

## PTA NEWSLETTER - SUMMER TERM 2018

### WICKHAM COMMON PRIMARY SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

### **Recent Fundraising Events**

Many thanks to all of those parents who came along to the Easter Fun Run; this was a new event and thanks to your support was a great success. We managed to raise £1,200, which is a fabulous result. We also saw the return of the Race and Curry Night which raised £890 and the Year 3 Cake Sale which made £330.

Recent projects that the PTA have been able to support include a theatre workshop, subsidising school trips, drum lessons, Hands on History and distribution of hand sanitizers throughout the school.

### Join the Muddy Fun to raise funds!

Have fun and raise money for your school by joining the team taking on Mud Monsters mud run in East Grinstead on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. This is for all levels of fitness and no one will be left behind – the 5K obstacle course can be walked and obstacles missed out if you prefer. Please contact Suzy and Tammy at <a href="wickhamwarriors@gmail.com">wickhamwarriors@gmail.com</a> if you're interested in signing up or would like to sponsor the team.



# SUMMER TERM UPCOMING EVENTS

18<sup>th</sup> May - School Disco

25th May - Own Clothes Day (Money Tree donation)

3<sup>rd</sup> June - Wickham Warriors Mud Run

9<sup>th</sup> June – Summer Fair

14<sup>th</sup> June - Year 2 Cake Sale

28<sup>th</sup> July – Wickham Warriors Family Cycle Ride



#### **BOOK COLLECTION**

Please don't forget to drop your unwanted books into the school office for the book stall at the Summer Fair. Books must be in good condition, please.

For keen cyclists, cycle with your children while raising money for the school - join us for a fab, free and safe Family Cycle Ride in London on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July – contact Nigel at <a href="wickhamwarriors@gmail.com">wickhamwarriors@gmail.com</a> for further information and for you and your child/ren to join the cycle team!

### Our Vista Magazine needs you...

Our fabulous Vista distributor Anna Murphy will be leaving us shortly so we need two volunteers, please, to fill her very large shoes. The role involves the allocation of magazines into carrier bags for children to bring home 4 times a year as well as co-ordination of the rounds.

The following rounds are available for the Summer Edition; Wickham Crescent (27), Bolderwood Way and Cunningham Close (62), Tiepigs Lane and Rydal Drive (84).

If you're interested in volunteering for the distributor role or can help out with delivering magazines to the roads mentioned above, please get in touch at <a href="mailto:vistawickhamcommon@gmail.com">vistawickhamcommon@gmail.com</a>.

A huge thank you to Anna for all of your help and commitment over the years, you will be sorely missed xxx

If you would like to join the PTA or have any fundraising ideas get in touch wickhamcommonpta@gmail.com

### Summer Fair – Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June 12pm-4pm

The Summer Fair Team has been working really hard to make this year even better than the last. There's fun to be had for all the family; while the kids are watching the entertainment, playing games and spending their hard earned pocket money at the stalls, the adults can enjoy a drink in one of the refreshment tents. There's a BBQ, tearoom and ice-cream parlour so no need to worry about cooking dinner!

**NEW FOR 2018; Sergio's Slime Workshop** – learn how to make your own slime. Spaces are limited to 30 children per session at 12.30, 13.30 and 14.30. The cost is £4.50 and the children get to take home the pot of slime they make. Book your session on SIMS Agora or email Lucie Troon at <a href="mailto:learngton18@sky.com">learngton18@sky.com</a>

**Rooney's Raffle**: for your chance to win one of our fantastic prizes keep your eyes peeled for raffle tickets in bookbags. Further tickets are available.

- 1<sup>st</sup> prize £300 Bluewater voucher donated by WJ Richardson Glazing Ltd
- 2<sup>nd</sup> prize £150 Chapter One voucher donated by Pishon Gold Solicitors
- 3<sup>rd</sup> prize Bouquet of flowers and bottle of fizz donated by Lilly Pots Flowers

**Bouncer's Paradise**; a huge bouncy castle, mega slide and 3 part 65ft assault course, this one is sure to wear the kids out! Stay and play all day by purchasing a wrist band for just £7. If you wish to pre-book your wrist band before the fair you can take advantage of our early bird offer of just £5.50. Wrist bands can be purchased via SIMS Agora or by emailing Lucie Troon at the email address above. This offer expires on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June so be quick.

A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE BROMLEY PROPERTY COMPANY WHO HAVE KINDLY SPONSORED THE SUMMER FAIR AND PROVIDED ADVERTISING VIA THEIR PROPERTY BOARDS.

### **DON'T FORGET...**

<u>PTA Summer Disco on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May</u> – children to wear own clothes in exchange for a donation to the Teddy or Bottle Tombola. Don't forget to pay £3.00 disco entry fee via SIMS Agora (includes snacks and drinks). Volunteers still needed for upper-school disco – please contact <u>wickhamcommonPTA@gmail.com</u> if you can help – thank you!

<u>Dress-Down Day on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May</u> – children to wear own clothes in exchange for donation for the Money Tree Stall. Envelopes to go out in book bags during the week commencing 21<sup>st</sup> May.



**PTA Cake Sales** 

A polite reminder that charitable donations from the PTA cake sales will be limited to £50. The charities will be publicised by the Class Reps before the sale and extra donations to any charity can be made in a separate pot if required.

Please remember that Wickham Common PTA is also a charity and all funds raised are used to benefit the school.