

Weekly Newsletter

Dream big, fly high

Redrow Visit

This week the children have been visited by Buster the Bear and his friends at Redrow. Health & Safety is an important part of everything we do in school and Buster has shared important messages about how to be safe in Woodford Garden Village, where we still have several live building sites. Buster also brought gifts for the children to take home.



Mrs Drake, Head of School

Safeguarding

As part of our staff safeguarding training, we cover the Trusts whistleblowing procedures for colleagues should they ever have any concerns about any adult working within our schools. The specific policy for this is read by all staff and can be found on the Laurus Trust website [here](#).

Out of Hours Referrals

Should any parents ever have any concerns about the safety of a child, either in school or out, they should request a conversation with myself, Mrs Drake, as Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) or Mrs Stevenson, as Deputy Lead (DDSL). This will of course be treated in the strictest of confidence. Should a concern arise outside of school hours, parents are advised to contact Stockport's 'Multi Agency Safeguarding and Support Hub' (MASSH) on 0161 474 4734

PTA 2023 AGM

The PTA need to recruit Committee members and the AGM is the perfect time to do that. They appreciate that everyone has different schedules so they're offering several potential dates and times for the community to vote on. If you are interested in attending or you wish to nominate yourself for any of the roles, please complete the survey [here](#).



Second-hand Uniform

If you have any second-hand uniform you would like to donate to the PTA, please bring them to the school office washed, ironed and ready to sell. Thank you.



Important Dates

16th Oct	14.15 Parent Council
18th Oct	16.00 PTA Halloween Disco
20th Oct	Wear Red Day - Show Racism the Red Card
20th Oct	Last day of half term
30th Oct	INSET - School closed for pupils
31st Oct	School reopens for pupils
13th Nov	Anti-Bullying Week

[For a full summary of dates over the year, our Annual Planner can be viewed here](#)

Monkhouse School Uniform Offer

Our school uniform supplier, Monkhouse, is offering 20% off everything in store and online between **16th October 2023 - 22nd October 2023**. If you need to top up on any uniform or PE kit items or need a refresh on your everyday essentials, now's the time to shop. Use code **DEAL20** at checkout or in store. www.monkhouse.com

