

Windmill Weekly (28)

Achievement through Creativity, Community and Challenge

Value for April - Selflessness

29 April 2022

Dear Parents / Carers

I hope that you all had a good Easter break and that you are all looking forward to the summer term. **Happy Eid** to all of our families who will be celebrating Eid next week. All of the classes will be holding some form of Eid celebration in school later in the week.

Dates

Attached is a list of the school term dates for the academic year 2022 /23 and 2023 /24, including all the INSET days which are in bold outline.

Other dates you might like to add to your diary now that we are getting back into the swing of having families back in school for performances and celebrations.

Summer Dancing - Thursday 16 June
School closed - Friday 17 June - INSET day
Key Stage 1 Headington Sports - 28 June
Key Stage 2 Headington Sports - 5 July
Last day of term - Thursday 21 July (2:30pm finish)



Key Dates

2 nd May	Bank Holiday
9 th - 12 th May	Year 5 Dorset Trip
9 th - 12 th May	Year 6 SATs
18 th May	PTA Meeting
19 th May	Class photographs
27 th May	Break up for May half term at 3.05pm

100 Club

The winning numbers are for the April draw are:

	1st - £25	2nd - £15	3rd - £10
April	76	100	97

Congratulations to the winners - you should have received an email this week about claiming your prizes. Please get in touch if you are interested to learn more about the 100 club or would like to join either via email: wilkinson_h@hotmail.com or Claslist: Helen Baker.

Family Quiz

It is not too late to join in the Windmill Family Quiz TONIGHT. It starts at 6.30pm on Zoom and will last around an hour. Expert Quiz Host, Mrs Knapp has fun filled rounds to draw on the expertise of the whole family, whether you are 4 or 44. Come and give it a go. You might be crowned Windmill

Quiz Champions 2022! If not, you are definitely in for an entertaining evening.

The Zoom link is

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9031757034?pwd=SW85ZjhBSFN5ckJ1a2RqRmIwSHIHZz09>

Meeting ID: 903 175 7034

Passcode: 2GQTcL

Summer Fayre - Saturday 25th June

Plans for the Summer Fayre are well underway.

There are a few areas we need help with so please get in touch if you think you might be available on the day or beforehand with planning and can offer some time. In particular we are looking for a team to run the barbecue. If this is something you think you could help with then please get in touch with Martin martingillies@googlemail.com. Or for all the insider info (and to offer to help) join our Fayre WhatsApp group <https://chat.whatsapp.com/LCOCcgzuTLiEQbTd05gl6g>

Raffle

Can you donate a raffle prize? Vouchers for local businesses or days out are always a hit. Or perhaps you have an unwanted gift at home that would make a good prize? Please get in touch with Jen if you can offer a raffle prize jen.skym.1@gmail.com

School Clubs

The updated club list is now available to view on the extra-curricular activities section of the school website. Please book your child a place with the club leader before sending them to a school club. Many have limited places available. Children not on the club register will not be accepted.

The booking link for tennis wasn't working this has now been updated -

<https://app.acuityscheduling.com/schedule.php?owner=18829316&appointmentType=31167124>

The timetable for Mrs Knapp's lunchtime dance and football clubs will be circulated in school. You do not need to book a place for your child for lunchtime clubs.

Dance Club

A new dance club will be starting on Thursday 5th May 4-4.45PM - in the school hall. Please contact Ellie at lunasdanceproject@gmail.com to register / for more information.

School Dinners / Packed Lunch

The cost of school dinners for term 5 (Tues 26 April - Fri 27 May) is **£50.60. Please note that school meals must be ordered and paid for in advance.**

For year 5 pupils going to Dorset the cost of school dinners for term 5 will be £41.80.

If you pay weekly, payments (£11.00) must be paid by Monday morning for the week ahead. **Please use the School Gateway App to make lunch money payments.**

Download the free app. Search School Gateway in your app store and download.

Apple iPhone users <http://schoolgateway.co.uk/iosdownload>

Android phone users <http://schoolgateway.co.uk/androiddownload>

A reminder that pupils must have either school meals all term or packed lunches all term, we cannot cater for children having meals on odd days.

IMPORTANT - If your child would like to switch their meal preference, please email Christine in the school office on cmeeson@windmill.oxon.sch.uk on or before the first day of term. If we are unaware that your child has switched from packed lunch to school dinner, a dinner will not have been ordered for them and if your child switches from school dinner to packed lunch and you have not informed the office, you will be charged for the meal that has been prepared.

We would like to remind you that all children in KS1 (Reception, Year 1, and Year 2) qualify for free school dinners under the Government Universal Infant Free School Meal scheme. If your child is not already having school dinners, you will also need to request them through the office.

Yours faithfully



Lynn Knapp
Headteacher

(If any images below are missing please view the Newsletter on the School Website - www.windmill.oxon.sch.uk)

Confirmed Oxfordshire school term and holiday dates for 2022-2023

	<i>SEPTEMBER 2022</i>	<i>OCTOBER 2022</i>	<i>NOVEMBER 2022</i>
Sunday	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Monday	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Tuesday	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Wednesday	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Thursday	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24
Friday	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Saturday	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
	<i>DECEMBER 2022</i>	<i>JANUARY 2023</i>	<i>FEBRUARY 2023</i>
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	<i>MARCH 2023</i>	<i>APRIL 2023</i>	<i>MAY 2023</i>
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	<i>JUNE 2023</i>	<i>JULY 2023</i>	<i>AUGUST 2023</i>
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■ Bank Holiday
 New Year Bank Holiday 2 January
 May Day 1 May
 Spring Bank Holiday 29 May

□ Teacher available for work days
 Good Friday 7 April
 Easter Monday 10 April
 Late Summer Bank Holiday 28 August

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Bank Holiday

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OXFORD
PHILHARMONIC
ORCHESTRA

Sunday 8 May 2022
Oxford Town Hall, 15:00

Animal Antics

FUNomusica Family Concert

Come and join Alasdair Malloy and the Oxford Phil for some Animal Antics featuring our furry, feathered and finned friends.

Most suitable for ages 4-8

Alasdair Malloy presenter

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