

Purwell Primary School**31st March 2015**

*'There are no seven wonders of the world in the eyes of a child.
There are seven million.'* ~Walt Streightiff

Easter Bonnet/Hat Competition

Tomorrow is the deadline for those wishing to enter the Easter bonnet or hat competition. At the assembly, we will have an Easter parade of the hats in school before class winners are chosen. These will be displayed for parents to see at the last assembly of the term, on Thursday.

Easter Assembly - Thursday, 1.20pm

Just a reminder that you are very welcome to join us for our end of term Easter celebration, certificate and class attendance assembly which will be held on Thursday, at 1.20pm, with the school day ending at 2.00pm.

Musical entertainment will include the **School Choir** singing a song from its repertoire and we will be entertained by the **Y6 glockenspiels** and **Y5 recorder groups**. An **Easter Egg Hunt** activity for all the children is also planned for that last day, so there is lots of fun to look forward to.

Purwell Has Got Real Talent

Yesterday, the school enjoyed watching a selection of talents performed by pupils from across the school at the Purwell's Got Talent finals. A range of performers treated the audience to a selection of singing, dancing, acting, musical performances and even gymnastics. All finalists went home with an attractive gold medal, fittingly in the shape of a star.

Tuck Shop

The Year 6 Tuck Shop will be open on Thursday this week, as we are not here on Friday.

Clubs this week

Clubs which are held on Wednesday will be on as normal this week. However, Thursday clubs, that is Art Club and Hockey Club, will not be running this week.

Cycle Proficiency for Year 5 and Year 6, w/c Monday 29th June.

After Easter, letters will go out to parents of children in Years 5 and 6 regarding cycle proficiency lessons. The week long training is due to commence week beginning Monday 29th June.

New School Lunch Menu

With this newsletter, you should receive the new lunch menu that will come into effect next term.

Let's Get Growing

Miss Young would like to remind everyone about her Easter gardening competition. Those taking part will be planting their favourite plants in a recycled container. Entries need to come into school on Monday 27th April. Happy growing!

Coffee Morning - Thursday 7th May, at 9am

You are all welcome to join Miss Lewis and Ms Wells for a cuppa and some biscuits after drop off. It's interesting to collect ideas and thoughts from

parents, as well as have Brenda Sutcliffe here again, from The Communications & Disorders Team. Hope to see some new faces, as well as our regulars!

Weather Couldn't Cloud Science Week

Science week was a huge success. The children packed so much science into the curriculum that week. It was terrific!

Thank you to all those who attended the special science week assembly. A big thank you also to Miss Young for organising this week for us.

We also had a fitting finale of a solar eclipse to experience on the Friday. Miss Young was interviewed by Heart FM radio about how we would be safely viewing the eclipse, for inclusion in half-hourly news broadcasts, on that day.

PSA Meeting

A reminder that there will be a PSA meeting held in the Community Room tomorrow, Wednesday 1st April, at 8pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Display of the Week



Purwell Panthers prepare to entertain the crowd, with Pixie Lott, in the half time performance, at Wembley Stadium.

Dates for Summer Term

Monday 20 th April	School closed for Inset day
Tuesday 21 st April	Children return to school
Saturday 25 th April	Combined Summer Fair, at Market Square - 10am
Monday 4 th May	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 5 th May	Class and team photos
11 th - 15 th May	SATs week for Year 6
Sunday 17 th May	Walsworth Festival
25 th - 29 th May	Half-term
Friday 26 th June	Sports Day (Early Years and Key Stage 1 in the morning and Key Stage 2 in the afternoon)
Saturday 27 th June	Purwell Food Festival (and Chilli Cook Off)
29 th -3 rd July	Y5 and Y6 Cycle Proficiency Training
Monday 6 th July	Choir to Perform at the Hitchin Festival 2015 Primary Schools' Concert
Thursday 9 th July	Meet the teacher and Year 6 transition day
Friday 10 th July	School closed for Inset day
Friday 17 th July	Annual Reports go home
Wednesday 22 nd July	End of Term Certificate Assembly at 1.20pm
	End of term (2.00pm)