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**Newsletter 3**

Dear Parents,

It has been a long old half-term and we are all ready for a break but we will head there with a smile on our faces as we have had a fabulous start to our year! **Hedgehogs** are now a well-established part of our family and are growing in maturity every day. **Foxes** are being as fabulous as they were last year but, as trainee leaders, they have already shown us just how much they have to offer. Our wise old **Owls** are born leaders and we can already see that they will be junior ready by July (but don't want to think about that just yet!). We are very proud of our wonderful school and want to thank you for your support and involvement.

#### **Marvellous Me**

Yay! We are now nearly all signed up. Thank you. We don't want to inundate you with messages to begin with, so will aim to slowly increase our use of this App. The children are all very keen to be recognised in this way so hopefully the enthusiasm and communication will just grow and grow.



Thank you to those families who attended the 'Out & About' day; as always lots was achieved and we have improved our school even more. The children will continue to use the outside areas even through the autumn and winter months so the work will not be wasted.

It is the time when our Year 2 children are looking at their next move to junior years so we have included information about open sessions below.

As I write this newsletter we have made the decision to change the location from St. Peter's Church to our school hall for health and safety reasons. I have no doubt that the children will do us proud wherever they are and look forward to celebrating Harvest here in a

moment. Thank you for your donations to the Dorking Foodbank - you can see below, the need for this support is ever growing. As you know, this year we have encouraged children to choose something that they really like/value so that they know they are passing something on that will be enjoyed by others. We would greatly appreciate your support in carrying on the conversation at home about how lucky we are to be able to have this choice.

*There are now about 2,000 food banks across the UK, with the Trussell Trust accounting for about 1,200 of them. The number of supplies being distributed has risen by 73% over the past five years. 25 Apr 2019.*

Have an amazing half-term holiday with your children.  
**The leadership team**



**Our value for this half-term is Love.  
Next half-term it be peace.**

**Please do let people know that our open days are:**

*Open Afternoon – Friday 15th November 1.30pm  
Open Morning – Monday 18th November 9.30am*

**Love & Peace**

**Trust & Thankfulness**

**Forgiveness & Hope**



### The Weald CofE Primary School OPEN DAYS

Come and meet Team Weald. Look around our warm and friendly school and see what we have to offer!

Please contact the school office to let us know you'll be coming along.

Our school is based just outside Dorking and benefits from 17 acres of grounds. We are a vibrant school community, who are committed to providing the very best education for our pupils. We work in partnership with local schools and are part of The Good Shepherd (Multi Academy) Trust.

**Tuesday 5th November 10.00-11.30am**

**Thursday 7th November 6.00-7.00pm**

Tel: 01306 711719 email: [info@wealdprimarieschool.co.uk](mailto:info@wealdprimarieschool.co.uk)  
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## Open Morning

### Year 3 Admissions

(September 2020)

## 22nd November 2019

### Drop In Morning

9.30—11.00am

School Lane  
Westcott  
Dorking  
RH4 3QF

**No appointment necessary**

If you have any questions, please contact the school office on 01306 881136.