

Headlines

Morgan's Vale and Woodfalls CE Primary School Newsletter
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Building Progress

The new building is really starting to take shape now that the roof is going on and the windows are going in. The current expected handover date is early in March having suffered a few weather delays in the early months of the build. Once the building is water tight (which should happen in the next few days) we are not expecting there to be any further delays.

Moving into the new building will affect all our classes and we are planning phased moves so we don't lose learning time, but clearly we want to be using the new spaces as soon as we can. We may therefore be looking for help from parents and friends of the School to help move furniture etc. nearer the time.

We are intending that the whole School will look renovated and renewed with new tables and chairs coming for every room at half term and we are intending to paint the remainder of the School before September.

Zig Zag Class (Year 5/6, Miss Heydari) will be moving upstairs in the new building and Spirals (Year 3/4, Mrs Holt) will be in the new classroom underneath. Stripes Class (Year 1/2, Miss Elson) are moving into the current Zig Zag Class and Swirls Class (Year R/1, Miss Allen) are moving to the left into what has been a Pre School room.

Pre School and Nursery will be moving into Swirls and Stripes current classrooms which leaves Spirals classroom to become our new library! The Friends Fundraisers have been raising money to kit out our new library with some exciting shelving and seating. After the building work

is complete there we will be looking to develop some of our outdoor areas to make the most of our new classroom configuration and raising money to help fund this will be the future focus of the Friends once the library is complete!

We will be planning an opening ceremony event, which parents will be welcome to attend, in the Summer once we have everything sorted and we will also have some kind of 'Open Day' for interested members of the community to come and have a look round too!

Email List

We have been increasingly trying to send School information home, such as Headlines and trip letters, electronically. If you have not received anything from the School in this way since September, and would like to, please can you check we hold the correct email address for you. Emails generated in this way will have 'Bromcom', the name of our database provider, in the address and it may be that your spam filter is intercepting them. If you attempt to reply to the School using this address, it will not reach us! You need to continue to use admin@mvwacademy.co.uk for contacting the School Office.

Friends Fundraisers

The Friends have a number of events planned for the remainder of the year including Movie Mobs, Hot Chocolate and Cake / Ice-cream sales, Quiz Night and School Discos. They are also trying a couple of new ideas with a family Chocolate Bingo in May and a Summer Fayre with BBQ planned to carry on after the School Sports Day! This means

Sports Day being moved from the usual Monday to Friday 7th July with a reserve day of Friday 14th July if the weather is unkind!

School Ready!

Please can you ensure that your child has a warm coat, water bottle and PE kit in School everyday. If your child is missing one or more of these items it causes unnecessary disruption to their day in School.

Diary Dates

Hot Chocolate and Cake

Friday 27th January after school served from the parent shelter area.

MVW Academy AGM

Tuesday 31st January 7pm in the School Hall – Everyone welcome!

Movie Mob

Friday 3rd February 3.15 – 5.15pm. Finding Dory.

Zig Zags Trip to The Eden Project

Wednesday 8th February to Friday 10th February

Last Day of Term 3

Friday 10th February

First Day of Term 4

Monday 20th February

School Disco

Friday 24th February.
Swirls and Stripes: 5.30 – 6.30pm
Spirals and Zig-Zags: 6.45 – 8pm

Book Week

Week beginning Monday 27th February

Dress as a character from a book

Thursday 2nd March

TD Day – School Closed

Friday 17th March

Quiz Night

Saturday 18th March

Last Day of Term 4

Friday 7th April