



End of the school year!

It doesn't seem possible that the school year is almost over. With it, comes several endings as well as new beginnings.

We wish all of our staff who are leaving the very best for their futures and we welcome the new members of our team.

Also, we all wish the very best of everything for all of our Year 6 leavers and we are all so very proud of all they have achieved.

Today, you will be receiving your child's end of year reports and as stated in the covering letter, you have the opportunity to meet with their teacher if there is anything you want to discuss.

Next week we have our Celebration Afternoon and we look forward to seeing many of you then.

Wishing you all a fabulous summer and we look forward to seeing you in the new school year!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

All absence must be reported on the first day. If we do not have a reason for absence your child will receive an unauthorised absence mark. This data is monitored by The Department for Education on a regular basis.

Attendance Percentages for this academic year:

Class 1	95.8%
Class 2	93.5%
Class 3	95.9%
Class 4	94.3%
Class 5	94.2%
Class 6	93.6%
Class 7	94.7%
Class 8	94.7%
Whole school	94.6%

KEY DATES

- *Friday 14th July: BSA Summer Fete
- *Monday 17th July - Rocksteady concert at 2:15pm
- *Tues 18th July - Y6 production (1:30pm and 6:30pm)
- *Wednesday 19th July: Y6 production at 6:30pm
- *Thursday 20th July: Y6 Leavers' Assembly at 10:30am
- *Thursday 20th July: Celebration Afternoon! (2-3:30pm)
- *Friday 21st July: Last day of school year

Our School Business Manager

I would like to inform you of the decision taken by Sally Burns, School Business Manager, to leave the School at the end of June 2023.

I am sure you will all join me in thanking Sally for her years of service to our school and wishing her the best for the future.



Winner of our Healthy Eating Week 2023 Competition: Create a Recipe for a Healthy School Dinner

by Mrs van der Wolf

Many congratulations to Ruby-May in Class 6 for creating the winning recipe! Mrs Clarke, our Catering Manager, has chosen Ruby-May's recipe for 'Filled Taco Shells' as the winning recipe of the competition! On Wednesday 19 th July, these delicious tacos will be on the school dinner menu for everyone to enjoy.



Mrs Clarke said that she was very impressed with all the entries and wished she could have chosen more recipes to offer as school dinner options in the final week of school. However, when looking into the cost of getting all the ingredients for these recipes, she found that they were not feasible for the quantities needed for school dinners.

Well done to all you young cooks and your fantastic efforts to create delicious and healthy meals. To have a look at some of the other recipes that the children handed in, go to the Wellbeing page on our school website, where you will find some of the recipes for you to try out. Have fun and enjoy!

Wivenhoe Regatta 2023!

Enjoy a day of fun and adventure on Saturday 22nd July, 2023.

What's on at the Wivenhoe Regatta?

Famous Raft Race; Pram Race (Friday 21st, 7.30pm); Traditional East Coast Sailing; Gig Racing; Kids' Pirate Trail; Stalls and Refreshments; Brass Band and Punch & Judy Shows.



FREE child & adult season ticket at Wivenhoe Town FC!

Wivenhoe Town FC are offering all local children under 14 the chance to watch The Dragons this season at no cost to their accompanying adult.

Everyone applying will also be entered into a prize draw to win a full Wivenhoe Town Senior kit in a junior size.

The Dragons have 20 home league games this season at the E&L Property Services Stadium and the child & adult ticket will be valid for every one of them!

An adult season ticket would usually be £90 for new members, with individual games £7 each for adults.

How to apply:

Visit www.wivenhoetownfc.com

Click join in the top right of our website

Enter details as the adult

Click apply for club member

Click 'my account'

Click 'membership info'

Complete the fields relating to the adult & child ticket.

If you have more than one child you wish to apply for then please complete details for both children.

Ensure a valid email is included so that you can be sent an e-season ticket valid for entry to all home league games for one child and accompanying adult.

The ticket can then be used at the gate for free entry to any league game for one child and one accompanying adult. Should the child not be present, then full price will be charged for the adult.



BALLIN' WITH A BOBBY

MEET AND PLAY BASKETBALL WITH THE ESSEX REBELS AND YOUR LOCAL POLICE OFFICERS



WEST MERSEA

TUE 01/08 – THE GLEBE, CO5 8RS

WIVENHOE

TUE 08/08 - KING GEORGE V FIELD, CO7 9AB

STANWAY

TUE 15/08 – LAKELANDS, MARTIN HUNT DRIVE, CO3 8AY

GREENSTEAD

TUE 22/08 – MAGNOLIA PLAYING FIELDS, CO4 3LP

OLD HEATH

TUE 29/08 – THE RECREATION GROUND, CO1

FREE TO JOIN IN AND PLAY

4:30-5:30 – PRIMARY SCHOOL CHILDREN

5:30-6:30 – SECONDARY SCHOOL CHILDREN

ESSEX POLICE AND THE ESSEX REBELS ARE COMING TO A COURT NEAR YOU!

MEET AND PLAY BASKETBALL THIS SUMMER WITH SOME OF OUR PROFESSIONAL PLAYERS AND LOCAL POLICE OFFICERS. ASK QUESTIONS, LEARN/DEVELOP NEW BASKETBALL SKILLS, PLAY GAMES AND HAVE FUN!



FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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