

Whitmore Junior News

Whitmore Junior School's official fortnightly newsletter to parents and friends of the school
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Dear Parents/Carers,

This term has been very short, but even so, pupils and staff have worked really hard during the term and all deserve a well earned break.

We are sorry to say farewell to Mrs Holmes, but know that she will rise to the challenge of becoming the Headteacher at Rivenhall Church of England Primary School in Chelmsford. Mrs Holmes has been Deputy Headteacher at Whitmore for the past seven years and we will all miss her very much. I'm sure you will join with me in wishing Mrs Holmes the very best of luck for the future.

We hope you all enjoy, and have a safe, Spring Break and that the children come back refreshed and ready to start the Summer Term, which is looking to be another very busy one.

We have accumulated a large quantity of lost property again, it will be on display to be claimed after school on the day that we return.

We will return to school on Monday 14 April 2008

Iris Cerny – Headteacher

Parent Governor Elections

Thank you for voting in the Parent Governor Elections

The voting was extremely close and the result is as follows:

Joanne Saunders	20
Sharon Stewart	19
Esther Hayward	9

Therefore Joanne Saunders has been duly elected as Parent Governor.

Dates for the Diary

31 March – 11 April (incl) – Spring Holiday

April

14 Return to School

May

12 – 16 Year 6 SATs

Goodbye

Yesterday we said a fond farewell to Mrs Holmes, who has been Deputy Headteacher at the school for the last seven years.

For the past few months Mrs Holmes has been on secondment to other schools and has now been rewarded with a promotion to Headteacher at a school in Chelmsford. She will take up her post after the Spring Holiday.

We wish her lots of luck in her new school and thank her for her commitment and hard work during her time at Whitmore

SWIMMING – SUMMER TERM

Years 3 and 4 will be taking part in swimming lessons after the spring two week break. Letters will be sent to parents on 14 April 2008.



Drop In Clinics

Infants: 20 May 2008 - 2.45 pm
Junior: 17 June - 8.30 am
Infants: 14 July 2008 - 2.45 pm

We must say just one more thanks, and that's to Bethany Ing's Mum and Grandmother for volunteering to look after the two ponds in the Science area. At present they are cleaning them out and recording what wildlife is in them. They hope to create a habitat which will help to sustain the wildlife during not only the summer months, but the winter as well. So a big Thank You to them.