



# Wood End School

Learning Together, Respecting Each Other

News 16<sup>th</sup> September 2022



## Harvest Assemblies – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September

As part of our Harvest Celebration this year we are asking the children to bring in food donations to our Harvest Assembly on **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September**. These donations will be passed on to The Salvation Army and we would therefore request that **donations be non-perishable food** such as tins of food, packets of rice etc. Please bring them to your child's classroom on the morning of the assembly.

Thank you for your help.



## Jeans for Genes Day

Thank you to everyone who contributed to this Charity today. Total in next week's newsletter. We will be collecting donations on Just Giving up to Monday next week.

Link: [Wood End Jeans for Genes](https://www.jeansforgenesday.org/?gclid=EAlalQobChMI5vXm56Lr6wIVV-vtCh2ZKgj6EAAAYASAAEgL8ffD_BwE)

For more information please visit the Jeans for Genes website:

[https://www.jeansforgenesday.org/?gclid=EAlalQobChMI5vXm56Lr6wIVV-vtCh2ZKgj6EAAAYASAAEgL8ffD\\_BwE](https://www.jeansforgenesday.org/?gclid=EAlalQobChMI5vXm56Lr6wIVV-vtCh2ZKgj6EAAAYASAAEgL8ffD_BwE)

## Parent Phonics Meeting – Reception parents – Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Sept

The phonics workshop is on Wednesday 28th September from 9 until about 9.30am. This is open to all reception parents to learn more about how we teach phonics in school, and how to support reading at home.



## Wood End School Website and new School Jotter app

**The Wood End News will be bi-weekly from this week.**

We will be emailing you with instructions as to how to download the new School Jotter 3 app next week. This will be used for reminders of school events, should you choose to use it. The reminders will also be

visible on the home page of the school website (scroll down - News next to the Events column).

## Parent Consultations – Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Oct

These will be booked via the Arbor Parent Portal. Further details/instructions will follow shortly.



## 2022 - 2023 Class reps list

Thank you to all the people who have volunteered to be a class rep this year. Please find the full list below. If your class has only one rep please do **support them to organise social events and gifts for class teachers and TAs**. And don't forget that organising your year group's allotted event is a **whole year group responsibility**.

Year Group	Class	Rep 1	Rep 2
Nursery	Seedlings and Saplings	Jessica Smith	Keeley Young
Reception	Ash	Alison Bradshaw	
	Beech	Jo Steele	
Year 1	Cedar	Julia Ellis	John Cushing
	Chestnut	Rebecca Fisher	Jo McDermott
Year 2	Holly	Kirsty Clark	
	Hawthorn	Anna Ring	
Year 3	Pine	Chantelle Atarinejad	Vidya Thurairaja
	Poplar	Jenny Denham	Roslyn Grebby
Year 4	Maple	Perdi	Lynsey Calder
	Rowan	Chantelle Atarinejad	Stella Ballantyne
Year 5	Willow	Morven Allen	Anna Harrison
	Sycamore	Harriet Sanders	Clare Blake
Year 6	Oak	Claire Fox	Tarryn Jamie
	Elm	Ann Crozier	Ali Cole



## Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October - Pre-loved Uniform Sale

The next pre-loved uniform sale will take place on **Tuesday 4th October**, after school in the covered picnic area.

All uniform items are £2 (PE items £1). We have lots of stock so come along to grab a bargain!

Please don't forget we are **not currently accepting clothing donations** but you can pass them on via the FoWE School Uniform Exchange [facebook page](#). We suggest a £2 donation to FoWE (via School Gateway) for any item.

## Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October - Next FoWE (PTA) meeting

Everyone is welcome to come along to the first meeting of the year. It's a good chance to hear about plans for the year including upcoming events such as the children's disco and the Christmas event. There will be wine, biscuits and lots of friendly faces. If you are planning to come please email us at [fowe@woodend.herts.sch.uk](mailto:fowe@woodend.herts.sch.uk) and we'll send you a copy of the agenda.

The planned 2022-2023 FoWE fundraising events will be the focus of the meeting. **Please could each year group send at least one representative to discuss their allotted event.**

The meeting starts at **7.45pm in the school staffroom**. We hope to see many of you there!



## Friday 4th November - Wood End Children's Disco

Dust down your disco balls and get your dancing shoes on! Tickets cost £5 each (including a snack pack and a drink) and will be on sale via the [School Gateway](#) from 7<sup>th</sup> October – 29<sup>th</sup> October.

KS1: 3:30pm – 4:30pm (Year 1 upwards)

KS2: 5pm – 6pm.

Within the next few weeks we will send out an online sign-up sheet for adults who want to help out on the night. Please do volunteer if you can - it's great fun watching your children dance the night away with their friends.

Please note that this year for safeguarding reasons we can only allow children to attend if they have bought a ticket in advance. **If you haven't bought a ticket in advance you will not be able to pay on the door.**



## Harry Potter Double Prize Bundle - Buy a Ticket for Your School Lottery

Support Wood End School by buying a Your School Lottery ticket (£1 each) and you could win a Harry Potter & the Cursed Child family theatre voucher AND a Harry Potter Warner Brothers Studio Family Tour ticket. There's also the chance to win the big 25k jackpot!

You can sign up to buy your tickets [here](#) either via a monthly direct debit or a one-off payment to cover 1, 3, 6 or 12 months. The big draw is on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> October.

## Wood End Golf Day = \*POSTPONED\*

Unfortunately, due to limited uptake we are going to have to postpone our Wood End golf day originally planned for 13<sup>th</sup> October this year. All registered participants details have been captured and we will be in touch with a new date for the spring as soon as possible. Thank you for everyone's interest so far!

Support Friends of Wood End each time you shop – sign up to [easyfundraising](#)



Find out more: <https://www.woodend.herts.sch.uk/whats-on/about/news>



Like us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/WoodEndPTA/>



Follow us on instagram: [@wood\\_end\\_school\\_pta](#)

## FoWE (Friends of Wood End School)

Charity name: Wood End School Parent Teacher Association

Charity number: 1055324

Email us: [fowe@woodend.herts.sch.uk](mailto:fowe@woodend.herts.sch.uk)

**Raise FREE donations** for us every time you shop online.

Over **4,000** shops and sites will donate!





# Multi Sports Half Term Camp

at Wood End Primary School

A safe and inclusive Multi Sports Camp  
for children who attend Wood End School.

Join us for a week of activities delivered  
by qualified coaches\* and teachers.

\*All staff are DBS check, insured and have first aid training.



**£105** all week (5 days)  
or **£25** per day!



From 9am to 3pm



For children in Year 1 to Year 6

To request a booking form contact Mr. Barker,  
[summercamp2020@hotmail.com](mailto:summercamp2020@hotmail.com)

October Half Term  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> –  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October



## Jousters Holiday club at Wood End School



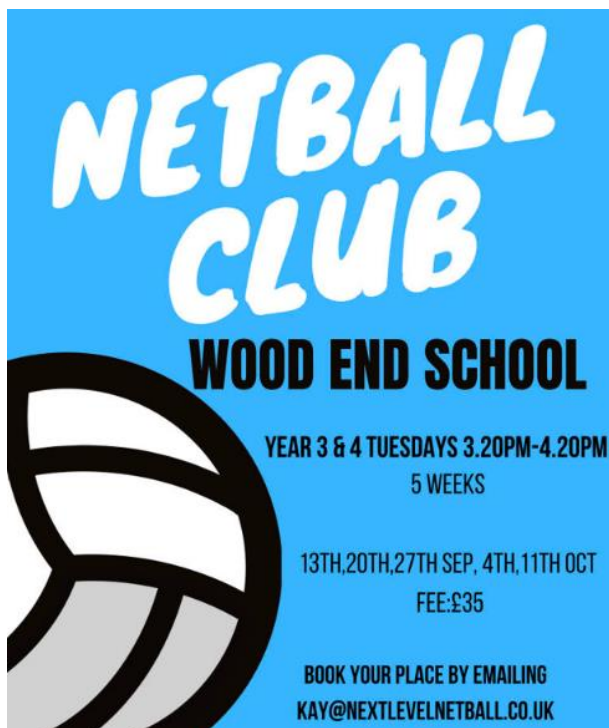
Why not book your children into Jousters Holiday Club  
Open from 8am-6pm for all children aged 4-11 years at Wood End School.  
You do not have to attend Wood End School so tell your friends and  
neighbours.

We offer a wide range of games, sports, cooking, crafts and activities with  
snacks and drinks provided.  
We have a great team of experienced, qualified, first aid safe-guarding & CRB  
cleared staff.

OPEN from 8am until 6pm  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October

£30 first child and £27 siblings

Call Jennie Denton on:  
01707 894650  
Or email: [jennie@jousterschildcare.com](mailto:jennie@jousterschildcare.com)



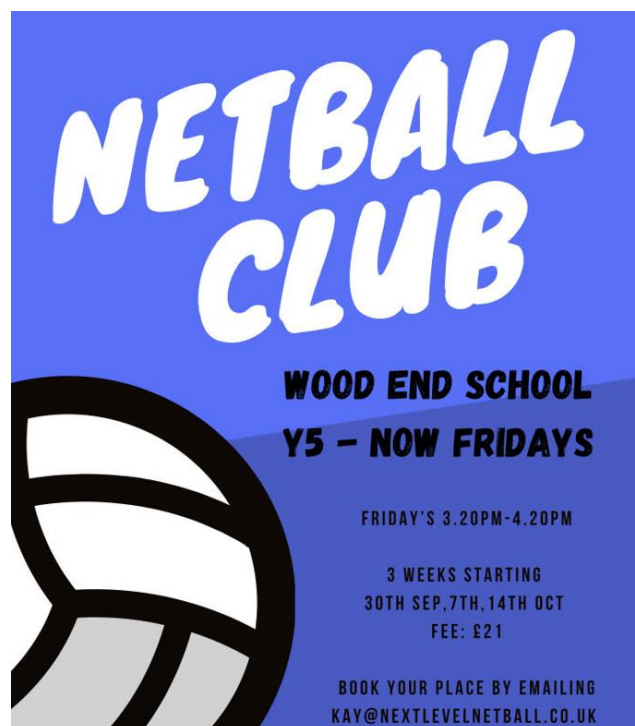
# NETBALL CLUB

## WOOD END SCHOOL

YEAR 3 & 4 TUESDAYS 3.20PM-4.20PM  
5 WEEKS

13TH, 20TH, 27TH SEP, 4TH, 11TH OCT  
FEE: £35

BOOK YOUR PLACE BY EMAILING  
KAY@NEXTLEVELNETBALL.CO.UK



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## WOOD END SCHOOL

### Y5 - NOW FRIDAYS

FRIDAY'S 3.20PM-4.20PM

3 WEEKS STARTING  
30TH SEP, 7TH, 14TH OCT  
FEE: £21

BOOK YOUR PLACE BY EMAILING  
KAY@NEXTLEVELNETBALL.CO.UK

# Cricket Plus Coaching Academy

Years 4, 5 and 6  
Cricket Coaching  
Course for three  
weeks: 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and  
21<sup>st</sup> of October.  
Booking form  
attached.



SATURDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 2022

# KINSBOURNE COMMON FETE

12PM - 3PM

Organised by St Mary's Church  
and the 9th Harpenden Scout Group.

This years fete is Eco themed. Discover pre-loved  
accessories, junk modelling, make your own bug  
hotel and a chance to have your bike checked.  
All this alongside our more traditional stalls:  
plants, books, afternoon tea and much more!

COME ALONG AND ENJOY  
ALL THE FUN OF THE FETE!