



# West Hill Primary School

## Newsletter February 2017



### Easyfundraising



Did you know that whenever you buy anything online – from your weekly shop to your annual holiday – you could be collecting free donations for West Hill ?

There are over 3,000 shops and sites who make a donation every time you shop, including Amazon, John Lewis, Booking.com, thetrainline and Sainsbury's – it doesn't cost you a penny extra!

It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Head to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/westhillprimwand/> and join for free. It only takes a few seconds!
2. Every time you shop online, go to easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping.
3. After you've checked out, that retailer will make a donation to West Hill for no extra cost whatsoever!

There are no catches or hidden charges and we will be really grateful for your donations which will help fund additional resources for your children's learning.

Thank you for your support.

### School Uniform Ordering



Uniform for West Hill is now available for ordering at [www.stitchdesign.co.uk](http://www.stitchdesign.co.uk) It only takes a few moments to register and you will be able to buy our sweatshirt, cardigan, PE tee shirt, PE shorts, gym bag and bookbag from the website. Please note that for the West Hill page to appear you must put in the correct postcode for the school which is **SW18 5ST**. Google currently has the wrong postcode. It is also on our website [www.westhillprimaryschool.org](http://www.westhillprimaryschool.org)



Remember the date! West Hill will be helping to raise money on Friday 24th March.

Your fundraising will help improve people's lives in the UK and Africa and is something that the children love being involved in.

## Parent Questionnaire Results

*Thank you to all the parents who took the time to complete our survey this year. Your opinions are very important to us and the governors will be analysing these results to look at ways in which we can improve.*

	2017 % Agree or strongly agree	2017 % Disagree or strongly disagree	2016 % Agree/ Strongly Agree	2016 % Disagree/ Strongly agree	% difference Agree/ Strongly Agree
My child is happy	98%	2%	100%	0%	-2%
My child feels safe at this school	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%
My child makes good progress at	99%	1%	100%	0%	-1%
My child is well looked after at this	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%
My child is taught well at this	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%
My child receives appropriate	97%	3%	89%	11%	+8%
This school ensures the pupils are	99%	1%	97%	3%	+2%
This school effectively with bully-	95%	5%	95%	5%	0%
This school is well led and man-	99%	1%	100%	0%	-1%
This school responds well to any	99%	1%	98%	2%	+1%
I receive valuable information from the school about my child's	97%	3%	94%	6%	+3%
I would recommend this school to	99%	1%	99%	1%	0%

1% = 1 questionnaire response.

94 questionnaires were completed vs 90 in 2016.

Not all questions were responded to in every questionnaire.

### Year 3 and 4 Trumpet Concert—23rd March



Year 3 and 4 pupils have been practising very hard with their specialist music teachers to put on a concert to parents on Thursday 23rd March at 11.45am. They would love it if you could come and listen to their performance.

**Save the Date!**

**Year 5 are taking part in A Brighter Sound at the Royal Festival Hall on **Tuesday 28th March**. This is a massive event from 7—9.30pm involving over a thousand young people from the Wandsworth schools and Music Academy. We would love parents to come and enjoy this very special concert. Year 5 parents have ticket information from the teachers. To order tickets go to the website: <https://www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whats-on/109132-brighter-sound-2017-2017>**



**Book Week 27th February—3rd March**

*Our annual Book Week has come around again and we will be celebrating our love of reading with a number of different activities such as art, drama, paired reading and an author visit from Fiona Scott.*

*We must not forget our dressing up day on Wednesday 1st March! This is always a fantastic day and thank you in advance for the effort that your children make to dress up as a favourite book character.*

*We're also looking forward to receiving lots of Extreme Reading pictures. We have already had our first entries....!*

## Dates for your diary

### **Spring Term 2017**

10th March— Year 1 Elm Assembly

20th March—Nursery/Reception visit to Bocketts Farm

23rd March—Year 1 visit to Wetlands Centre

23rd March—Reception Assembly

24th March—Red Nose Day

28th March—Year 5 perform in a Brighter Sounds Concert at the Royal Festival Hall

Last day of Spring Term: Friday 31st March (2pm finish)

### **Summer Term 2017**

First day: Tuesday 18th April

**School closed : Monday 1st May (Bank Holiday)**

**Half term: Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June**

First day back: Monday 5th June

14th June—KS1 & KS2 Sports Day (21st June Reserve Sports Day)

28th June—Early Years Fun Sports Day

Last day of Summer Term: Friday 21st July (2pm finish)

### **Autumn Term 2017**

1st day of Autumn Term 2017: Wednesday 6th September

**Half Term : Monday 23rd to Friday 27th October 2017**

First day back: Tuesday 31st October 2017

Last day of Autumn Term : Wednesday 20th December 2017 (2pm finish)

### **Spring Term 2018**

1st day of Spring Term 2018: Wednesday 3rd January 2018

**Half Term: Monday 12th to Friday 16th February 2018**

First day back: Tuesday 20th February 2018

Last day of Spring Term : Thursday 29th March 2018 (2pm finish)

### **Summer Term 2018**

1st day of Summer Term 2018: Monday 16th April 2018

**SCHOOL CLOSED : Monday 7th May 2018 (May Day Bank Holiday)**

**Half Term: Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June 2018**

First day back: Monday 4th June 2018

Last day of Summer Term: Friday 20th July 2018 (2pm finish)

