TV and screen time and make sure your child feels it is OK to express their feelings: the angry monster may indicate that your child is afraid of their own anger. Help them to understand that everyone gets angry sometimes and help them manage their feelings so that everyone stays safe. Try to create calming evening routines filled with cuddles, laughter and time spent together.

## West Acton Primary School Weekly Values Rewards

w/c 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	<b>Courage</b>	<b>Consideration</b>	<b>Collaboration</b>
<b>Acorn</b>	Alea	Hiro	Shoma
<b>Olive</b>	Aaron	Aaban	Sara
<b>Fir</b>	Safiya	Sophia	Stanley
<b>Banyan</b>	Tbc	Tbc	Tbc
<b>Ash</b>	Layna-K	Esra	Sumaya
<b>Guava</b>	Kohei	Anu	Menrot
<b>Katsura</b>	Lana	Victoria	Iliana - Bleu
<b>Chestnut</b>	Taha	Lillian	Safiya
<b>Damson</b>	Abigail	Odai	Rosa
<b>Juniper</b>	Mila	Abdul	Jay
<b>Holly</b>	Mariam H	Rina	Fuki
<b>Ivy</b>	Rio	Anaya MW	Eisuke
<b>Rowan</b>	Mohamed	Salome	Yo
<b>Mulberry</b>	Nico	Maho	Hassan
<b>Pine</b>	Layla	Nicole	Felix
<b>Sycamore</b>	Adrian	Hikaru	Jerry
<b>Elder</b>	Kevin	Zakaria	Misk
<b>Quince</b>	Danar	Zoltan	Maryam
<b>Willow</b>	Nanami	Aria	Riley