

Newsletter

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Keep up to date with trips, non-uniform days, school closures, PTA events, performances etc by scanning the QR code, or following the link to subscribe to our school calendar.

<https://www.jeavonswood.org/parent-carer-and-pupil-information/calendar>

Diary Dates

September

Fri 26th Deadline for Challenge
£20.25 donations

October

Wed 1 Tempest Photography
Thurs 9 MHST Coffee Morning
Thurs 16th Year 4 HOTP
Fri 24th INSET DAY

HALF TERM

27th - 31st OCTOBER

November

Mon 3rd Return to school



KS2 Choir

Choir is open for years 3 to 6. Year 5 and 6 also have the exciting opportunity to perform at the Young Voices show in Birmingham but they need to sign up by the end of next week as we need to finalise numbers.

Thanks

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1st Day Response

If your child is ill, please let us know by **08:30** at the latest. If we don't hear from you, and we cannot make contact, this does mean a member of staff will conduct a safe and well check at your house for safeguarding reasons. Ultimately, if we cannot contact you we will ask the Police to visit to ensure you are safe.

Unfortunately we are seeing an increase in children arriving late, especially on rainy days. Please ensure you leave adequate time to get here, as any lateness does affect children's learning.

Collection from School

We have asked you for a yearly collection pattern for your child to ensure safeguarding at home time. The office team and teaching staff are finding it unsustainable to alter patterns on a daily basis. Please ensure from now on that any alterations are limited unless it is an absolute emergency. It remains your responsibility to make sure your child knows what their daily arrangements are to avoid any confusion.

Miss Young's Fundraising



On October 5th, Miss Young will be running the Town and Gown 10k race in Cambridge to raise money for a breast cancer awareness charity. The charity is working to support people undergoing chemotherapy by providing boxes of essential items that alleviate the side effects of the treatment. If you would like to donate to her page, please find her link below!

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Thank you to everyone who has already donated!

Therapy Dog Training

Happy 1st birthday wishes to our wonderful School Therapy Dog, Maudy. She is celebrating by studying hard for her Paws Therapy Dog Training Award which thanks to her gentle, kind and enchanting ways, we know she will ace. You can find out more about this amazing programme here - www.paws-therapydogs.com/schools/



Attendance Matters

Our School target for Attendance is 97%

Jeavons Wood Attendance
This Week: **97.3%**

Attendance This Year: **97.7%**

PTA News

Diary Dates

SEPTEMBER

Fri 26th

- Deadline for Challenge £20.25 donations

OCTOBER

Wed 8th

- PTA AGM Online Meeting

Wed 15th

- PTA Disco KS1 & KS2

Thurs 23rd

- Non-Uniform Day

Social Media

Keep up to date with PTA activity by following us on Facebook:

[bit.ly/JWPTAfacebook](https://www.facebook.com/JWPTAfacebook) or

instagram:

<https://bit.ly/JWPTAinsta>.

The PTA is Recruiting

Our wonderful Chair Debs will be stepping down from her role after the October AGM so we are looking for more people to join our Committee. It is a lovely way to support the School and the children and you get to know so many people inside and outside of School. We have to have at least 3 Committee Members for the PTA to continue which includes Treasurer and Chair. Our additional Fundraising and Event Lead roles help us to more evenly distribute responsibilities for our Committee Members and enable us to have a good PTA/life balance.

Please see attached the positions available on the Committee. These positions will be voted in during the October AGM. If you are interested in joining or have any questions, do get in touch with us by emailing jeavonswoodpta@gmail.com.

Non-branded Uniform

The clothing rail in the school foyer has been removed as the size was causing problems to the automatic doors. We're looking into ways we can still offer the non-branded uniform. In the meantime, please don't leave any non-branded uniform.

We'd love to hear from you on if this is something you would like to see continue (even better if you have ideas on how!)

PTA Notice of AGM

We are giving notice of the AGM of Jeavons Wood PTA, to be held online on Wednesday 8th October at 6.30pm. All parents are invited to attend the AGM. This is your chance to contribute to fundraising suggestions and agree on how to spend the funds you help to raise for the benefit of the children at our school. Please see the attached letter for information regarding the AGM. We do hope as many of you are able to join as possible. Meeting link and agenda to follow.

Branded Uniform

First of all, there's no change's to our branded uniform process. This is still available for sale at <https://jwpta.square.site/>. We've been busy processing all the donations and these are regularly added to the website. Any branded uniform that's in good condition and clean can be donated in the white box in the school foyer. Please only add branded jumpers, fleeces and cardigans here.

Clothing Recycling

Due to changes made by The Little Recyclers in the amount they pay per collection, we have made the decision to remove the recycling bin from the foyer. Instead we will have dates advertised once a term where you can bring in old clothing that you no longer need.

Challenge £20.25

We have enjoyed seeing all the challenges that have been completed over the Summer! We are so impressed and proud of the children's effort and commitment to raise money for their School. They have really challenged themselves to cycle, swim and run long distances, hold cake sales and even climb mountains!

Please hand any completed sponsorship forms and money collected into the School Office in a clearly named envelope with 'Summer Challenge 2025' written on it or alternatively donations can be given to the [PTA Just Giving page](#) and remember to Gift Aid donations if you can. We ask that all donations are handed in by Friday 26th September. We will announce the total amount raised once all sponsorship has been collected.

We would love to see more photos of the challenges children took part in and to share their success in the school newsletter. Please email us at jeavonswoodpta@gmail.com. Photos can also be shared on SeeSaw in September with class Teachers.